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Release and Reentry Strategies Utilizing Integrated Technology and Effective Collaboration among Institution, Field Supervision, and Community Partners

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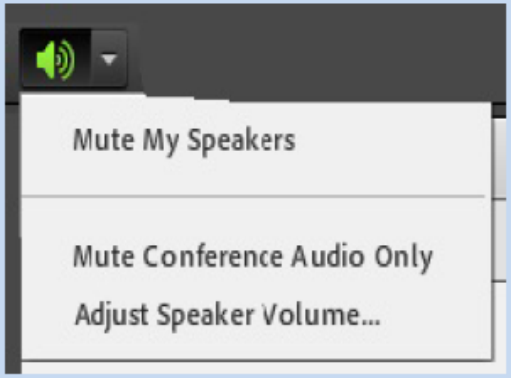

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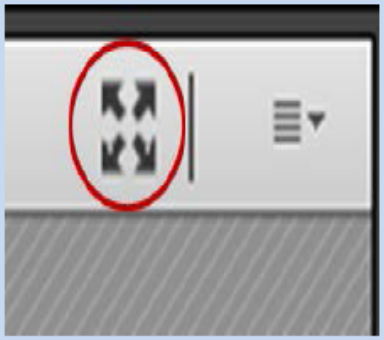

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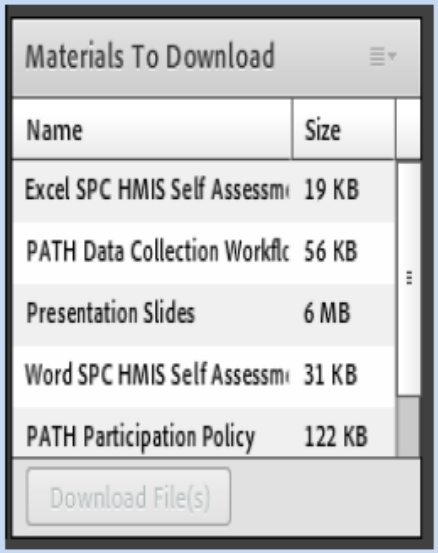

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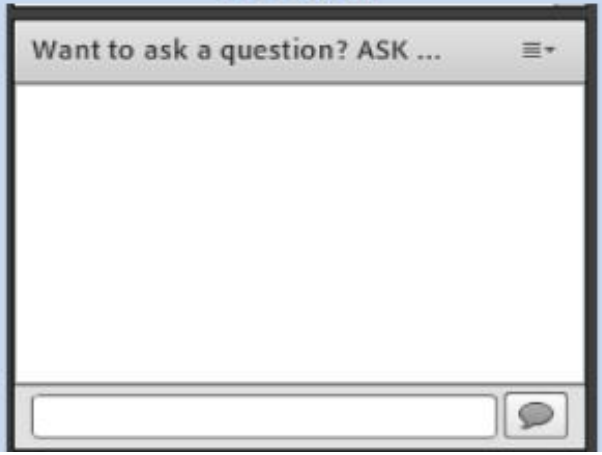

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Participant Objectives

- *Identify ways utilizing integrated tablet technology can enhance the release and reentry process*
- *Utilize effective tools to motivate and engage incarcerated individuals to become an active participant in their release and reentry planning*
- *Determine ways to minimize the gap in services between incarceration and community supervision*
- *Understand the use of tablet technology as it relates to assistance with treatment programming*

