



TRANSFORMING LIVES, STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES

Empowering Returning Citizens for a Better Tomorrow

Every year, over 600,000 individuals are released from prison in the U.S., yet more than two-thirds are rearrested within three years. Community-based reentry programs like ours reduce recidivism by addressing the unique challenges faced by returning citizens, ultimately building stronger and safer communities.

Economic Stability

Job readiness, financial literacy, and employment support

Health Care Access and Quality

Guidance for physical and mental health services..

Neighborhood and Built Environment

Assistance with housing and reintegration.

Education Access and Quality

Vocational training and continuing education opportunities.

Social and Community Contexts

Building support networks and community relationships.

Our Mission

Community Empowerment Services, Inc. (CES) empowers male and female returning citizens with the skills to achieve self-sufficiency and improve their lives. Through education, training, life skills, and support services, we align our work to address criminogenic needs and the Social Determinants of Health outlined by the CDC.