EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

AUGUST 2017



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Protocol document for details and email: reentryinfo@acgov.org.

Announcements

Rubicon Programs is hosting a Recruitment Event "Sneak Peek" Workshop The purpose for the workshop is to prepare potential attendees with insight on how to navigate through a recruitment event.

When: August 4, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (open to the public) Where: 24100 Amador Street, 3rd Floor, Hayward, CA 94544

The Summer's End Recruitment Event will be partnering with eight employers across several different industries, who will be recruiting for multiple positions.

When: August 10, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Where**: 24100 Amador Street, 3rd Floor, Hayward, CA (Parking 75¢ per hour)

The Bread Project – Bakery Production Bootcamp is accepting applications. Registration & Intake Interviews are on Wednesdays & Thursdays, 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Click <u>here</u> to view and print the bootcamp flyer. Click <u>here</u> to complete the application form.

When: Bootcamp (three weeks) - <u>Class dates</u>: August 8 - August 28 from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Where: 1615 University Ave., Berkeley CA 94703 (Note: the office entrance is located at the back of the building with access via the parking lot on California Street)
Contact: To schedule an appointment, email: <u>program@breadproject.org</u> or call Office: (510) 594-1702, Mobile: (510) 418-0617

Development of test materials for the **California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office Common Assessment Initiative Assessment (CCCAssess)** has been underway for the past year. Bias review committees are being formed to review the new test items developed by California Community College faculty and in partnership with Link-Systems International. Having input from educators and the community regarding potential bias issues in CCCAssess test items is critically important to the practice of sound assessment development.

California educators, student, parents and community leaders representing a variety of cultural and educational perspectives are invited to review the new items and provide feedback on their appropriateness regarding potential bias and sensitivity issues.

The next review meetings will occur ONLINE on August 21-23. On Monday, August 21st, a virtual meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 11:00 a.m. Participants will then review materials for approximately 6-8 hours between the conclusion of that meeting and noon on Wednesday, August 23rd. At 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23rd, a facilitated discussion session will take place online. Reviewers are required to participate in both the opening and closing sessions.

Please indicate your interest in participating by submitting <u>this form</u>. *Interest forms will be accepted through Thursday, August 10th at 12:00 pm. Participants will be determined and notified by Monday, August 14th at 3:00 pm. If you have any questions regarding this opportunity, please contact Marissa Jackson, Implementation Specialist for the Common Assessment Initiative at <u>mjackson@ccctechcenter.org</u>.

Summer Jam is a College Readiness <u>One-Week Course</u> at College of Alameda (CoA). The course will include math prep, college reading, study skills, assessment test prep, and computer skills for math. Please see the attached flyer for additional information. Requirements:

- Applicants must have a Peralta Student ID number.
- Applicants must be planning to take a course at College of Alameda in the fall.

When: August 14-18, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. <u>Register here</u> Contact: <u>summerjamcoa@gmail.com</u>

Civicorps is Hiring: Student Corpsmember. All corpsmembers without a high school diploma or GED (ages 18 - 26) will be assigned to a Learning Academy for the first 16 weeks in order to reconnect with their academics and begin fulfilling graduation requirements. After meeting requirements, all corpsmembers will be assigned to crews and will engage in paid field conservation work as contracted by project sponsors. Civicorps is now offering students a One Hundred Dollar (\$100.00) Stipend for prefect attendance record at the end of each week (Friday's) after successful completion of orientation. Individuals that are undocumented are welcomed to apply. Please view the attached job description and application for additional information.

When: Interviews will be conducted July 20, 2017 – August 11, 2017

<u>Week 1</u>: Orientation will begin 08/14/17 – 08/18/17, Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. <u>Week 2</u>: Orientation will resume 08/21/17 – 08/23/17, Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Contact**: Ron Dunn, Dean of Students, Office: (510) 992-7800, Fax: (510) 992-7950, <u>rod.dunn@cvcorps.org</u>

Oakland Adult Education fall programming

The College and Career Readiness Pathways Program begins August 28, 2017. Orientation begins August 17, 2017. For additional information, view the attached flyers for fall orientation and registration, or view the website: <u>www.ousdace.org</u>.

