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LMDC Data from 2015

- Annual bookings: 32,201
- Average daily bookings: 89
- Average daily in-bed population: 1,787
- Average length of stay: 20 days
- Cost to house per day:\$76



Poll Question

In 2006, the US Department of Justice's Bureau of Justice Statistics issued an extensive report on mental illness in American jails and prisons. According to the findings of this report, what do you think is the percentage of all people incarcerated in a local jail that have at least one mental health issue?

- A. 20-25%
- B. 30-35%
- C. 60-65%
- D. 80-85%

Familiar Faces









Homelessness and Serious Mental Illness

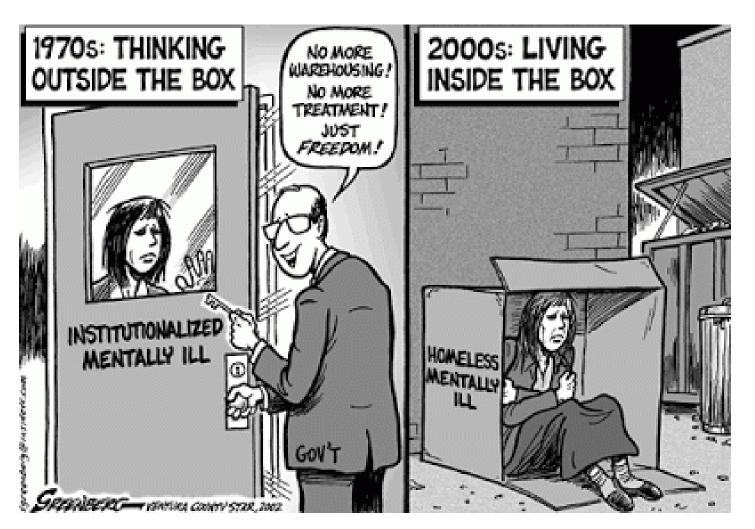
- According to the US Department of Housing and Urban Development's June 2010 Annual Homeless Assessment Report to Congress (2010 AHAR), on a given night in January 2010:
- **26.2%** of all sheltered persons who were homeless had a severe mental illness
- **34.7**% of all sheltered adults who were homeless had chronic substance use issues

Homeless and Mentally Ill

• The number of mentally ill homeless in the U.S significantly increased during the last half of the 20th century.

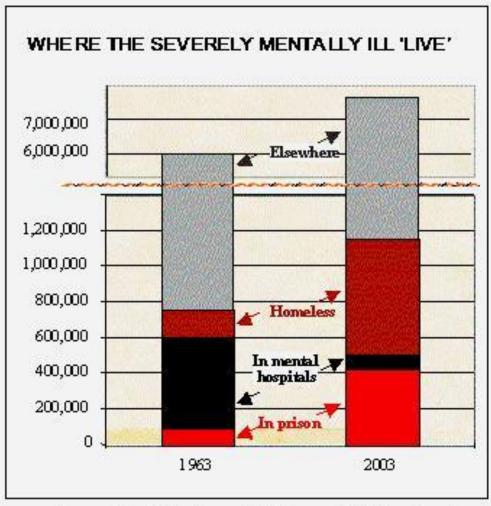
• This increase can be directly attributed to America's psychiatric service policy changes away from mental hospitals toward community service.

Policy Shift



From Hospitals to Prisons and

Homelessness

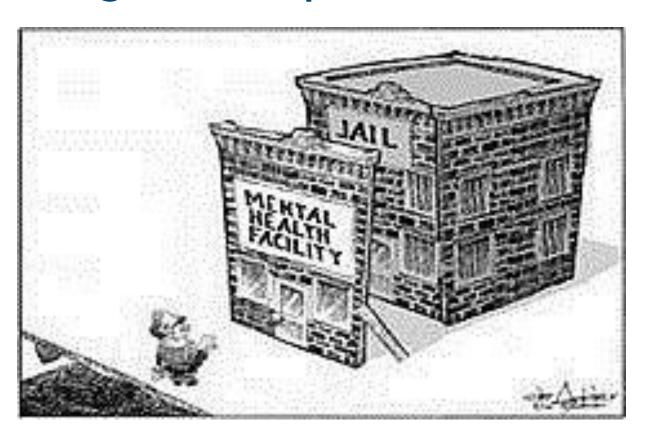


Sources: New York Times, PBS, National Coalition for the Homeless, Human Rights Watch

