Top 10 Questions Asked at...

Renewal #2 (327)

1. Why do I have to complete MH (mental health) modules?
The MH modules are required programming because you were placed in the Mental Health Program. You will attend them the first week of your stay, during your orientation week.

2. Why do I have to complete a Drug and Alcohol Evaluation? I completed TC at the SCI?
It is listed as a parole condition on your Board Action (green sheet). Therefore, it is required to be completed while you are at the center.

3. Why do I have to attend Outpatient Mental Health?
It is a parole condition. Additionally, you are prescribed Mental Health medication and will need to be linked to a MH provider to prescribe refills, med management, etc.

4. Why do I have to turn in my paycheck?
You are required to turn in 40% of your income: 20% goes to room and board, 10% goes into your savings account that you will receive upon release. If you do not have court costs and it is verified, you will not have to pay that 10%. The goal is to assist you with budgeting and saving your money so you have the maximum amount saved when you are released.

5. Why do I have to do community service?
All reentrants are required to complete a minimum of two hours of community service per week. We have many opportunities and hopefully you will find a site that you enjoy and look forward to giving back.

6. I work full-time. Why do I have to do details?
You are responsible for your living space as well as the overall cleanliness of the unit.

7. I completed Violence Prevention in the SCI. Why do I have to complete it here?
You are required to complete the Violence Prevention Booster at the center. You will attend group sessions two times per week for six weeks. It is mandatory programming.

8. What is CBI?
CBI is Cognitive Behavioral Intervention. Your parole agent has referred you to this group and it will assist you with examining your thoughts, feelings, and behaviors.

9. How do I get involved with the housing program?
After you secure employment (income), your parole agent will send a referral for housing assistance.
10. I had an item (contraband) confiscated. Why can’t I get it back?
The center rule is that contraband items are not returned. It is listed in the reentrant handbook for your review/reference.