

## **The Wisconsin Resource Center**

The Wisconsin Resource Center (WRC), located near Oshkosh, Wisconsin, is a Department of Health Services medium-security facility, providing individualized care for inmates transferred from the Department of Corrections medium and maximum-security institutions. We provide specialized mental health treatment, rehabilitation, training, and supervision to inmates serving criminal sentences. These individuals have been transferred to the Wisconsin Resource Center because their behavior poses problems to themselves or others in correctional environments where appropriate treatment may not be available.

WRC evaluates and treats male and female prison inmates in separate treatment facilities.

Mental health care at WRC is an interdisciplinary process; a wide variety of disciplines collaborate to provide high-quality care for every individual.

Our treatment program integrates custody staff, psychiatry, nursing, psychology, social work, recreation therapy, and teachers to provide treatment with a cognitive behavioral focus.

## **History**

Since WRC began operation in January of 1983, it has been at the forefront in the development of innovative treatment methods for special-needs inmates. The creation of programs to control and modify behavior has enabled WRC to place difficult-to-manage inmates on general population units. Disciplinary committee procedures and dispositions have been customized to coordinate the control, discipline, and treatment functions of the institution.

Since its inception, WRC has been the primary institution that has provided commitment evaluations for prison inmates and follow-through with psychiatric treatment.

## **Wisconsin Women's Resource Center (WWRC)**

In September of 2011, the Wisconsin Women's Resource Center was established at WRC to improve the mental health care and treatment provided to female inmates. This project was collaboration between the Wisconsin Women's Correction System and WRC. This facility addresses critical unmet needs assessed by the Department of Corrections.

WRC can house 344 male offenders and WWRC can house 41 female offenders.

## **Leadership**

The Office of Director at WRC is a partnership between the Director and Deputy Director. At WRC, we work with a strong management team to lead, coordinate, and support our overall effort to do the best possible job of treating our special populations. Teamwork and partnership are necessary at WRC due to the organizational context in which we operate.



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**Wisconsin Resource Center**  
is administered by  
**Department of Health Services**  
in partnership with  
Department of Corrections

## Mission Statement

WRC engages and treats individuals with severe and persistent mental health needs within a secure setting to enhance public safety, promote healing, and support personal recovery.

The State of Wisconsin offers interesting jobs, excellent benefits and many advancement opportunities!

## Employment at WRC

WRC's greatest strength is our talented and well-trained staff.

WRC trains all staff in inmate management and other operational and safety-related practices. Beginning in 1986, unit staff was trained to use Rapid Intense Specific Competencies techniques. Over time, the training evolved to employ the current Principles of Subject Control (POSC).

Wisconsin Resource Center is an equal opportunity employer. Our facility is staffed with the following positions:

Barber  
Building and Grounds Superintendent  
Chaplain  
Clinical Coordinator  
Correctional Officer  
Correctional Sergeant

Corrections Administrative Specialist Confidential  
Corrections Food Service Leader 2  
Corrections Program Supervisor  
Corrections Sentencing Associate - Sr  
Dental Hygienist  
Dentist  
Deputy Institution Superintendent  
DHS Security Director  
Dietitian - Clinical  
Director of Nursing  
Education Director  
Electrician  
Electronics Security Technician - Sr  
Facility Repair Worker Advanced  
Financial Program Supervisor  
Food Service Supervisor  
Food Service Manager  
Health Information Supervisor  
Human Resources Assistant - Advanced  
Human Services Program Coordinator  
HVAC Refrigeration Specialist - Advanced  
Institution Complaint Examiner  
Institution Human Resources Director - Advanced  
Institution Superintendent  
Institution Unit Supervisor  
IS Comprehensive Services - Sr  
Librarian  
Library Services Assistant  
Library Services Assistant - Sr  
Medical Director  
MIS Shared Services  
Nurse Clinician 2  
Nurse Clinician 4  
Nursing Specialist  
Nursing Supervisor  
Offender Records Associate  
Offender Records Supervisor  
Office Associate  
Office Operations Associate  
Painter

Payroll and Benefits Specialist  
Payroll and Benefits Specialist - Advanced  
Pharmacist  
Pharmacy Technician  
Physician  
Physician Supervisor  
Plumber  
Program and Policy Analyst - Advanced Management  
Program Assistant - Advanced Confidential  
Program Assistant Confidential  
Psychiatric Care Supervisor  
Psychiatric Care Technician - Advanced  
Psychiatrist  
Psychiatrist Management  
Psychologist Supervisor/Clinical Director  
Psychologist Licensed  
Psychological Associate  
Purchasing Agent  
Recreation Leader  
Secretary Confidential  
Social Services Director  
Social Worker - Advanced  
Social Worker - Clinical  
Social Worker - Sr  
Supervising Officer – DHS  
Supervising Officer - 2  
Teacher  
Therapist  
Therapist - Sr  
Therapist Supervisor  
Training Officer  
Training Supervisor  
Treatment Specialist 2

For job opportunities, see:  
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