

## COUNSELING & REFERRAL SERVICES\*

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- ✚ Cognitive Behavior Therapy
- ✚ Victimology & Restorative Justice
- ✚ Basic Education/Hi-Set Prep
- ✚ Chemical Dependency
- ✚ Mental Health
- ✚ Advanced Living Skills
- ✚ Class room and “Hands On” Skills Training
- ✚ Job Search Skills Training

\* In addition to standard programming Booters may be assigned to special, individualized programs based on recommendations of TSCTC staff, local assessment or needs identified while assigned to the AfterCare Component.

Booters are expected to build upon their CTC experience and are tasked with continuing the personal change process using CTC skills & discipline.



Great Falls Transition Center

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Congratulations

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Welcome to the TSCTC  
AfterCare Program!

**B**y completing your 90 to 120 days of drill, physical training, education & counseling groups, *AND* the hardest labor you've *EVER* endured you have succeeded in taking the first steps to put your life back on track. You were referred to the AfterCare Program because of your hard work and we want you to continue what you started at TSCTC. Through your actions you have shown the "Courage" – now it is time for the "Commitment."

The dedicated staff at TSCTC has been instrumental in helping you remove the bad elements from your life. Gone are the booze, drugs, negative attitudes and destructive behaviors ... replaced by *Accountability, Discipline, Integrity, Responsibility, Teamwork* and the desire to do that which is *RIGHT* – simply because it is right thing to do.

As a "Booter" in the TSCTC AfterCare Program you will learn to apply these and other CTC skills to "Real-life situations. It will not be easy, change seldom is, but as those who came before you can attest – the program works for those who choose to work at it.

## The AfterCare Program

**B**ooters are expected to maintain a productive week based on a minimum of five, eight hour days of approved spot jobs (paid work) or community service. Individual treatment, educational, vocational, physical training programs and release planning are also a vital part of your transition plan.

AfterCare is designed to be a short term (90 to 120 days) program but your actual length of stay will be determined by multiple factors such as court-ordered mandates, your

individualized progress and the release method itself. Your release plan will be the result of a collaborative effort of TSCTC, AfterCare, Probation & Parole staff and the people who provide your best support and recovery environment. You are not in this alone -- rest assured that everyone within the scope of the TSCTC experience is working towards your success. Be patient, and be on guard for old behaviors – your journey to the next level will be determined by your intensity, drive, personal motivation and daily success in applying your TSCTC tools.

You will begin in the Orientation Phase, a period of seven days for Center and community orientation, administrative processing and if required, specialized evaluation by AfterCare staff or referral process. During Orientation you will not be allowed phone, visitation or television privileges. This is the time to learn the rules and become acclimatized to the facility and your new surroundings.

AfterCare Phase One is the formal programming phase. You will be assigned to one of four squads and enrolled in Cognitive Principles & Restructuring (Intermediate), Victimology, Affirmations Group, chemical dependency education and guided interaction groups in addition to your daily work/community service assignments. AfterCare is not a work release program but productivity is a vital component. Most Booters leave the program with ample funds to get a new start in their new life but this is a benefit of and not the focus of the program.

Release planning & processing will be conducted in AfterCare Phase One.

AfterCare Phase Two is comprised of Booters who have completed formal programming and are pending release to their community plan. They continue to meet productivity requirements to earn privileges and are instrumental in mentoring newly reporting Booters.

## About the Center

**T**he Great Falls Transition Center is a 200+ bed minimum security correctional facility located in the heart of Great Falls, MT. The facility is residential in nature, housing non-dangerous, adult male and female felons in a variety of community-based correctional programs.

The AfterCare Program shares this facility with residents of State & Federal Pre-Release Programs as well as other sanctioning programs for local jurisdictions however no contact is allowed between Booters and residents of any other program.

## AfterCare Staff

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