

PREPARING MEN FOR SUCCESSFUL RE-ENTRY

APRIL 2024

FACILITY PROFILE

Warden: Jesse Williams | **Capacity:** 985 Residents | **Security Level:** Minimum/Medium

Location: 5400 Bay Line Drive | Panama City, FL 32404 | **Phone:** (850) 769-1455

Mission Statement

Giving people hope, skills, and opportunities for a better life.

Providing Education and Training to Reduce Recidivism



RESIDENT RESULTS

368 certificates earned in educational, career training, substance abuse treatment, and life-skills programs in the last year.



RECOVERY, THERAPY, AND CERTIFICATIONS PROGRAMS

The Bay Correctional Facility has partnered with Auburn University to provide residents with Canine Performance Care & Development Certificate training.

Hiring and Supporting the Local Community



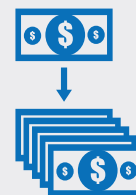
Dedicated employees preparing residents for re-entry



\$1,559,103 spent supporting local businesses



Education and training lowers recidivism by up to **43%***



For every **\$1** spent on education and training, **\$5** is saved for future law enforcement and corrections costs*

* Davis, Lois M., Robert Bozick, Jennifer L. Steele, Jessica Saunders and Jeremy N. V. Miles. (2013). Evaluating the Effectiveness of Correctional Education: A Meta-Analysis of Programs That Provide Education to Incarcerated Adults (p. 3). Santa Monica, CA: RAND Corporation. Retrieved from http://www.rand.org/pubs/research_reports/RR266.html

Nationally-Recognized Corrections and Safety Accreditations

Bay Correctional Facility is accredited by the American Correctional Association—achieving 100% compliance for both mandatory and non-mandatory standards in its most recent audit.



Rehabilitation Programs



Behavioral Services

- Acceleron Learning Suite
- ACCI Life Skills Suite
- Aggression Replacement Training
- Cage Your Rage
- Exploring Trauma
- InsideOut Dad
- Thinking for a Change



Education

- Adult Basic Education



Life Skills

- OpenOffice
- Typing Master Pro



Re-Entry and Release Preparation

- Acceleron Learning Re-Entry Roadmap



Religious

- Compass 100
- Free Your Mind in Restrictive Housing
- Chapel Library Program
- Chapel Music Program
- Holy Day Observations
- Organized Weekly Religious Services
- Prison Fellowship Academy
- The Purpose Driven Life



Substance Abuse

- Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)
- Cognitive-Behavioral Interventions for Substance Abuse



Vocation

- Narcotics Anonymous (NA)
- SAMSHA Residential Drug Abuse Prevention
- Seeking Safety
- Skillstreaming
- Tobacco Cessation



Wellness Program

- Acceleron Learning Open to Venture
- Auburn K-9 Program
- Culinary Arts
- FDE Horticulture
- NCCER CORE
- Technical Support Services
- FDC Wellness Curriculum

Valuing the Community

MTC is proud to be a part of the community in Bay County. Through donations and community service, staff and residents partner with various non-profit organizations and other groups to benefit their community. Representatives from local government, business, and civic organizations also serve on the facility's community relations council, where facility leaders share important updates and collaborate on issues important to the community.

More than 30 volunteers provide valuable classes and programs to help rehabilitate the men at the Bay Correctional Facility. These programs include addiction recovery, job preparation, life skills, and religious services to help residents improve their lives.

Community Relations Council

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| ▪ Carol Roberts
Bay County Chamber of Commerce | ▪ Neill Davis
Military Media, INC | ▪ James Scudamore
FDC | ▪ Mark Graham
Assistant State Attorney |
| ▪ Craig Williams
Director of Military and Veteran Affairs | ▪ Ethan Brown
Edward Jones | ▪ James Coker
FDC | ▪ Larry Basford
State Attorney |
| ▪ Nicole Smith
Director of Constituent Services | ▪ Patrick Beverly
FastSigns | ▪ Angela Gordon
FDC | ▪ Shane Terrill
FDLE |
| ▪ Greg Brudnicki
Mayor of Panama City | ▪ Dr. John Holdnak
Gulf Coast State College | ▪ Athrine Matthews
Peoples 1 st Real Estate | ▪ Dayton Lister
FDC |
| ▪ Tricia Hovis
Panama City | ▪ Bruce Harber
Gulf Coast State College | ▪ Craig Barr
Peoples 1 st Insurance | ▪ Stephen Fett
Panama City
Rescue Mission |
| ▪ Sean G. De Palma, MS, CPRP
Panama City | ▪ Maria Goodwin
CareerSource Gulf Coast | ▪ Mia Pankey
BancorpSouth | ▪ Jason King, LT
Florida Highway Patrol |
| ▪ David L. Howard Jr.
Panama City | ▪ Jerry Bushee
CareerSource Gulf Coast | ▪ Skip Latham
CorrectPac | ▪ Frankie Lumm
Emergency Services Dept. |
| ▪ Mark McQueen
City Manager, Panama City | ▪ Liz Taylor
CareerSource Gulf Coast | ▪ Chad Lindsey
Panama City Beach Police Dept. | ▪ Troy Varnum
Northwest Coast
Baptist Association |
| ▪ Mark Smith
Police Chief, Panama City
Police Department | ▪ Susanne Blevins
CareerSource Gulf Coast | ▪ J.R. Talamantez
Panama City Beach Police Dept. | ▪ Robert Ifft
Florida HS & MV |
| ▪ Doug Moore
Commissioner, District IV | ▪ Maria Lofton
CareerSource Gulf Coast | ▪ Captain Wayne Maddox
Panama City Beach Police Dept. | ▪ Kevin Harrs
Florida HS & MV |
| ▪ Robert J. Majka, Jr
County Manager | ▪ Christine Weatherman
CareerSource Gulf Coast | ▪ Sheriff Tommy Ford
Bay County Sheriff's Office | |
| | ▪ Roger Bennett
FDC | | |