

West Virginia **Reentry** Resource Sheet

A one-page starting point for the first days home.

Save this sheet and verify current requirements before you travel or apply.

IMMEDIATE SAFETY

Danger: 911

Crisis: 988

Local referrals: 211

HELP4WV: 1-844-435-7498

Start here

First 72 Hours: safety, shelter, food, transportation, and your next appointment.

First Week Out: ID, benefits, work, and family steps in a day-by-day order.

Resource directory: filter local help by housing, legal, employment, health, or need.

Identity and documents

Gather release papers, supervision information, any ID, Social Security information, birth certificate details, current address, and phone.

ID and documents guide

WV DMV

Social Security replacement card

WV Vital Registration

Housing and safety

Call 211 before traveling; a referral is not a reservation. Ask about shelter, coordinated entry, recovery housing, cost, screening, and privacy. Call 911 for immediate danger.

Housing After Incarceration guide

HUD housing resources

HUD housing counselor search

Jobs and benefits

WV PATH

Apply or report changes for SNAP, Medicaid, WVCHIP, and WV WORKS. Keep confirmations.

Jobs and benefits guide

WorkForce WV

Jobs & Hope WV

Family reunification

Save release papers, custody orders, case-plan records, treatment or parenting-class proof, and housing or income documentation.

Family Reunification guide

Parenting & Custody guide

Legal Aid WV: 866-255-4370

Rights and record relief

Know Your Rights guide

Expungement guide

Legal Aid WV can help explain eligibility, deadlines, custody, benefits, housing, and reentry issues.

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Make the next call useful

1. Write down the person, date, confirmation number, and next deadline.
2. Ask what documents are missing and which substitutes are accepted.
3. Ask when to expect a decision and how to appeal or correct an error.
4. Keep applications, notices, and release paperwork in a safe place.

Key contacts

911 Emergency

988 Crisis line

211 WV local referrals

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WV PATH: wvpath.org

VERIFY CURRENT REQUIREMENTS Hours, eligibility, waitlists, phone numbers, forms, and policies can change.

This sheet is general information, not legal, medical, housing, or benefits advice.

Updates and more links: gangstagoddess.com/resources