



**Division of Criminal
Justice Services**



University Center for Academic
and Workforce Development

**Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives
and
SUNY University Center for Academic and Workforce
Development**

**EOC and ATTAIN Lab Resource Webinar
(Westchester, New York City, and Long Island)**

June 24, 2021

Welcome Remarks

- Robert MacCarone, Deputy Commissioner and Director, NYS DCJS Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives
- Ana Bermudez, Commissioner, New York City Probation Department
- Dr. John Graham, Senior Advisor to the Chancellor and Student Advocate, SUNY
- Ms. Lisa McKay, Associate Provost & Director, SUNY



Presenters

NYS DCJS Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives

- **Frank Cangiano, Community Correction Representative 2**
- **Melinda Vick, Community Correction Representative 2**
- **Taylor Alfred, Community Correction Representative 2**

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- **Alisa Elwin, ATTAIN Statewide Coordinator, SUNY**
- **Ronnie Hector, Executive Director, Bronx EOC**
- **Carmel Urbaez, Director of Operations, Manhattan EOC**
- **Ashtin Audain, Coordinator for Intake Services, John Jay College Institute for Justice and Opportunity**
- **Donna Holloway, Director of Enrollment & Student Services, Brooklyn EOC**
- **Bobby Gates, College Connections Initiative Advisor, North Bronx Career Counseling and Outreach Center**
- **Darleyne Mayers, Associate Director of Student & Community Engagement, Long Island EOC**
- **Brian Williams, Director of Student Support Services, Queens EOC**
- **Kevin Bailey, Program Specialist, Westchester EOC**



Today's Highlights

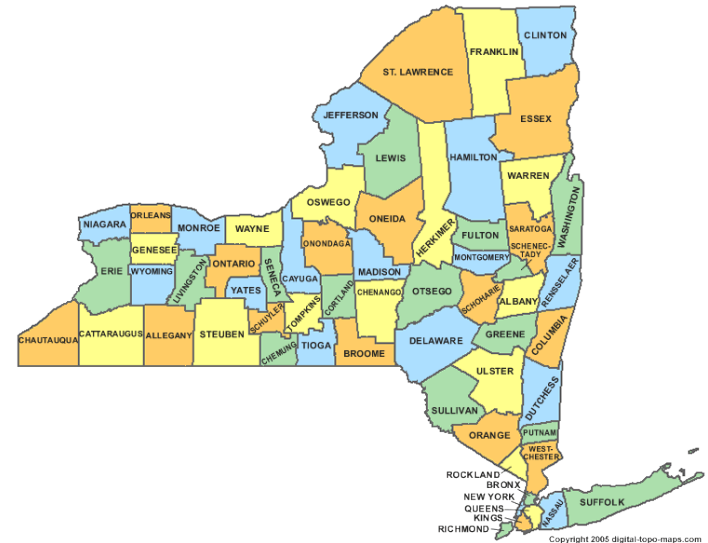
1. Overview of targeted audience
2. SUNY University Center for Academic and Workforce Development Partners
3. Description of the Educational Opportunity Centers (EOC) and Advanced Technology Training And Information Networking (ATTAIN) Labs in Westchester, New York City, and Long Island
4. Student testimonials and staff presentations
5. Questions



The NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives

DCJS - OPCA

- Has regulatory authority over New York's 58 probation departments (57 county based and NYC)
- Exercises general supervision over the use of correctional alternative programs throughout the State



