

Metanoia Prison Ministries' Returning Citizen Reintegration Assessment

Please read the instructions for each section carefully. Answer each question as honestly as you can. Your answers to the following questions are designed to help those aiding in your reintegration plan gain a sense of what needs you may have upon release. The following questions will not be accompanied by any judgement; rather, they are intended to make sure that the Church can support you by whatever means upon your release.

Subquestions (i.e., #a, #b, #c) are not required to be answered if the answer to the original question is "No."

Spiritual Assessment (Adapted from LifeWay Christian Resources)

Question	(Please answer the following questions in the space to the right with "Yes," "No," or "Unsure")	RESPONSE
1	Have you put your faith in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior? That is, do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?	
1a	For how long have you known and put your faith in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior? (Rough estimate)	
	<i>(Please answer Questions 3-5 in the space to the right with a numeric value)</i>	RESPONSE
2	How many times per week do you spend time reading and studying the Bible?	
3	How many times per week do you engage in a quiet/devotional time of prayer?	
4	How many times per week do you engage in corporate worship with other Christians?	
	<i>(Please use the following scale to answers Questions 6-18 in the space to the right: Never - 1 / Sometimes - 2 / Not Sure - 3 / Often - 4 / Always - 5)</i>	RESPONSE
5	I believe Jesus Christ provides the only way for a relationship with God	
6	I remain confident of God's love and provision during difficult times	
7	I can answer questions about life and faith from a biblical perspective	
8	When the Bible exposes an area of my life needing change, I respond in seeking righteous change	
9	My public and private self are the same	
10	I trust God to answer when I pray	
11	I forgive others when their actions harm me	
12	I admit my errors that I've committed and humbly seek forgiveness from the those I've hurt	
13	I seek out other Christians to hold me accountable for my spiritual growth	
14	I place the interest of others above my self-interest	
15	I confidently share my faith in Christ with non-believers	
16	I expect God to use me every day in His kingdom work	
	<i>(Please answer concisely in the space to the right)</i>	RESPONSE

17	Do you believe God has gifted you with certain spiritual gifts? If so, what are they?	
18	Do you belong to a particular Christian demonination? If so, what is it? (Note: If you are unsure, please write, "Unsure.")	

Identification

Question	<i>(Please answer the following questions in the space to the right with "Yes," "No," or "Unsure")</i>	RESPONSE
19	Will you have access to a copy of your birth certificate upon release?	
20	Will you have access to your social security card upon release?	
21	Did you have a driver's license prior to incarceration?	
21a	Will you have access to your driver's license upon release?	
22	Will you need a new driver's license upon release?	

Outstanding Warrants, Registrations, & Affiliations

Question	<i>(Please answer the following questions in the space to the right with "Yes," "No," or "Unsure")</i>	RESPONSE
23	Have you taken steps to address any outstanding warrants you may have?	
24	Do you know of the conditions of your parole? If so, what are they?	

25	Are you aware of any special conditions of your parole? If so, what are they?	
26	Will you be required to register as a sex offender upon your release?	
26a	If you answered yes to the previous question, do you know the special conditions of your parole?	
27	Are you currently affiliated with a gang? If so, what gang?	
28	Were you formerly affiliated with a gang?	
28a	What gang were you affiliated with?	
28b	How many years were you active in the gang?	
28c	How many years have you been out of active gang activity?	
28d	Did you hold any leadership roles in the gang?	
28e	Is the gang you were formerly affiliated with active where you are planning to be released?	

Employment

Question	<i>(Please answer the following questions in the space to the right with "Yes," "No," or "Unsure")</i>	RESPONSE
29	What types of employment were you engaged in prior to your incarceration?	
30	What types of work have you engaged in while incarcerated?	
31	Do you have a job waiting for you upon release?	
32	What type of work do you like to do, or what type of work would you like to do upon release?	
33	Have you received any certifications or vocational training?	
34	Have you prepared a resume?	

Housing & Family

Question	<i>(Please answer the following questions with as much detail as you can in the space to the right. If you do not know, please write "Unsure")</i>	RESPONSE
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35	Where do you plan to live upon your release? (City, County, State)	
36	Do you know where you will be staying the first night after your release? If so, where, and with whom? (Family member's house, halfway house, rescue mission, etc.)	
37	Following the previous question, is this where you plan to remain long term? If not, where do you plan to go and after how long?	
38	Are you currently married, or do you have a significant other?	
38a	Are you in contact with your spouse or significant other? If not, when was the last time you had contact with them?	
39	Were you married prior to your incarceration?	
40	Do you have children? If so, how many, and what age?	
40a	Do you share custody of the children? If not, who holds custody of the children?	
40b	Are you in contact with your children? If not, when was the last time you had contact with them?	

Health		
Question	<i>(These questions are designed to see what medical needs you may have upon your release. Please mark each condition which you have ever been diagnosed, treated, medicated, and/or monitored. If you are not comfortable checking the following boxes, please write "Prefer not to answer" in the space to the right)</i>	RESPONSE
41	<input type="checkbox"/> Bipolar <input type="checkbox"/> Depression <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes (Type I) <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes (Type II) <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis C <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure <input type="checkbox"/> PTSD <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis <input type="checkbox"/> Other pysical conditions: _____	
41a	Do you have access to documentation for the above diagnoses? If not, will you have access upon your release?	

	<i>(Please answer the following questions with as much detail as you can. If you do not know, please write "Unsure." If you are not comfortable checking the following boxes, please write "Prefer not to answer" in the space to the right)</i>	RESPONSE
42	Do you currently have any medical conditions which require ongoing medication? If so, what are they?	
42a	Will you have the necessary medications upon your release?	
43	Have you been diagnosed with any other psychological or mood disorders? If so, which?	
44	When was your last physical exam?	

Military Status		
Question	<i>(Please answer the following questions with "Yes" or "No" in the space to the right)</i>	RESPONSE
45	Are you a veteran of the United States Armed Forces?	
45a	With which branch did you serve?	
45b	Under what circumstances were you discharged? (Honorable, medical separation, dishonorable, etc.)	
45c	Are you aware of veteran's benefits that may be available to you?	