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Why is collaboration and engagement necessary to ensure a successful reintegration back into the community from incarceration?
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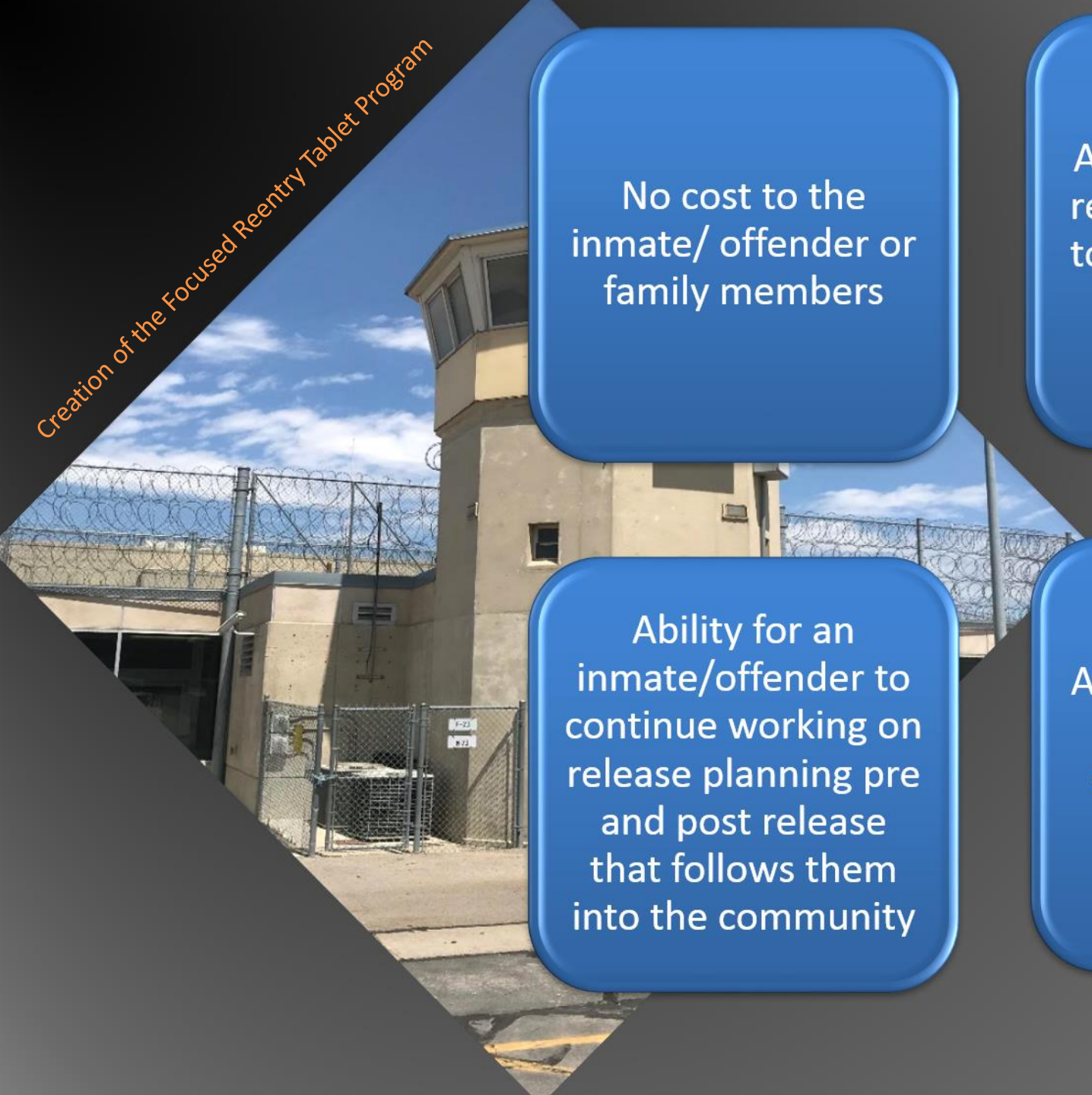
APDS
American Prison Data Systems

ACIVILATE

Creation of the Focused Reentry Tablet Program



No cost to the inmate/ offender or family members

Ability to engage in release planning up to 270 days prior to release

Ability for an inmate/offender to continue working on release planning pre and post release that follows them into the community

