Ex-Offenders and Re-Entry Success

Putting the Bars Behind You Survival Guides
Nine engaging and cost-Effective books provide practical strategies for making it in the free world. SPECIALS: 1 set for $75.95; 10 sets for $729.95; 100 sets for $6,899.95.

- The 99 Days to Re-Entry Success Journal ($4.95)
- The Ex-Offender’s 30/30 Job Solution ($9.95)
- The Ex-Offender’s Quick Job Hunting Guide ($9.95)
- The Ex-Offender’s Re-Entry Success Guide ($9.95)
- Interview Skills Survival Guide for Ex-Offenders ($12.95)
- Job Search Survival Guide for Ex-Offenders ($12.95)
- Quick Job Search for Ex-Offenders ($7.95)
- Unemployed, But Moving On! ($13.95)

Ex-Offender Recovery and Re-Entry Success Guides
Ned Rollo and Ron Krannich
Make sure your resource center includes these four ex-offender recovery and re-entry guides written by two of America’s leading correctional educators. Widely used in correctional institutions and community re-entry programs as key books for changing lives. Can purchase separately. SPECIAL $33.95 for all four books. Discounts on each title can be found online at www.impactpublications.com.

- 99 Days and a Get Up ($9.95)
- Man, I Need a Job! ($7.95)
- Life Without a Crutch ($7.95)
- The Ex-Offender’s Job Interview Guide ($9.95)

From Parole to Payroll: A Process of Persistence
Our most popular ex-offender series! The three DVDs, each running 25 minutes, contain solid, real-world content designed to help ex-offenders find satisfying work. Features informative interviews, helpful tips, and colorful graphics. English with English-language subtitles. 2008. $99.95 each. $299.85 for the set and workbook.

- Finding a Job
- Resumes and Job Applications
- The Job Interview

Countdown to Freedom: Ex-Offender Re-Entry and Re-Integration
One of our most popular ex-offender re-entry programs. This six-part DVD series takes offenders step-by-step through the transition process. Includes candid interviews with professionals and ex-offenders on what to expect. Ex-offenders learn what actions they must take, how to prevent relapse and overcome barriers, and much more. Available in either men’s or women’s versions (we automatically ship the men’s version unless specified otherwise). Each program runs 15-25 minutes. 2007. $695.00

Living Free
Addresses the many challenges facing ex-offenders through the eyes of four ex-offenders who share their stories on their first experiences after release. They explain how they overcame barriers, such as finding employment, and how they dealt with the pressures of society. They also stress the importance of developing positive relationships, the role family plays in their lives, and the many things they’ve done to turn their lives around. 31 minutes. 2006. $149.00

Expert Job Search Strategies for the Ex-Offender
Three DVDs assist ex-offenders in preparing for the most critical steps in the job search and career planning processes. They cover everything from putting together a powerful resume and preparing for the job interview to dressing properly and deciding what you want to do with the rest of your life. 2007. $149.00 each. SPECIAL: $399.00 for all three programs.

- Career Plans and Goals
- Interview Techniques
- Resume Realities

Goin’ Home: The Series
Delbert Boone takes a group of offenders through the process of being honest about their life and future. They talk about where their choices have taken them and how to empower themselves to understand what they must do to avoid returning to a life of addiction, crime, and incarceration. Includes engaging visuals and music. 33 minutes each, 2007. Can purchase each program (DVD) separately for $200.00. Taking a Look at You, Empowering Yourself, The Deception of Addiction, The Rules of the Game, Giving Up the Game, The Art of Mainstreaming. $995.00 for series.

Assignment: Re-Entry
Filmed in a correctional facility, popular motivational guru Michael Johnson explains the street-level realities of being released and ostensibly free. He stresses the importance of setting goals and developing a re-entry plan. He addresses false expectations, personal limitations, and other issues affecting successful re-entry. The program encourages taking notes and completing many weeks of intense writing and self-discovery-key actions for developing an effective re-entry plan. A powerful therapeutic tool for re-entry success! 2008. $250.00

Parole: Getting Out and Staying Out
This program follows paroled prisoners as they re-enter civilian life and face challenges both large and small. Provides an eye-opening look at the typical parolee’s struggle to find work, stay away from drugs and former friends, and maintain a positive attitude about the future. 16 minutes. 2006. $69.95

Breaking and Entering...Into a Better Life
Ex-offenders need to work on their attitudes and nonverbal behaviors, which can be major barriers to finding and keeping a job. This program includes many succinct scenes demonstrating how attitude can lead to success or failure in the outside world. Each scene is followed by questions and discussion. Includes copy-ready sheets of student class activities. 2007. $199.95