The Alameda County Community Advisory Board (CAB) is seeking to fill vacancies on its Board. The role of the CAB is to serve in an advisory capacity to the Community Corrections Partnership Executive Committee (CCPEC) on the County's realignment efforts. Click <u>here</u> to view the operating guidelines and <u>here</u> to apply.

Community Forum - Breaking Barriers

An Economic Development Conversation on Collateral Consequences of Felony Convictions. Please see the attached flyer for additional information. Who Should Attend?

- System Leaders (Elected Officials, CCP, Judges, Department Heads)
- System Impacted Citizens (Individuals/Families On Parole Or Probation)
- Community Based Providers (Service Providers, Faith Leaders)
- Community Advocates (CAB, Activists, Attorneys, Thought leaders, Citizens)

When: September 11, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Where: Elihu M. Harris State Office Building, 1515 Clay Street, Room 1, Oakland, CA 94612 Please RSVP: <u>sfitz@self-sufficiency.org</u>

The Alameda County Sheriff's Office would like to invite you to participate as a vendor at the **2017 Re-Entry Expo**. The Inmate Services Unit hosts this event inside our Transition Center at the Santa Rita Jail. The goal is to create a bridge to re-entry services and resources for those inmates which are soon to be released from custody. The event is unique because it allows re-entry program providers prerelease access to more than 400 potential clients. The participants will use your services to assist them as they make plans for a successful transition back to their families and communities. There is no cost to participate. They will provide each agency a vendor booth, continental breakfast, and lunch. See the attached flyer and packet for additional information.

When: September 19, 2017 from 7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Where: Santa Rita Jail Transition Center

Contact: RSVP with Lynn Frost, (925) 551-6610, <u>Ifrost@acgov.org</u>. Event Information, Dean White - Programs Supervisor, (925) 803-7103, <u>gdwhite@acgov.org</u>

Save the date: BOSS CTEC Graduation

See the attached flyer and packet for additional information.

When: October 27, 2017 from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Where: First Unitarian Church, 685 14th Street, Oakland To learn more about CTEC: 510.419.0669 To learn more about BOSS: www.self-sufficiency.org The 2017 National Conference for Higher Education in Prison (NCHEP) is pleased to announce that the <u>website</u> for this year's conference is now live. NCHEP will be in **Dallas, TX**, from **November** 2-5. The theme of the conference will be **Building Community, Promoting Excellence**, and it will be incorporating perspectives from practice, public engagement, and reentry. Below are some important deadlines for this conference.

The **request for presentation, exhibit, and meeting proposals** is now open. The **deadline** for each is midnight EST on Monday, **August 21st**, and notifications (acceptance/decline) will be sent by September 15th. For more detailed instructions and submission forms, please see the website pages for <u>Paper & Panel Submissions</u>, <u>Hosting a Meeting</u>, & the <u>Exhibit Hall</u>.

The Alliance for Higher Education in Prison has a limited budget for **one-time travel scholarships for students, family members, practitioners, volunteers, corrections staff**, etc. to attend. <u>Applications</u> for scholarships will begin August 15th. Please forward this email to any interested persons, organizations or institutions. **We are especially interested in having formerly incarcerated students involved**. <u>Conference registration</u> will begin August 15th.

Contact the planning committee at <u>nchep2017@gmail.com</u>.

Upcoming Meetings

Community Advisory Board (CAB)

Tuesday, August 1, 2017 from 6:15 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. Probation Administration Building, 1111 Jackson Street, 2nd Floor, Rooms 226-228 Click <u>here</u> to view the agenda.

Process and Evaluation Workgroup

Wednesday, August 2, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Public Defender's Office, 1401 Lakeside Drive, 4th Floor, Room 400, Oakland Click <u>here</u> to view the agenda.

Alameda County Children of Incarcerated Parents Partnership (ACCIPP)

Friday, August 4, 2017 from 1:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Probation Administration Building, 1111 Jackson Street, 2nd Floor, Rooms 226-228

Providers Meeting (Juvenile Services)

Monday, August 7, 2017 from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Probation Administration Building, 1111 Jackson Street, 2nd Floor, Rooms 226-228 Click <u>here</u> to view the agenda.