Adult Probation and Parole in reach effort to decrease recidivism

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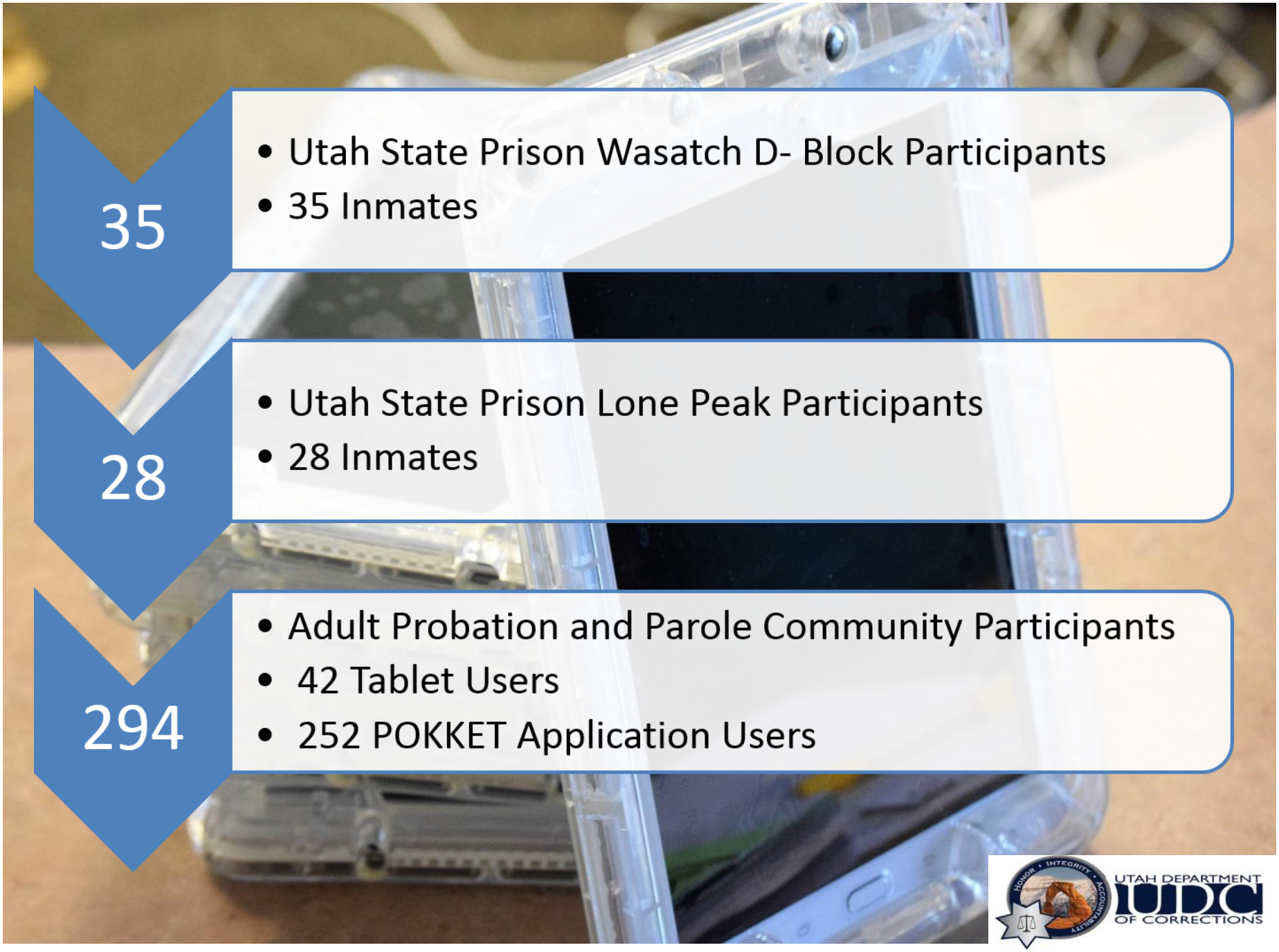
- Adult Probation and Parole
- Division of Prison Operations
- Institutional Programming Division
- Community Programming Unit



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- Utah State Prison Wasatch D- Block Participants
- 35 Inmates

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- Utah State Prison Lone Peak Participants
- 28 Inmates

294

- Adult Probation and Parole Community Participants
- 42 Tablet Users
- 252 POKKET Application Users

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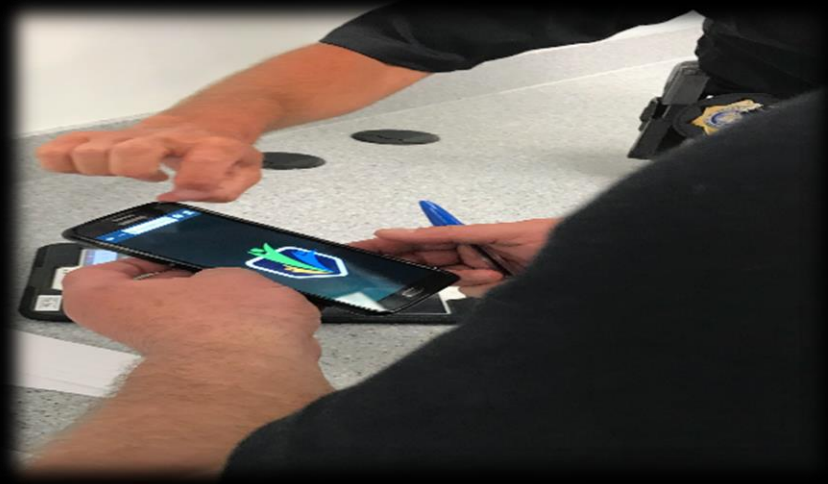
Institutional Inmate Training

Community Offender Training



125
Cellular Institution Tablets with Acivilate/ POKKET Application
165
Wi-Fi Institutional Tablets with Acivilate/ POKKET Application
100
• Cellular Community Tablets with Acivilate/ POKKET Application
500
• Acivilate/ POKKET Applications without Tablet
Total
• 890 Acivilate POKKET Applications
• 390 Institutional and Community Tablets with Acivilate Applications
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- First state in the nation to utilize integrated tablet technology within incarceration and continue through reentry into the community

Expanding community resources to include (Wraparound Services, Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment, Education and Vocational Training, Employment Readiness, etc.)