Ex-Offender’s Guide to Job Fair Success
A job fair is one of the most effective methods ex-offenders can use for developing face-to-face contacts and finding employment. This program helps ex-offenders make the most of a job fair. Topics include: Preparing for the job fair; how to present yourself and what to bring with you; questions you’ll need to be able to answer; networking tips; and advice from employers. Includes online instructor’s guide (see www.impactpublications.com). 2007. $129.00

From Prison to Home
This bestselling documentary traces the experiences of four black ex-inmates over the course of a year, focusing on their challenges with employment, housing, addition, and reconnecting with family— as well as their participation in the nontraditional African American Program for parolees. Richard, a 36-year-old crack addict, spent 12 years in and out of the system. Arthur, 45, was arrested 13 times. Calvin, 49, served 18 months for drug possession and burglary. And 37-year-old Randy, emerging for the first time after a 16-year murder sentence, is intent on going to college. Includes interviews with their parole officers. 47 minutes. 2007. $169.95

Ex-Offenders CAN Ace the Interview
One of our most popular programs for ex-offenders—“must have” for all correctional and re-entry programs. Engaging and easy to relate to, this program illustrates the right and wrong ways to approach a job interview. Featuring two young ex-offenders going through the interview process, the program shows how ex-offenders can successfully demonstrate evidence of their rehabilitation. Also examines difficult questions frequently asked by employers. 20 minutes. 2004. $139.00

The Re-Entry Trap: Strategies for Successful Re-Entry
Addresses successful strategies for re-entry into the community by focusing on life-style changes, and emphasizing the importance of having a strong support system to help avoid the traps of falling back into one’s old lifestyle of alcohol, drugs, and crime. Emphasizes the importance of setting goals and staying focused on such basic needs as food, shelter, clothing, and transportation. 55 minutes. 2004. $250.00

Putting the Bars Behind You (Revised Edition)
This bestselling program addresses the many challenges facing ex-offenders in finding jobs. Outlines the two most effective job search strategies and explains how ex-offenders can discuss their incarceration with prospective employers. 24 minutes. $99.00

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Interview Skills Survival Training Program for Ex-Offenders
This training package helps ex-offenders ace the critical job interview. Designed for the non-professional trainer — corrections staff, probation and parole officers, case managers, and others who provide job search counseling and advice to difficult-to-place job seekers. Includes a 20-minute DVD (Ex-Offenders CAN Ace the Interview), facilitator’s guide, 10 copies of the participant workbook/toolkit, overheads, and reproducible pre- and post-assessment handouts. Complete package for $399.95. Can purchase the DVD separately for $139.00.

Housing First: The Pathways Model to End Homelessness
This step-by-step manual with DVD provides a solid foundation for introducing the evidence-based Housing First approach — provide housing first, followed by supportive treatment services — into new locations. Provides easy-to-follow tools and tips for implementing the Pathways Model to End Homelessness. The DVD illustrates the concepts presented in the manual, offering client success stories, helpful tips, and model teams in action. 2010. $265.00

Youth Corrections DVD Series
This 6-part DVD series addresses the challenges facing today’s youth and empowers them to make better decisions. Features the insights of former inmates, teachers, counselors, and people working in the juvenile justice system. Shows how youth can build support networks, live healthy, and achieve success in school and in life. Available in two versions — men and women (please specify). $129.00 each. SPECIAL: $695.00 for all 6 DVDs.

Power Source DVD Series
This popular 4-DVD series shows at-risk youth how to better understand their lives and deal with issues leading to high-risk behavior:
- Risk-Taking: Life on the Edge
- Meditation: It’s Not What You Think
- Families: Where We Come From
- Lost Childhoods and Entitlement: Dealing With Unfairness in Life

Designed for both groups and individuals. $75.00 each. SPECIAL: $289.00 for the set of four programs.

Stop Recidivism, Now!
Three popular programs assist ex-offenders in finding jobs and staying out of prison for good. Jam-packed with practical information, true stories, and tips for success: 9 to 5 Beats Ten to Life, Out for Good, and Tough Questions, Straight Answers. Each program runs 28-40 minutes. $95.00 each. SPECIAL: $275.00 for all three DVDs.

