

**North Carolina Reentry Stakeholder Database  
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The information in this North Carolina Reentry Stakeholder Database comes from multiple sources and was last updated on March 3, 2021. As of that date, counties in green have a Local Reentry Council (LRC) and counties in red have no identified reentry contacts.

The database was created to identify and help connect reentry contacts in each of North Carolina's 100 counties who are serving people returning from incarceration. The goal is to improve information sharing and strengthen connections among stakeholders within and across counties. The database is a public resource and is meant to be shared widely.

Strategies to collect the names included in the tracker included publicly available documents, interview with stakeholders, and targeted outreach to identify at least one reentry contact in every NC county.

The database effort was part of the Landscape Scan of Local Reentry Services in North Carolina project. In conjunction with the state's reentry action plan, the landscape scan of local reentry services explored the services and supports available across the state, prevalent gaps or unmet needs, and creation of the database. One purpose of the database is to ensure that at least one person per county – and in some cases, many people in a county - receives information related to reentry from the NC Departments of Public Safety, Health and Human Services, Commerce, the Attorney General's office, Office of Strategic Partnerships, and others. The final report from the project will include recommendations for strengthening and supporting local reentry efforts. The project team lead is consultant Sam Harvell with Three Flights LLC. Project partners have included the State Reentry Council Collaborative steering committee and local implementation team.

Every effort was made to ensure a complete list. It is not an official distribution list but a public resource shared with and designed to be used by the community at large.

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COUNTY	REENTRY COUNCIL	AT LEAST ONE REENTRY CONTACT	CONTACT ORGANIZATION	POINT OF CONTACT	CONTACT EMAIL	CONTACT NUMBER	CITY
Buncombe	Yes	Yes	Buncombe County Local Reentry Council	Brent Bailey	brent.bailey@buncombecounty.org	828-250-640	Asheville
			YMI Cultural Center Economic & Workforce Development	Philip Cooper	philip@landofsky.org	828-318-5234	Asheville
			RHA Health Services	Amanda Cary	amanda.cary@buncombecounty.org	828-250-6408	Asheville
			A-B Tech Community College	Ronnie Copeland	ronnetalcopeland@abtech.edu	828-772-0787	Asheville
			FIRST At Blue Ridge	Lindsay Jackson	lindsayc@firstinc.org	828-450-9796	Ridgecrest
				Mark Merrick	markm@firstinc.org	828-669-0011	Ridgecrest
			NC Department of Commerce - Mountain Area Workforce Development Board	Brenda Ploss	brenda.ploss@nccommerce.com	828-251-6200	Asheville
			Literacy Together	Rebecca Massey	rebecca@lit-together.org	828-254-3442 Ext 202	Asheville
			Biltmore Housing	Alvin Long	biltmorehousinginc@gmail.com	828.216.2596	Asheville
			The Real Foundation, Inc.	Ginger Malcom	ginger@realfoundationinc.org	828-772-7668	Asheville
The SPARC Foundation	Paul Schultz	pschultz@thesparcfoundation.org	828-333-3064	Asheville			
	Carlene Wood	cwood@insightnc.org	828-808-4999	Asheville			