LS/ RNR

Identify Risks and Needs of each individual specifically to create a transition plan, instead of a uniform checklist

Utilization of Government, Private, Non-Profit, and Public Organizations to enhance release an reentry services

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Therapeutic Utilization of Tablet Technology

- Discuss different uses of Tablet Technology as it relates to Treatment and Treatment Progression
- Give examples of CBT and Social Learning application using the Tablet Technology
- Discuss the utilizations of in-reach programming
- Discuss the important of after-care connections and community programming as it relates to Tablet Technology

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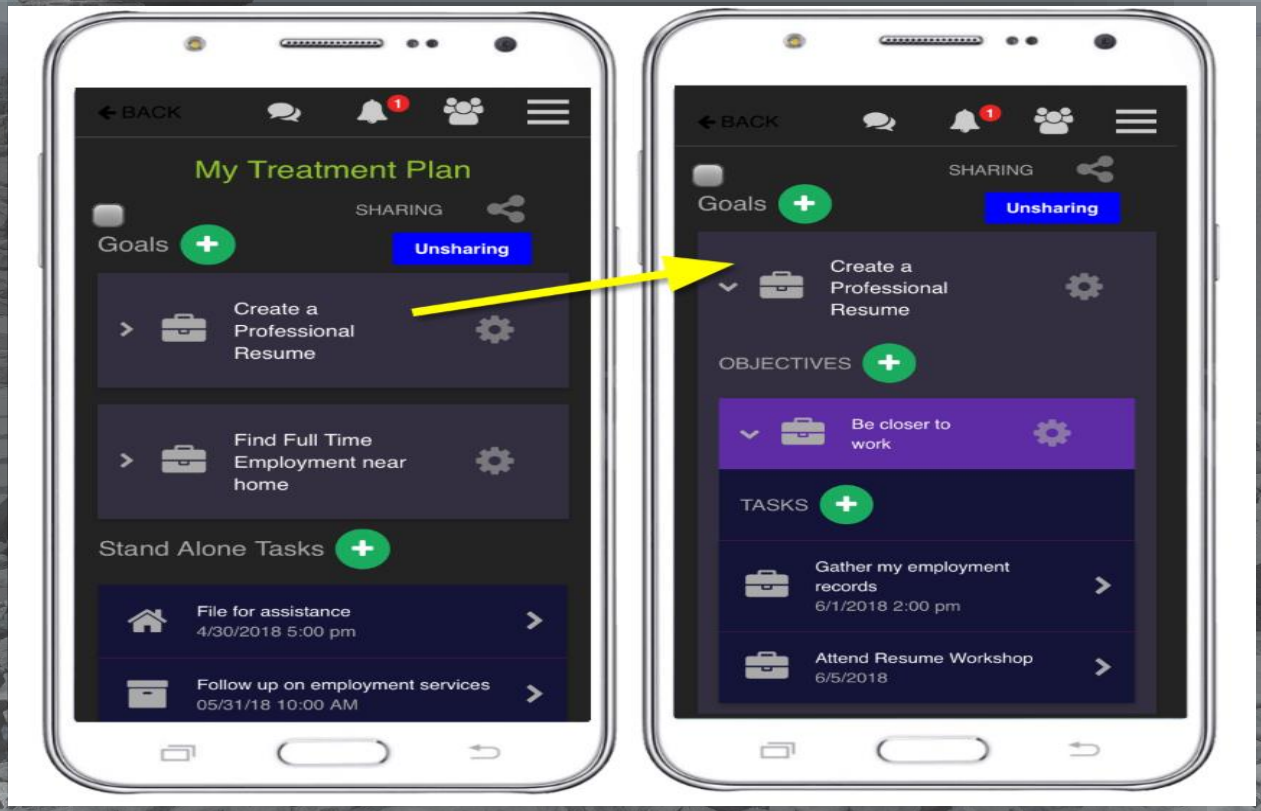
- Assist with locating treatment programs, complete screening process and create a seamless treatment transition