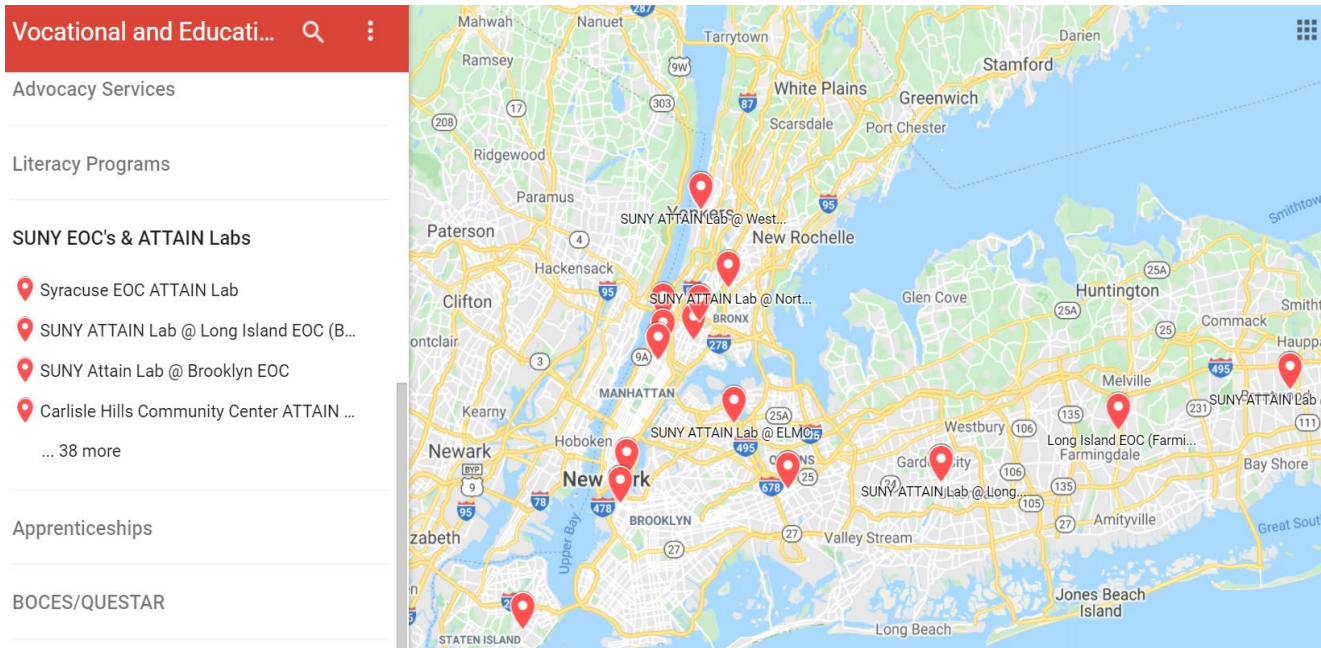
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Community Corrections Portfolio

- DCJS oversees and funds multiple probation departments and programs in the Westchester, New York City, Long Island and contiguous counties:
 - 6 Probation Departments including the NYC Probation Department
 - 8 County Re-Entry Task Forces
 - 48 Alternatives to Incarceration and Jail-Based Programs
 - 5 Employment Focused Services Programs



RESOURCE MAP



- Google Maps Interface
- Web-based

https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1VBOkaGoOKpISLXGZno0m5dL_33JrGAAL&usp=sharing



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Resource Map: Layers

ACCES-VR

BOCES/Questar

DOL Career Centers

Job Corps

YouthBuild

Conflict Resolution

Advocacy Services

Literacy Programs

SUNY EOC's & ATTAIN Labs

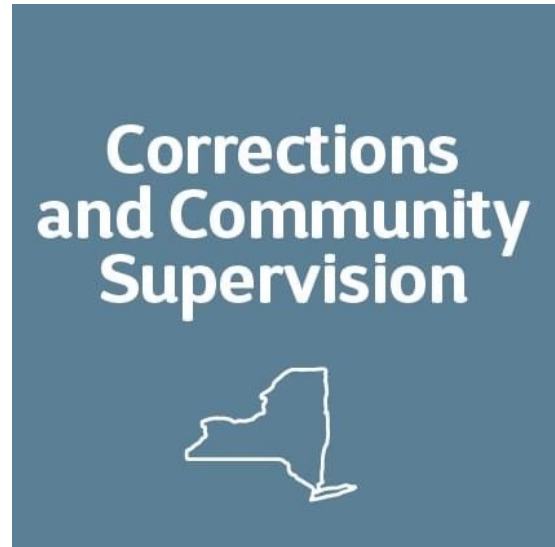
Apprenticeships



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The NYS Department of Corrections and Community Supervision (DOCCS)

- DOCCS is responsible for the confinement and rehabilitation of approximately 38,000 individuals under custody held at 52 state facilities and the supervision of over 35,000 parolees throughout seven regional offices statewide.