Fiscal and Procurement Workgroup

Tuesday, August 8, 2017 from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Probation Administration Building, 1111 Jackson Street, 2nd Floor, Rooms 226-228

Programs and Services Workgroup

Thursday, August 24, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Probation Administration Building, 1111 Jackson Street, 2nd Floor, Rooms 226-228, Oakland

On-going

A Safe Place, Inc. is hiring. Only resumes with relevant experience will be considered. Submit your resume and cover letter by fax to 510-986-8606. Please include the title of the position you are applying for in your cover letter and proof of Domestic Violence education. PLEASE, no phone calls or email inquiries. Click here to view the descriptions and apply.

A Safe Place is hosting a FREE Art Therapy group for PTSD, trauma, and survivors of domestic violence. The aim of the group is to provide a creative outlet for processing difficult emotions and beginning to heal from the effects of trauma. Click here to view the flyers for additional information. When: Art Therapy Sessions are held each Thursday from 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Where: Downtown Oakland **Contact:** 510-986-8600 x 317 (Space is limited.)

Emergency Space Available: A Safe Place provides a safe, confidential, and comfortable housing for victims who must leave their home situation for safety reasons. Services offered:

- Emergency shelter •
- Individual and family counseling •
- Children's Program •
- Case management •
- CalWORKs •
- Support with legal, child custody and protective orders
- Basic necessities clothing, food •

If you are in immediate danger call 911. If you are seeking shelter or assistance, please call our 24hour crisis line at 510-536-7233.

True Me Background Checks show you your background check exactly as an employer will see it, help you change things that are inaccurate or outdated, and let you write comments in to explain your story. They focus on helping people get jobs who might normally have a tough time passing a background check. They try to donate 1 percent of their products to people who need it most. They love to give out True Me for free to people who are job hunting or soon will be. For additional information, https://trueme.goodhire.com/. This is a FREE service.

Food Bank Online Portal: Click on the link http://foodnow.net/ to the online food access portal, where people can find food when the Food Helpline is closed. Also, the Food Bank provides CalFresh screening and application assistance. Click here for the link in Spanish, http://comidaahora.net/. See the attached brochure for additional information.

Help For The Homeless

Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the Roots mobile clinic brings medical care and resources to homeless Oaklanders. The mobile team also gives out basic items, and they need your help to be able to do this! They would deeply appreciate donations of:

- Multi-packs of SOCKS (like these)
- Nonperishable foods
- Bottled water

Contact: Please send or bring items to Roots Community Health Center's headquarters at 9925 International Blvd. #5, Oakland, CA 94603.

NPower's TechCareer is hosting a tech-related training opportunity accelerated program at the College of Alameda. In eight weeks students will be certified in ITIL and Service Now to launch their SaaS (Software as a Service) career. They will also be trained in JavaScript in order for them to create cloud-based applications. This is a no-cost program for veterans and young adults. Click <u>here</u> to view the flyer and apply.

Roots Community Health Center - Empowerment Initiatives

<u>Healthy Measures</u>: Helps formerly incarcerated individuals with chronic illnesses achieve successful, healthy reentry. Participants receive support and coaching from Roots Health Navigators who have also experienced incarceration. Benefits include: individualized health plans, benefits enrollment, health education and navigation, probation compliance support and barrier removal. Click <u>here</u> to view the flyer.

To apply, email <u>admin@rootsclinic.org</u> or call 510-777-1177.

<u>Emancipators Academy</u>: Now accepting applications! An 8-week program offering stipends, on-the-job training in manufacturing at Roots' soap-making social enterprise, <u>Clean360</u>, leadership skills and mentorship. Participants (called Emancipators) receive assistance for barrier removal, support for benefits enrollment, and connection to health care and other services. To be eligible, applicants must have been released from incarceration within the past 12 months, must be unemployed, and must be able to lift 40 lbs. Click <u>here</u> to view the flyer.

To apply, email <u>admin@rootsclinic.org</u> or call 510-904-8048.

Career Online High School

Scholarships are being offered at Oakland Public Library and Alameda County Library for adults (age 19+) to earn a high school diploma and career certificate through Career Online High School. Enrolled students will take classes online, be supported by an academic coach, and build a career portfolio. Scholarships are limited.