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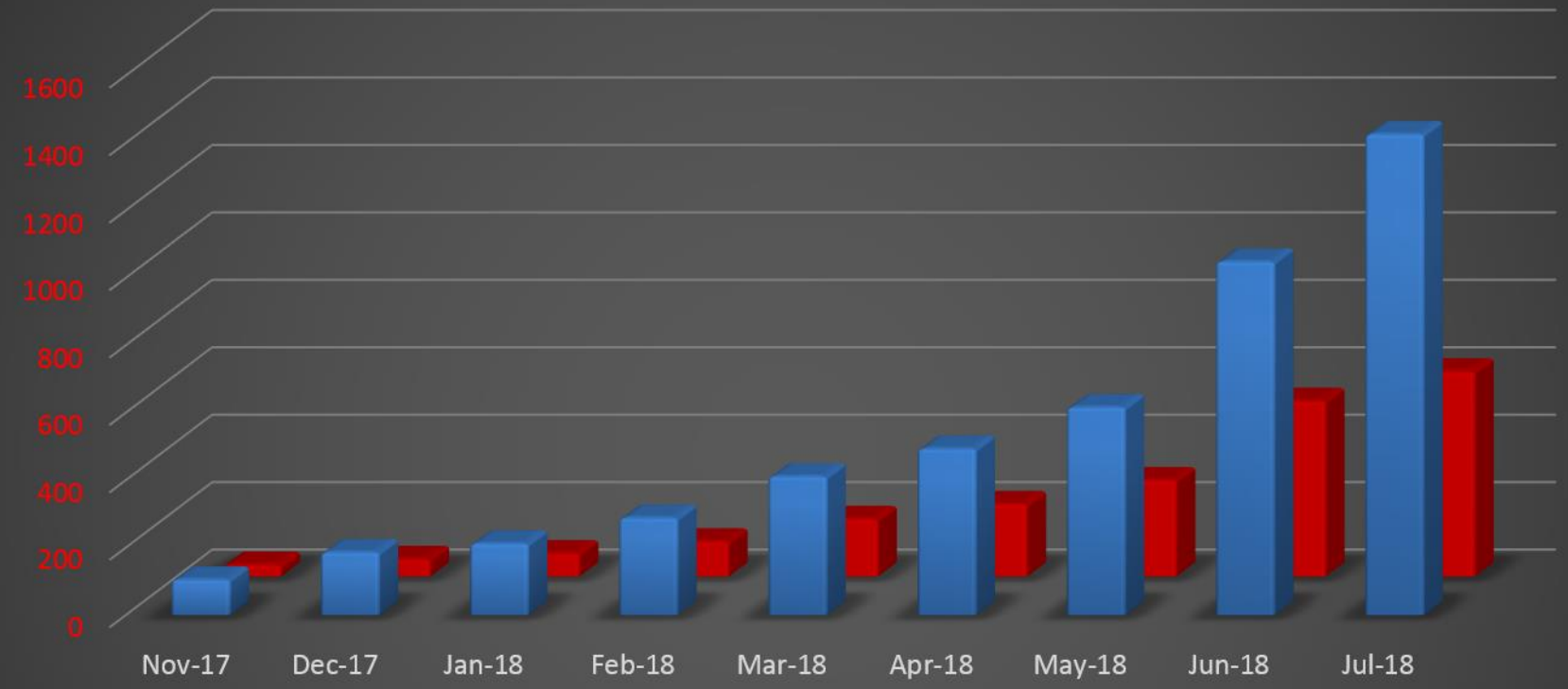
Total Created and Completed Treatment Plan Items