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EOC/ATTAIN Partners

- Our statewide network of EOCs, Outreach Centers and ATTAIN Labs partner with many local organizations including:
 - Probation Departments
 - NYS Department of Corrections and Community Supervision
 - Social Services
 - Workforce Centers
 - NYS Department of Labor
 - Local businesses and non-profits
 - Local educational facilities
 - Substance Abuse agencies

*SUNY UCAWD has the ability to report on participant attendance, progress, and usage.



Alisa Elwin

ATTAIN Statewide Coordinator

SUNY University Center for Academic
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In 2001, the EOC institutions expanded with the creation of the ATTAIN (Advanced Technology Training And Information Network) Project Initiative. A total of 35-ATTAIN Labs were established statewide to provide digital parity and access to the internet for New York State's underserved urban and rural communities.



14 Community Based Organization ATTAIN Labs

Bronx	Manhattan		Queens	Long Island	Staten Island	Brooklyn
Martin Luther King	Drew Hamilton	GMHC	Elmcor ATTAIN	Brentwood (Suffolk)	Berry Houses	St. John's Place
North Bronx Career Counseling and Outreach Center	The Armory Foundation	Henry Street Settlement	Far Rockaway Community Center	Hempstead (Nassau)		Betty Shabazz
	Polo Grounds Community Center					

6 EOC ATTAIN Labs

Manhattan	Queens	Long Island	Brooklyn	Bronx	Westchester
Manhattan EOC	Queens EOC	Long Island EOC	Brooklyn EOC	Bronx EOC	Westchester EOC



Microsoft Certifications & Intuit

Microsoft Office Specialist	Microsoft Technology Associate	QuickBooks
Word	MS Azure Fundamentals	Desktop (version less)
Word Expert	MS Azure AI Fundamentals	Online
Excel	MS Azure Data Fundamentals	
Excel Expert	MS Azure Power Platform Fundamentals	
PowerPoint	Microsoft 365 Fundamentals	
Outlook		
Access		
Associate Certification		
Master Certification		



Career and College Readiness



MICROSOFT TRAINING FROM BASICS TO CERTIFICATIONS

ACADEMIC TRAINING FROM ELEMENTARY SKILL LEVELS TO TASC
PREPARATION


HELP WITH PREPARING RESUMES, COVER LETTERS, AND JOB APPLICATIONS


AND MANY OTHER SUPPORTIVE TRAININGS TO PREPARE PEOPLE FOR WORK
AND COLLEGE ...





Academics

AZTEC Software: Adult Basic Education - Courseware for all academic levels, whether working towards TASC or getting ready for college entry.

FUNDAMENTALS		
		
	GLE 0.5 – 2.9	
Academic Area	Total Lessons	Est. Hours
Foundational Reading	7	4
Reading	16	12
Language	38	17
Mathematics	34	15
Writing	13	6

FOUNDATIONS		
		
	GLE 3.0 – 5.9	
Academic Area	Total Lessons	Est. Hours
Reading	23	14
Using Language	15	10
Mathematics	35	22
Writing	15	9

BRIDGE		
		
	GLE 6.0 – 8.9	
Academic Area	Total Lessons	Est. Hours
Reading	13	13
Mathematics	78	54
Writing	24	28

TASC		
		
Academic Area	Total Lessons	Est. Hours
Reading	18	26
Mathematics	25	32
Writing	11	15
Science	4	8
Social Studies	13	19

Occupational Skills

Edmentum Software

- Career & Technical Education (CTE)
- Exploratory Courses
- 80 Semester Courses aligned to all 16 nationally recognized Career Clusters
- Users are able to explore their interests and build essential workplace skills at **their own pace.**