- Oakland Program: Open to residents in Oakland, Emeryville and Piedmont. Contact <u>diploma@oaklandlibrary.org</u>
- Alameda County Program: Open to residents in Ashland, Cherryland, San Lorenzo, Newark, Union City and Fremont. Contact <u>diploma@aclibrary.org</u>

Apply Now - <u>www.careeronlinehs.gale.com/ca/</u>

Oakland Adult & Career Education is happy to be adding a new College and Career Readiness Pathway Program, in coordination with the Northern Alameda Consortium for Adult Education. Through a sequence of courses, adult students will be prepared with basic English, math, English-as-a-Second language and study skills to successfully transition to academic and career technical education studies in the community college, or to gainful employment. The Oakland Adult & Career Education staff has served Oakland adult students over the past years, and this new College and Career Readiness Pathway Program will provide another needed educational opportunity in our community. Click <u>here</u> for additional information.

Defy Ventures

A non-profit organization that works with individuals who have had previous criminal justice involvement (18+ years and older) to create new pathways for economic sustainability. Defy's CEO of Your New Life program focuses on job readiness/job placement, personal wellness, reentry coaching and entrepreneurship. Specifically, Defy helps individuals create profitable enterprises that sustain them and their families over time. We support emerging entrepreneurs in the launch of their enterprises by offering intensive hands-on entrepreneurship training, character development, mentoring, business incubation, financing opportunities and holistic personal development services. If you know of any interested candidates, please have them contact Melissa O'Dell at <u>melissa@defyventures.org</u> or by visiting <u>defyventures.org</u>.

CLEAN SLATE CLINIC – A partnership of the East Bay Community Law Center and Alameda County Public Defender's Office. We highly encourage you to send clients to the in-person clinics. We are able to do a more holistic screening, give information, and better assess needs when we meet them in person. If the person is out of county, out of state, or simply can't make one of our clinic times, please refer them to Code for America. Please advise clients to either apply online or come to clinic but do not do both as this causes confusion and duplicative work.

Services available:

Employment Denials due to Criminal Background	Juvenile Record Sealing
Dismissal of Conviction ("Expungement")	Sealing of Arrest Record - Factual Innocence
Felony Reduction / Prop 47 Relief	Errors on Criminal Background Reports
Early Termination of Probation	Occupational Licensing Denials (DSS, Security Guard)
Certificate of Rehabilitation	Voting Rights, Jury Service Rights

Take The First Step! Apply In 10 Minutes! Apply Online: https://clearmyrecord.codeforamerica.org/

When/Where: Joint walk-in clinics with the Public Defender and EBCLC

Tuesdays, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in Dublin	Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. in Oakland	
Public Defender's Office	Public Defender's Office	
5149 Gleason Drive, #C155, Dublin	545 4 th Street, Oakland	
Contact EBCLC for more information: 510-548-4040, www.obclc.org		

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Contact Public Defender's Office for more information: 510-272-6600, www.acgov.org/defender

Behavioral Health Care Services (BHCS) Adult Crisis Response Program (CRP)

This service is for adult clients, with Medi-Cal or no insurance, who are in a real or perceived mental health crisis can go into any of the County-run CRP clinics and receive on-demand support from our CRP staff.

Services that are available:

Assessments	One-on-one count
Psychiatry (most days depending on the	 Linkage/referrals with the greater
location)	system of care or other resources

When: Drop-in Hours, Monday thru Friday from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Where:

<u>BHCS Crisis Clinics</u>: North County CRP (Within Oakland Community Support Services, Eastmont Town Center) 7200 Bancroft Avenue, Suite 125 Oakland 94605

South County CRP (Gail Steele Wellness & Recovery Ctr.) 409 Jackson Street, Suite 100 Hayward 94544 Satellite Sites: Fremont CRP (Fremont Family Resource Center) 39155 Liberty Street, Suite G710 Fremont 94538

Valley CRP (Valley Community Support Center) 3730 Hopyard Road Pleasanton 94588

The Probation Department has launched its social media pages. Please follow us on Twitter: <u>https://twitter.com/ACProbation</u> and like us on Facebook: <u>https://www.facebook.com/ACProbation</u>

- <u>OACE_Fall+Session-College+and+Career+Readiness+Pathways+Program_Spanish.pdf</u>
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