

# OLYMPIA REENTRY CENTER (ORC)



## FACT SHEET



1800 11th Avenue SW, Olympia, WA 98504  
360-586-2731

## ABOUT

### Custody Level:

- Minimum Security Classification Facility

### Capacity:

- 19 men, 7 women

### Annual Operating Budget:

- \$1,143,635

ORC was founded in 1979 and is located on the westside of Olympia in a traditional residential setting surrounded by apartment complexes, a city park and a church. The primary goal is to improve public safety by positively changing lives by providing consistent support, encouragement, recognition and accountability.

Residents who meet the screening criteria may be transferred to ORC 12 months before their earliest release date. The facility is operated in conjunction with a long-term non-profit partner, A Beginning Alliance, that provides 24/7 safety and security, food service and maintenance. The building is owned by the Department of Corrections.

## ORC TEAM

### Facility Contact:

- Laura Deckard, Reentry Center Manager
  - [lddeckard@doc1.wa.gov](mailto:lddeckard@doc1.wa.gov), 360-355-0348
- Manuel "Manny" Vilela, Community Corr Officer 3
- Sarah Carlson, Office Assistant 3

### A Beginning Alliance (ABA) Team:

- Michelle Johnson, Contract Director
- Vacant, Contract Admin Assistant
- Kallai Swanson, Contract Case Manager

**COVID-19 Operations:** In May 2023, federal and state COVID-19 emergency declarations ended, and DOC transitioned to a new normal operation. DOC continues to follow DOH and CDC guidelines for managing and preventing infection control.

**Individuals with Disabilities:** The Reentry Centers meet applicable American with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards and DOC policies regarding ADA. We will coordinate with the statewide ADA coordinator prior to the arrival of residents requiring ADA accommodations to ensure the facility has the necessary items. We will ensure the facility continues to meet the accommodated residents' needs during their incarceration.

## FACILITY INFORMATION

### Facility Programs & In-House Resources:

- College Readiness
- Family-Friendly Activities
- Family Reunification
- GED test preparation classes
- Job Search
- Recreational Programs
- Strength in Families
- Sustainability Program:
  - Recycle Program

### Community Resources:

- Anger Management Classes
- Mental Health Treatment
- Narcotics & Alcoholics Anonymous
- Numerous community-based medical providers
- Safeway
- South Puget Sound Community College
- Substance abuse recovery programs – self-help groups, intensive outpatient, outpatient and aftercare and Medically Assisted Treatment such as suboxone with counseling
- We support all services/programs available to the community at large, on approval
- Evergreen State College

### Employment Opportunities:

- CPC Landscape, El Sarape,
- Hanson Motors, Jiffy Lube, Rainier Dodge
- Jack in the Box, Jersey Mikes, Martin Way Diner, Chipotle Iron Rabbit, Chef's Store,
- Sherwood Forest Farms
- Numerous McDonald's
- Occasions Catering, Olive Garden,
- Outback Steakhouse, ProTec Landscaping,
- TrimTech, Winco,

### Community Parttal

- Capital Christian Center
- Costco
- DOC Community Corrections & GRE colleagues/stakeholders
- Famous Footwear
- Goodwill Industries
- Olympia Police Department
- Providence St. Peter Hospital Safe Place
- Capital Medical Center