Insights from the Frontlines

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- Ronnie Hector, Executive Director, Bronx EOC: Barbering Program and SUNY for All
- Donna Holloway, Director of Enrollment & Student Services, Brooklyn EOC: Office Safety and Health Administration (OSHA/Construction Certification Training Program
- Darleyne Mayers, Associate Director of Student and Community Engagement, Long Island EOC: Entrepreneurship/ Green Technology
- Carmel Urbaez, Director of Operations, Manhattan EOC and Ashtin Audain, Coordinator for Intake Services, John Jay College Institute for Justice and Opportunity: HSE Connect

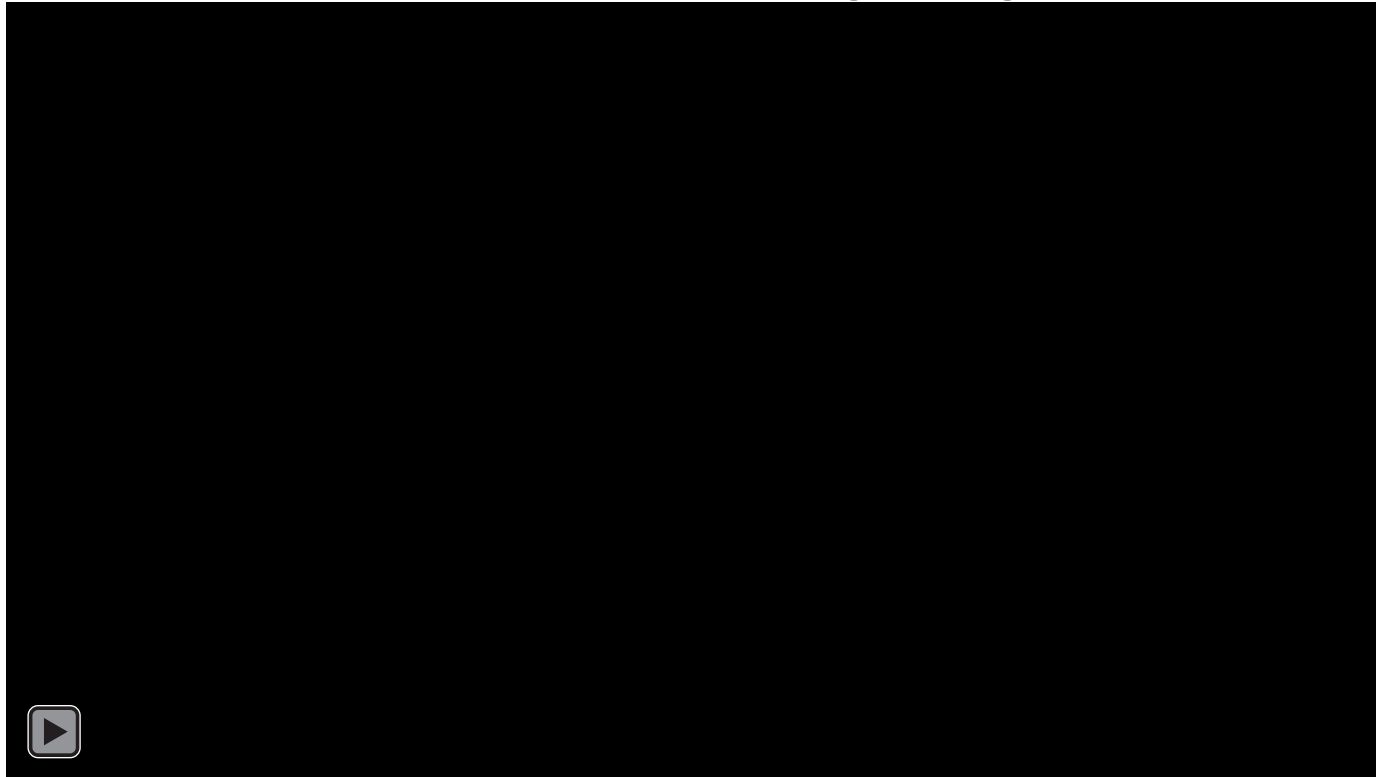


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- Brian Williams, Director of Student Support Services, Queens EOC: Certified Billing and Coding Program
- Bobby Gates, College Connections Initiative Advisor, North Bronx Career Counseling and Outreach Center
- Kevin Bailey, Program Specialist, Westchester EOC: Commercial Drivers License Program



