

**GRANTEE:** Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction  
(Name of Project: Franklin County PRI)

**ADDRESS:** 1050 Freeway Drive North  
Columbus, Ohio, 43229

**AMOUNT:** First Year: \$130,434 (No Further Funding)

**DURATION:** 24 Months

**POPULATION SERVED/RECRUITMENT:** At least 105 offenders will be referred to the project. Participants will be recruited from the Mecklenburg County state prison. Participants will be evaluated for their appropriateness in the program from staff in the NCDOC Office of Transition Services. Participants will be served over a two year period of performance concluding March 31, 2010. The application did not state how participants would be referred.

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION:** Staff of the Center for Community Transitions will help offenders secure proper identification in order for them to obtain employment. The Center will also conduct no less than 4 job fairs. Similarly the Center will host six mentoring recruitment fairs. Mentors who are selected and pass a screening will receive training in courses specific to working with offenders. All participants will receive basic computer training in Microsoft office suite and a \$3000.00 individual training account.

**NON-FEDERAL MATCH:** The Statement of Work does not indicate a non-federal match leveraged to support this project.

**PARTNERS:**

**SUB-GRANTEE:** Center for Community Transitions

**OUTCOMES:**

- **Employment Rate:** 70%
- **Retention Rate:** 80% for a minimum of 90 days
- **Earnings Change:** 100% (an average hourly wage of \$9.00 or more)
- **Recidivism Rate:** 10% for those offenders who complete the program

**GEOGRAPHIC AREA TO BE SERVED:** Franklin County, Ohio

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