

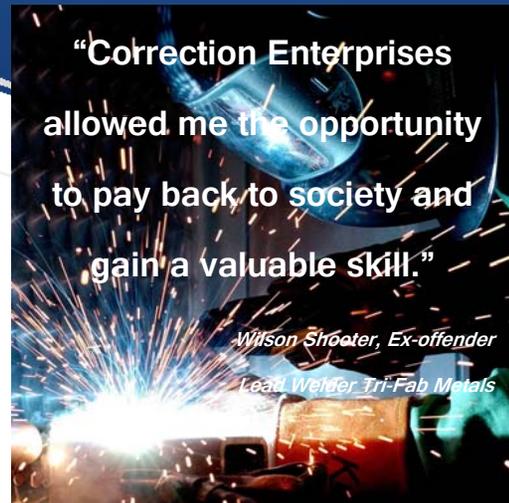
Ex-Offender Skills Available

Welding
Furniture, Sign and Paint Manufacturing
Upholstery/Re-upholstery
Graphic Design
CADD (Computer Aided Drafting/Design)
Embroidery/Sewing
Canning/Farming/Animal Husbandry
Meat Processing
Warehousing/Forklift Operation
Off-Set Printing/Digital Copying
Optical Production
Landscaping/Custodial Cleaning
Commercial Laundry
Manufacturing Equipment Repair
Masonry/Concrete Finish
Carpentry/Drywall Installation
Electrical
Pipe Fitting
Plumbing
HVAC
Heavy Equipment Operation
Fence Installation
Call Center Operations
Dental Laboratory

The NC Department of Public Safety, through Correction Enterprises, the Inmate Construction Program and Community College training, prepares inmates in various trades involving hands-on, applied work experience.

Hiring trained ex-offenders, an underutilized workforce, may be advantageous for your business.

If you are interested in learning more about Correction Enterprises and how to hire these skilled workers, please contact our Job Placement Coordinator below.



“Correction Enterprises allowed me the opportunity to pay back to society and gain a valuable skill.”

Wilson Stroeter, Ex-offender

Lead Welder Tri-Fab Metals

Job Placement Coordinator

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The Hidden Workforce

Turn an Ex-Offender into an Excellent Employee



“The most important product produced by Correction Enterprises is a well-trained, highly motivated inmate, ready to transition to a productive citizen upon release from incarceration.”

*Karen A. Brown, Director
Correction Enterprises*

did you know...

- Inmates can participate in real-world vocational skills and on-the-job training through NC Community Colleges, Correction Enterprises, the Inmate Construction Program and Apprenticeship Certification.
- There are 2.3 million people incarcerated in America today at a cost of approximately \$25,000 per person per year.
- Over 650,000 inmates nationwide will be released this year and seek integration back into our communities.
- The majority will return to prison within three years.
- Recidivism risk is significantly decreased when an ex-offender is able to obtain employment within 90 days of release.

Financial Benefits of Hiring an Ex-Offender



Work Opportunity Tax Credits

Businesses that hire workers with barriers to employment, including individuals with criminal records, may be eligible for a Federal Tax Credit up to \$2,400 per qualifying employee.



Federal Bonding

Program encourages businesses to hire at-risk, hard-to-place job seekers by providing insurance policies that protect against employee theft or dishonesty. Bonds provide six months of coverage starting at \$5,000; available at no cost to job applicant or employer and require no paperwork on the part of the employer.

For more information on Work Opportunity Tax Credits and Federal Bonding contact your local Employment Security Commission Office or Applicant Services at 919-733-4896 or visit website www.ncesc.com.

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