Bronx EOC Barbering Program



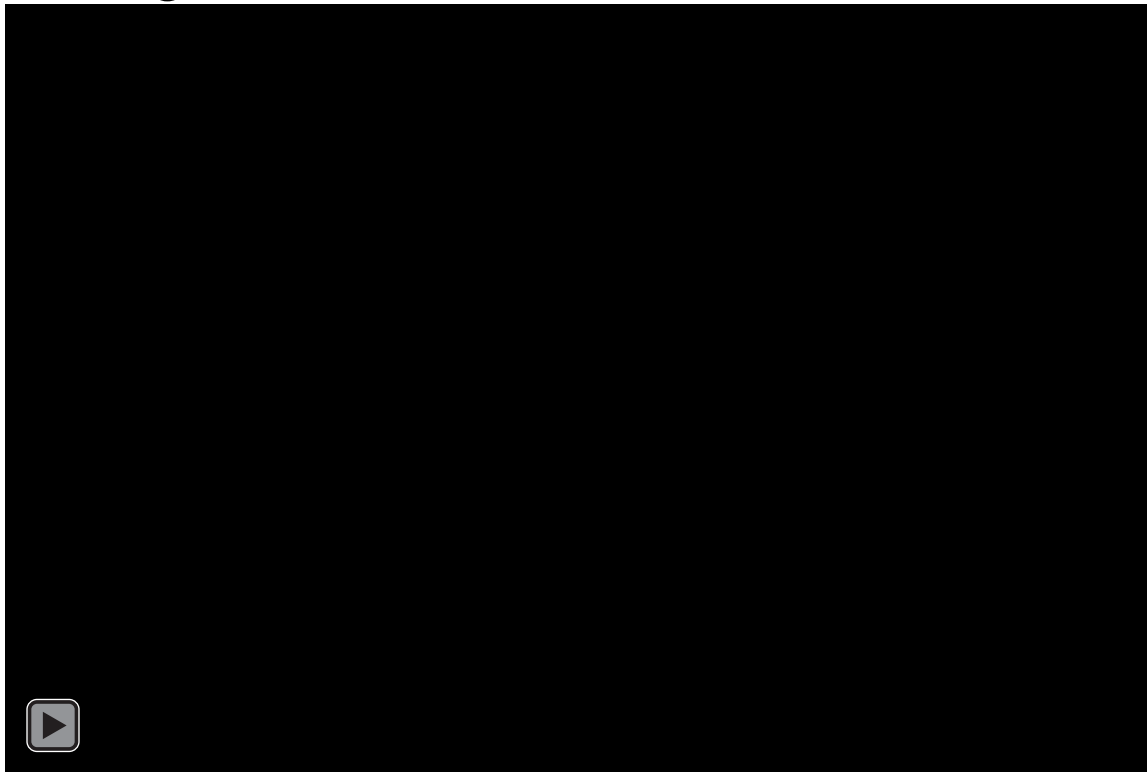
Brooklyn EOC



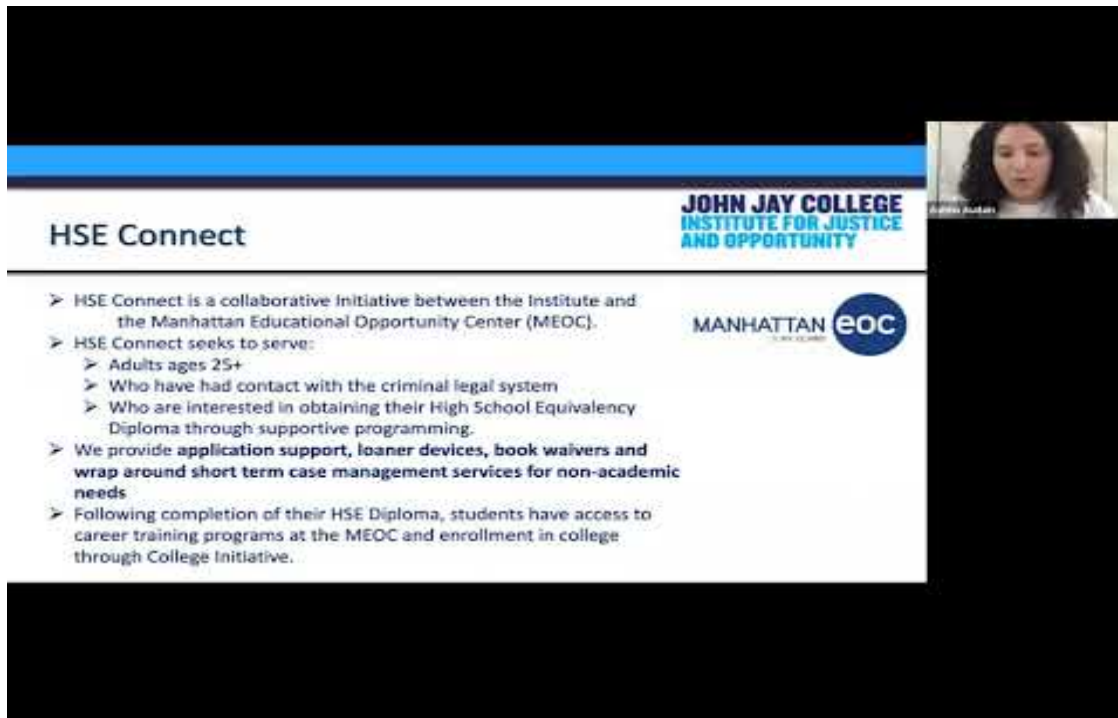
Darleyne Mayers, Associate Director of Student & Community Engagement, Long Island EOC



Long Island EOC Student Success Story



Manhattan EOC and the Institute: HSE Connect



HSE Connect

JOHN JAY COLLEGE
INSTITUTE FOR JUSTICE
AND OPPORTUNITY

MANHATTAN EOC

- HSE Connect is a collaborative initiative between the Institute and the Manhattan Educational Opportunity Center (MEOC).
- HSE Connect seeks to serve:
 - Adults ages 25+
 - Who have had contact with the criminal legal system