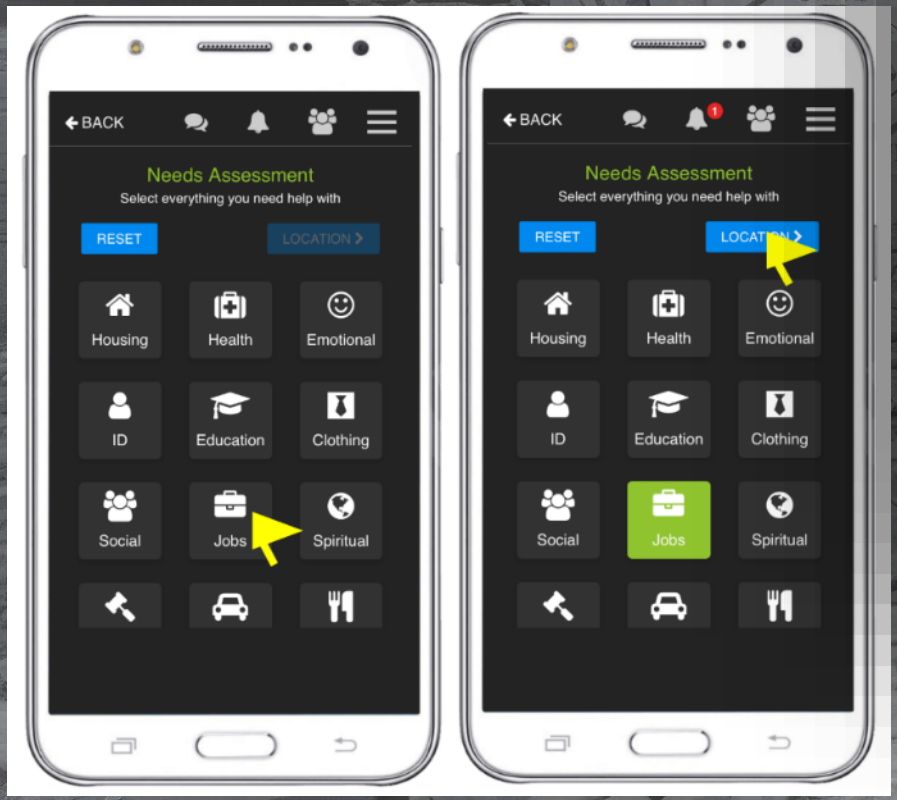


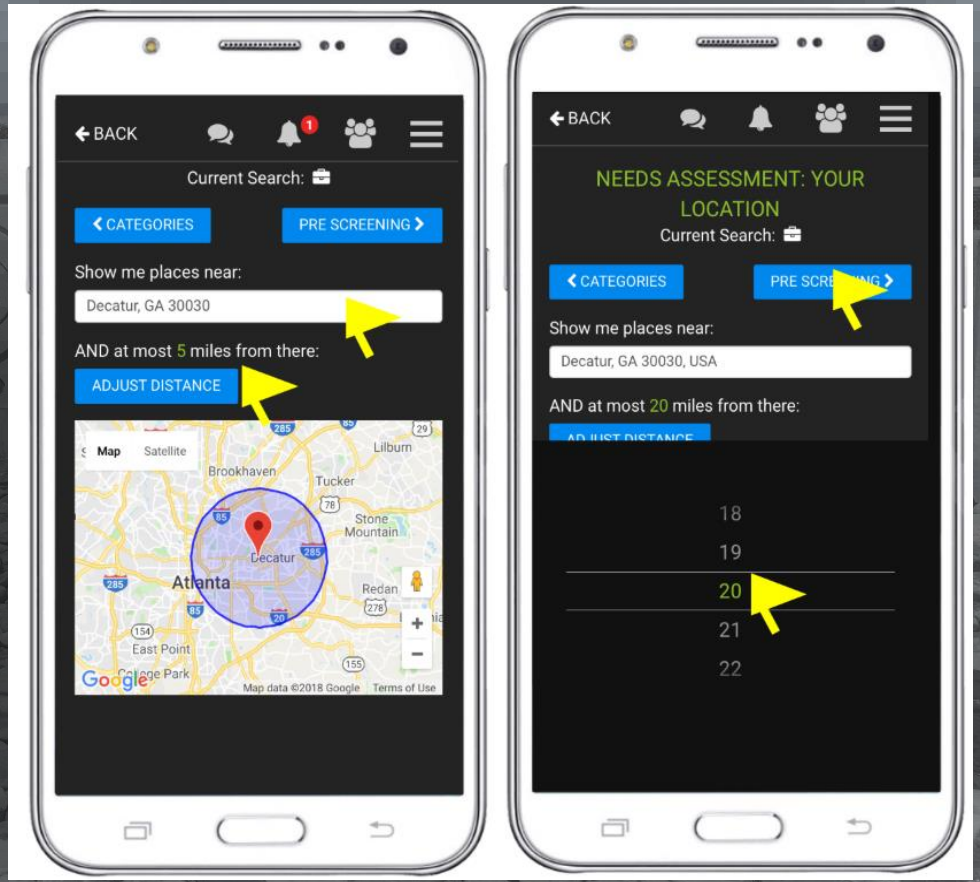
	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18
CREATED	106	187	213	289	412	494	617	1049	1427
COMPLETED	35	52	69	104	171	215	286	521	608

- Ability to search for Release and Reentry Needs (Housing, Health, Emotional, Identification, Education, Clothing, Social, Employment, Transportation, Food, Legal and Spiritual)

Utah 2-1-1 Get Connected. Get Answers.