Starting Fresh With a Troubled Background
This 3-part series is ideal for ex-offenders and others with troubled backgrounds. Each program shows how to overcome the many obstacles in finding a job, from organizing and implementing each step of the job search to writing honest resumes and letters and disclosing a criminal past during interviews. 18-20 minutes each. 2007. Can purchase separately: $108.00 each. $299.95 for all three DVDs.

How You Got Here: Reflections on a Lost Childhood
Michael Johnson exposes the lost piece in recovery — our lost childhood. Explains how ex-offenders became addicted to drugs and have problems with personal relationships and criminal behavior. Tackles issues that must be addressed in order to begin and succeed in any re-entry or 12-Step program. Reveals the secrets of healing, forgiveness, and love. Viewers learn the importance of family and forgiveness. 50 minutes. 2008. $250.00

Overcoming Early Life Trauma: Creating a Second Chance
Dr. Nuckols addresses why early childhood neglect or abuse is a consistent finding in criminal justice offenders and chronic relapsing alcoholics and addicts. It’s associated with violent behavior, criminal activity, teenage pregnancy, becoming a perpetrator, becoming a victim of trauma, psychiatric disorders, and substance abuse. He outlines proven strategies for overcoming the past and creating a second chance. 61 minutes. $250.00

From Prison to Paycheck DVDs
Make sure your resource center includes these eight outstanding DVD programs. Ideal for communicating job search and job keeping basics, finding employers and completing applications to preparing for interviews, answering questions properly, and handling the first few weeks on the job. 20 to 30 minutes each. Can be purchased separately.

SPECIAL: $999.00 for all 8 DVDs.
- Barriers to Employment Success ($149.00)
- The Complete Job Application ($99.00)
- Living Free ($149.00)
- The Very Quick Job Search ($149.00)
- Putting the Bars Behind You ($99.00)
- Good First Impression ($149.00)
- Why Should I Hire You? ($99.00)
- You’re Fired! ($149.00)

Back in the World Series
This 3-part series examines prison-based work and learning programs (Inside Opportunities); explores housing, food, and employment needs after release (After Prison); and emotional challenges of family and friends (Post-Prison Blues). 25 to 31 minutes each. $129.00 each. SPECIAL: $330.00 for complete 3-DVD series.

Why Bother? Finding the Will to Go On
Offenders’ reactions to the correctional experience typically include terror, isolation, alienation, hostility, acute depression, emotional instability, and the ultimate soul-killer, hopelessness. So how can they keep hope alive when they seem to face a hopeless situation? Why go on, why try, why care, why hope, why change? The message of this powerful motivational program, presented by noted ex-offender Ned Rollo, is very clear: Life is worth living when you have hopes and dreams to pursue. A “must have” DVD for all correctional institutions and others concerned with changing the lives of inmates, including long-timers and lifers who need a new purpose in life. Includes a discussion guide. 28 minutes. 2005. $119.95

In Their Own Words
This program helps keep ex-inmates motivated for success after release. Ten ex-inmates share their job experiences in this informative “must-see” DVD. Includes an Instructor’s Guide. 50 minutes. $229.00

Making the Right Choices: Successful Re-Entry Strategies
Filmed inside of a correctional facility, Michael Johnson addresses the re-entry struggles faced by many offenders when they return to their old neighborhood and friends. Emphasizes the importance of accepting responsibility for one’s actions, developing humility, and becoming accountable. Offers successful strategies for transitioning back into the community. 51 minutes. $250.00

9 to 5 Beats Ten to Life
This popular DVD shows what ex-offenders need to do to find a job. Divided into 15 learning segments, it addresses important pre-release planning issues: where to write for required documents, how to develop an employment portfolio, where and how to access useful community resources, and how to deal with difficult questions about one’s background. 40 minutes. $95.00

After Prison
Focuses on basic human needs for food, shelter, and employment. Where can ex-offenders find housing and jobs? Where can they find extra emotional strength during those first few months? Inmates answer questions such as: when to begin offenders find housing and jobs? Where can they find extra emotional strength during those first few months? Inmates answer questions such as: when to begin

From Prison to Paycheck DVDs
- Mental Preparation
- Resumes and Cover Letters
- Your First Weeks Out
- Staying Out - for Good
- Planning Your Job Search
- Getting Ready for Release
- The Job Interview
- Dealing With THE Question

Jam-packed with practical tips and techniques, this program blends serious conversation with humor. Extremely role playing and ex-inmate interviews. Produced and narrated by ex-inmate, author, and trainer to correctional professionals, Errol Craig Sull. Includes a detailed Instructor’s Guide and numerous copy-ready handouts. 30 minutes. $999.95

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