 - Who are interested in obtaining their High School Equivalency Diploma through supportive programming.
- We provide **application support, loaner devices, book waivers and wrap around short term case management services for non-academic needs**
- Following completion of their HSE Diploma, students have access to career training programs at the MEOC and enrollment in college through College Initiative.



Brian Williams, Director of Student Support Services Queens EOC: Billing and Coding Program



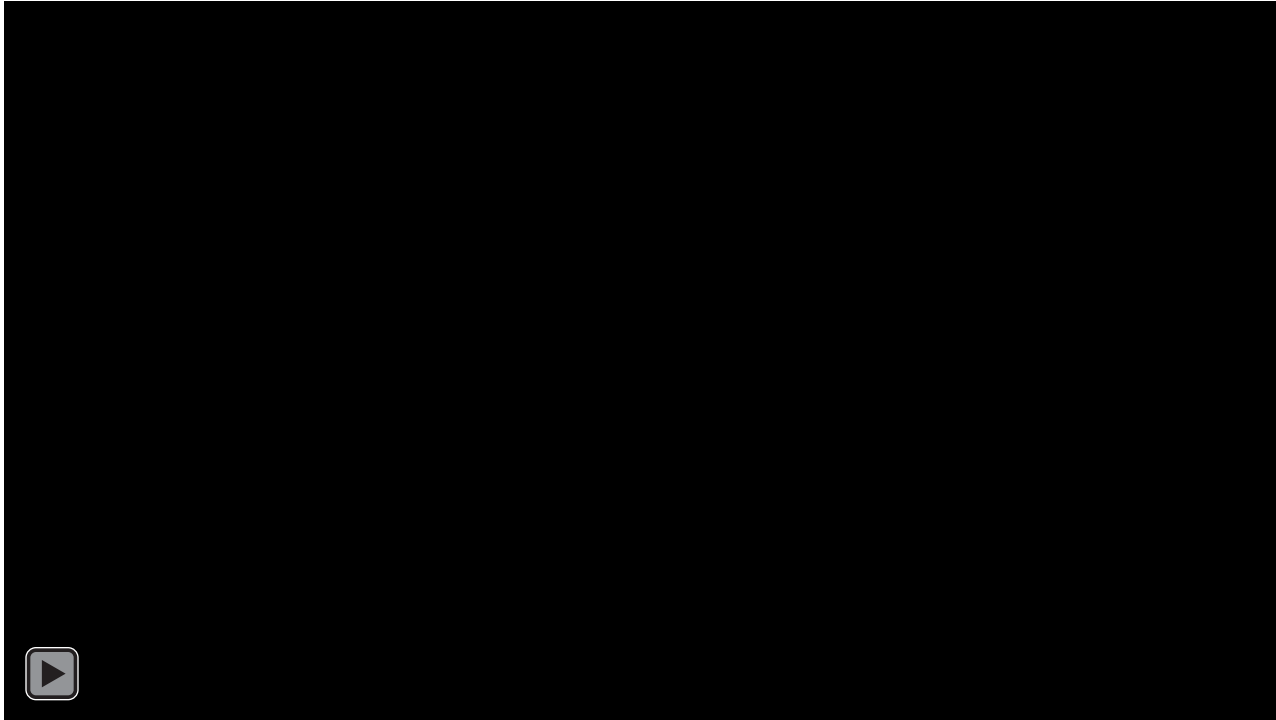
North Bronx Career Counseling and Outreach Center