United Way United Way of Salt Lake





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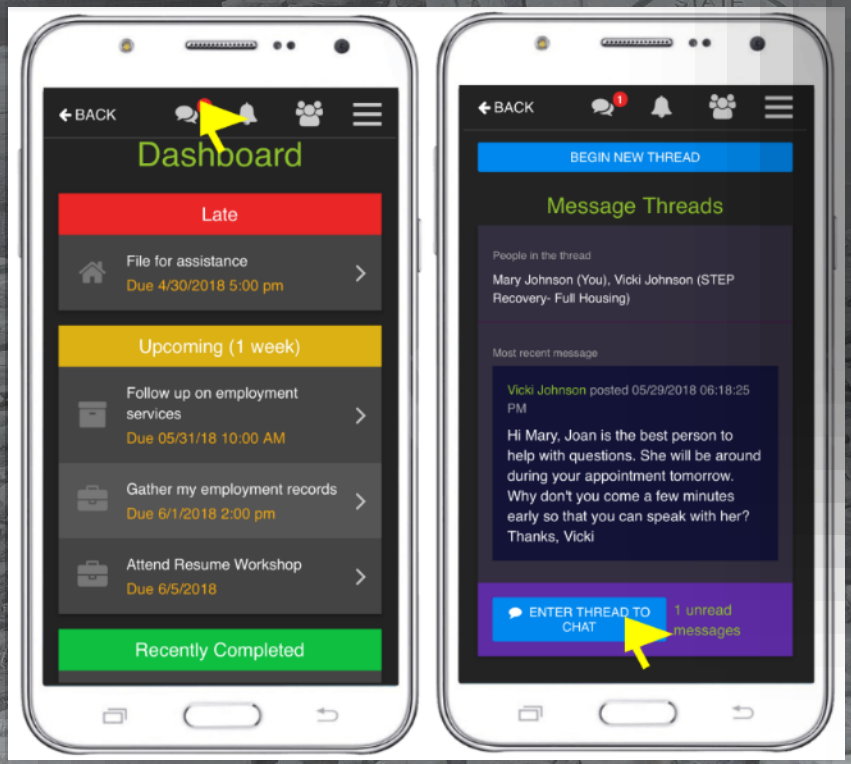
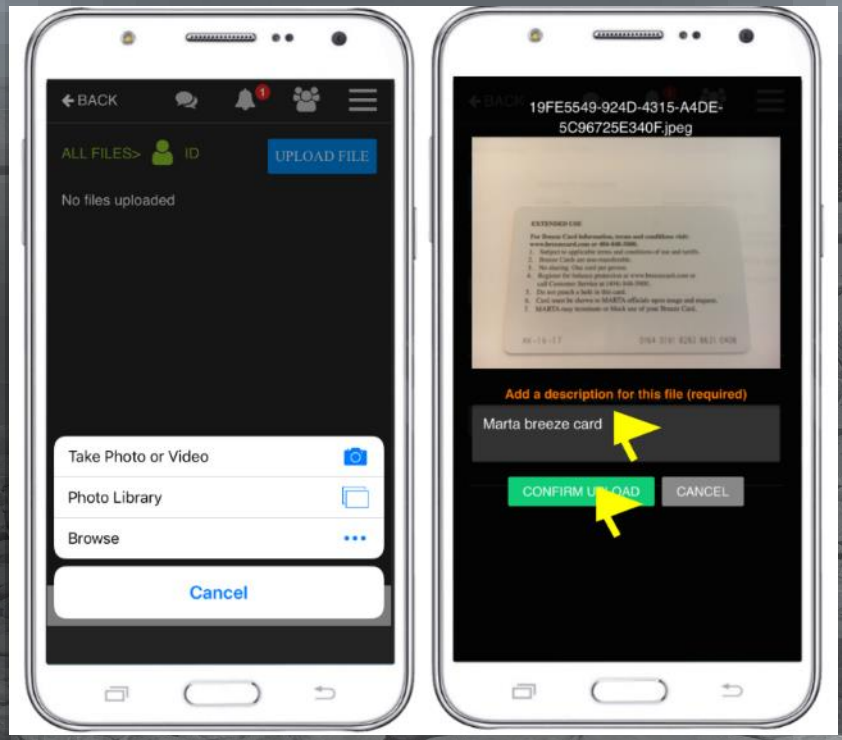
- Ability to attach files and message provider, case worker, and field supervision agent