The Plan



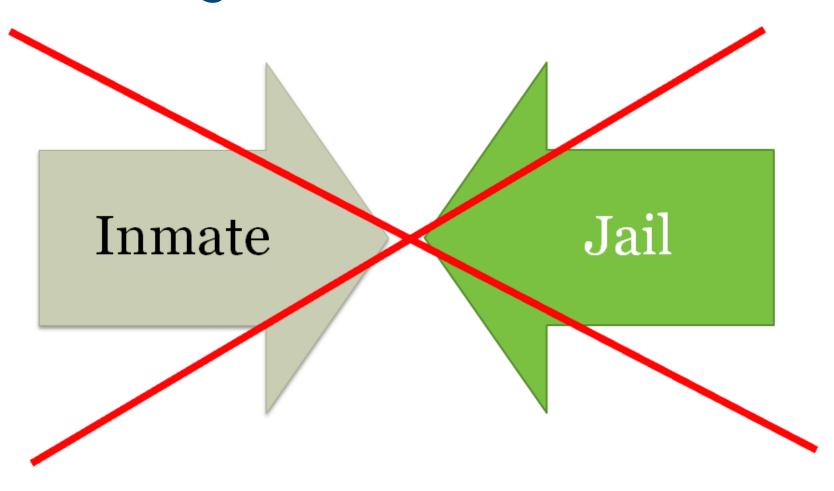
Surrogate Hospitals



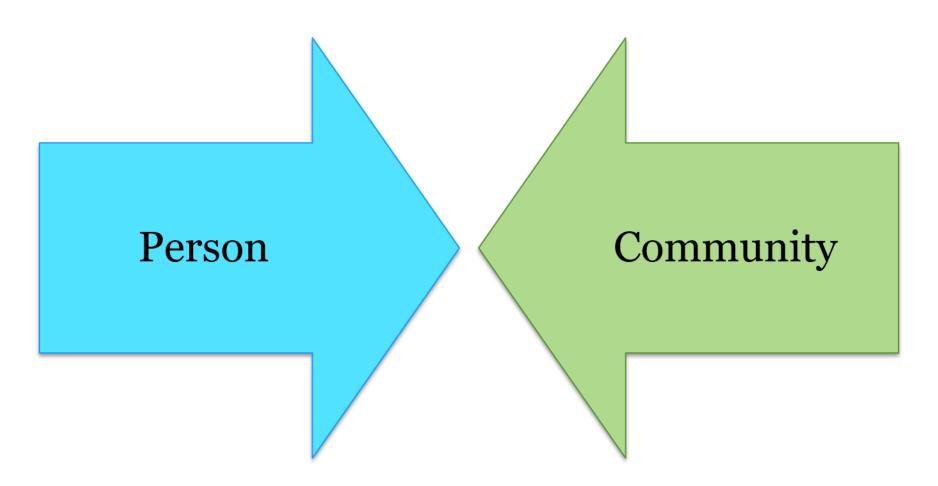
The Reality of the Familiar Face



Reducing Recidivist Outcomes



Desired Connection



Release



Benefits

Prevent return to Linkage to resources homelessness Discharge **Planning** Investment in human Maintain gains potential

Discharge Planning/Basics

- Medication
- Backpack
- Hygiene Items
- Clothing
 - Underwear/Socks
 - Season Appropriate
 - Footwear
- Shelter/Housing

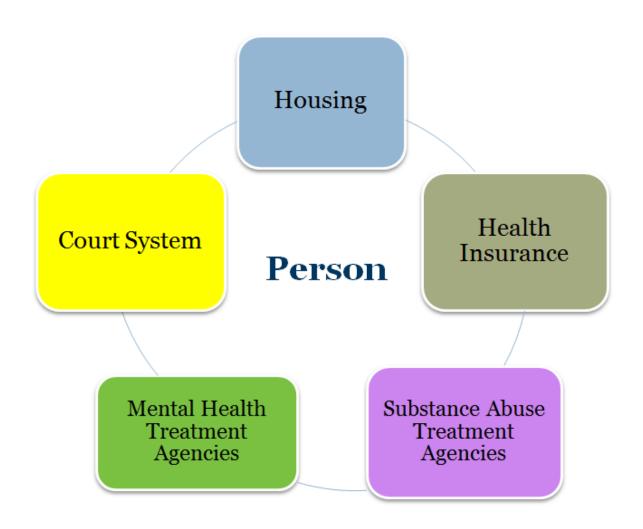
- SSI/SSDI benefits
- Health Insurance
- Public Transportation
- State ID
- Resource Handbooks



Partners

- Contracted Inmate Healthcare Provider
- Shelters/Transitional Housing
- Recovery/Treatment Programs
- The Judicial System
- Community Reentry Organizations
- Community Mental Health Providers

What it Needs to Look Like



Questions/Comments



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