North Bronx Career Counseling and Outreach Center Student Success Story



Westchester EOC





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of New York

SUNY FOR ALL



SUNY For All can help you build your skills to match the needs of a changing workforce and economy.



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SUNY Online Training Center



Wide range of short, **online skill builders** to get you started.



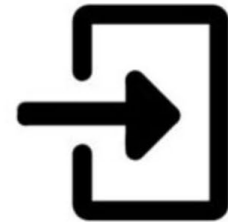
Online certification programs to advance your career.



Success coaches guide you every step of the way.



No Tuition means you finish debt-free to move on to your next goal.



Automatic enrollment at 30 SUNY community colleges, SUNY Empire, and SUNY Canton



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**Academic Courses: High School Equivalency Diploma (HSE)
College Preparation Certification
English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)**

**Workforce Development Courses: Advanced or Information Technology Short Courses
Virtual Entrepreneurship
Small Business Certification**

The first step is to connect with us. Fill out a short interest form, and we'll be in touch soon about how the SUNY Online Training Center can work for you.

*First Name

*Last Name

*Email Address

*Phone Number

*Zip Code

*What field are you interested in?

<https://www.suny.edu/sunyforall/>



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Resource Map Pathway

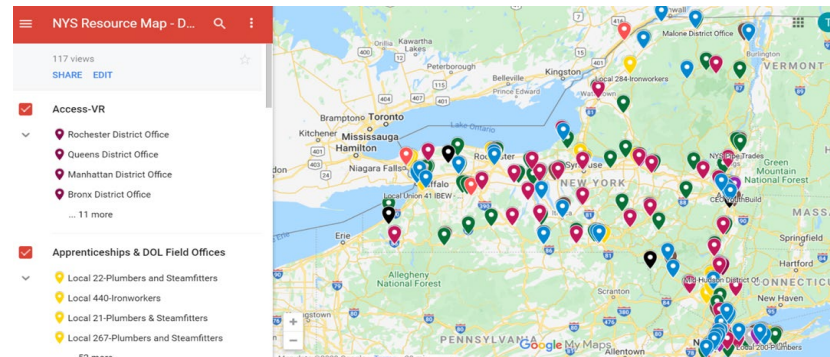
Taylor Alfred, CCR-2

Vocation/Education, Employment and Re-Entry Unit (VER) Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives

Vocational and Educational Programs in New York State -

https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1VB0kaGoOKpISLXGZno0m5dL_33JrGAL&usp=sharing

- DCJS Website
 - OPCA Page
 - Re-Entry Initiatives Page
- How to bookmark and save as a *FAVORITE*



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Questions?





**Thank you for
your participation!**



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