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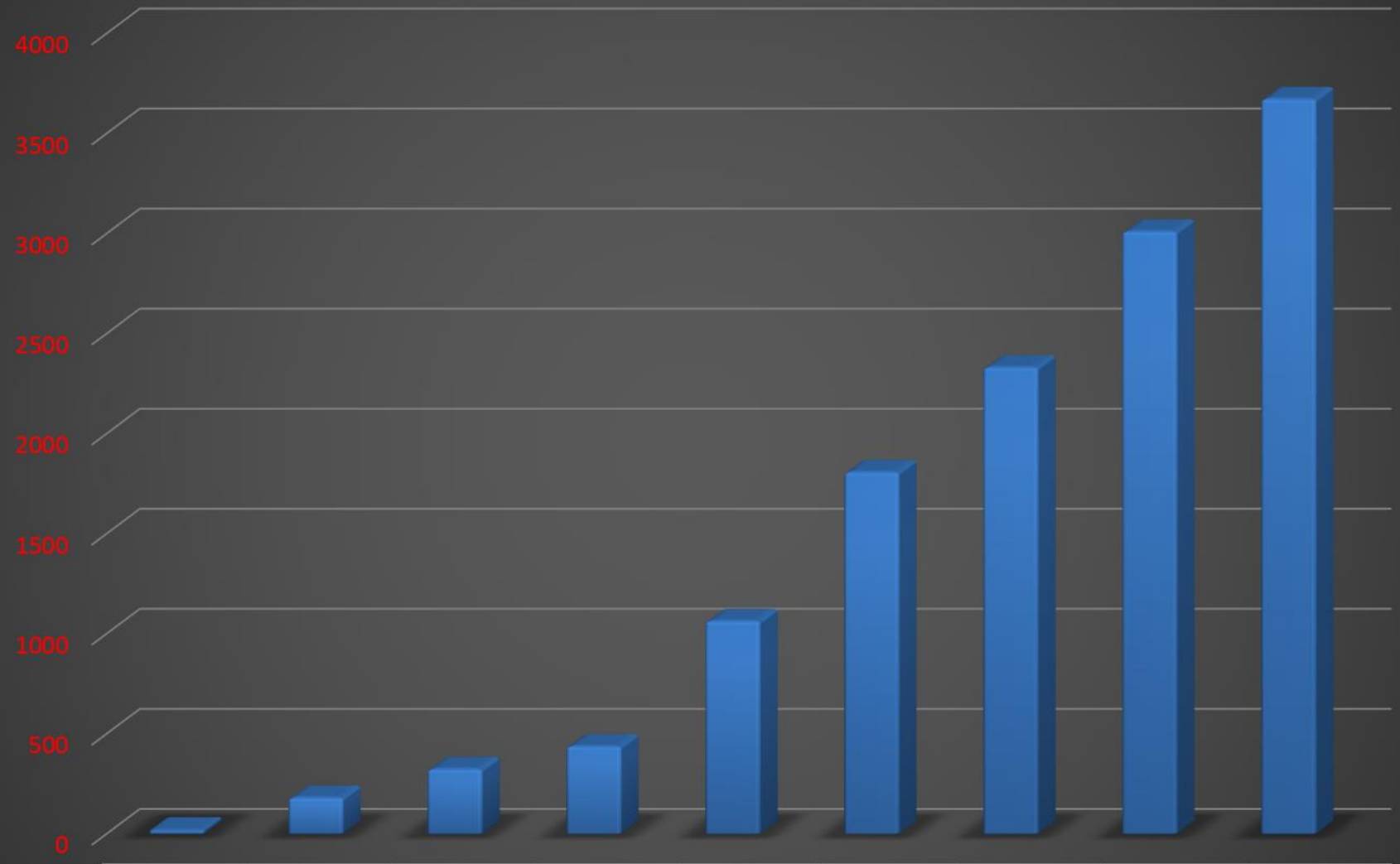
Total Participant Messaging Counts



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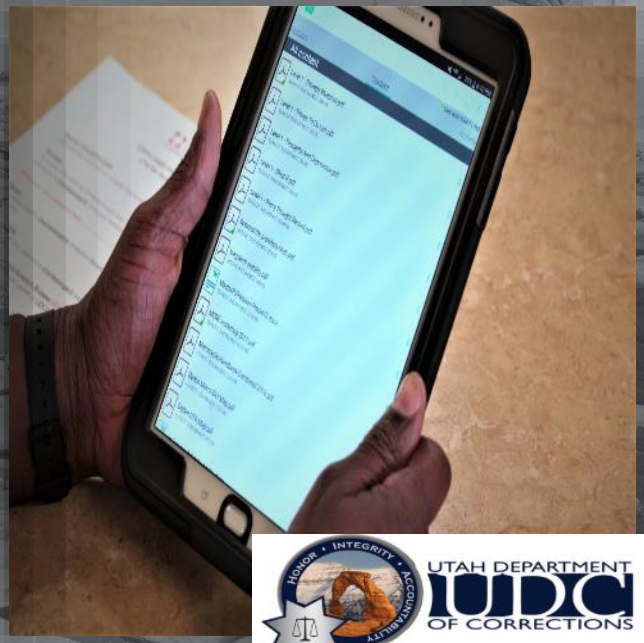
MONTHLY MESSAGING	19	180	323	437	1063	1807	2331	3010	3672

- Grant the inmate the opportunity to be an active participant in their individual post and pre release planning



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Log-Ins for Inmates and Staff

	Inmate/ Offender	Staff	Total
Nov-17	247	14	261
Dec-17	614	21	635
Jan-18	566	51	617
Feb-18	474	60	534
Mar-18	1,577	215	1,792
Apr-18	2,222	190	2,412
May-18	2,094	215	2,309
June-2018	2,851	278	3,129

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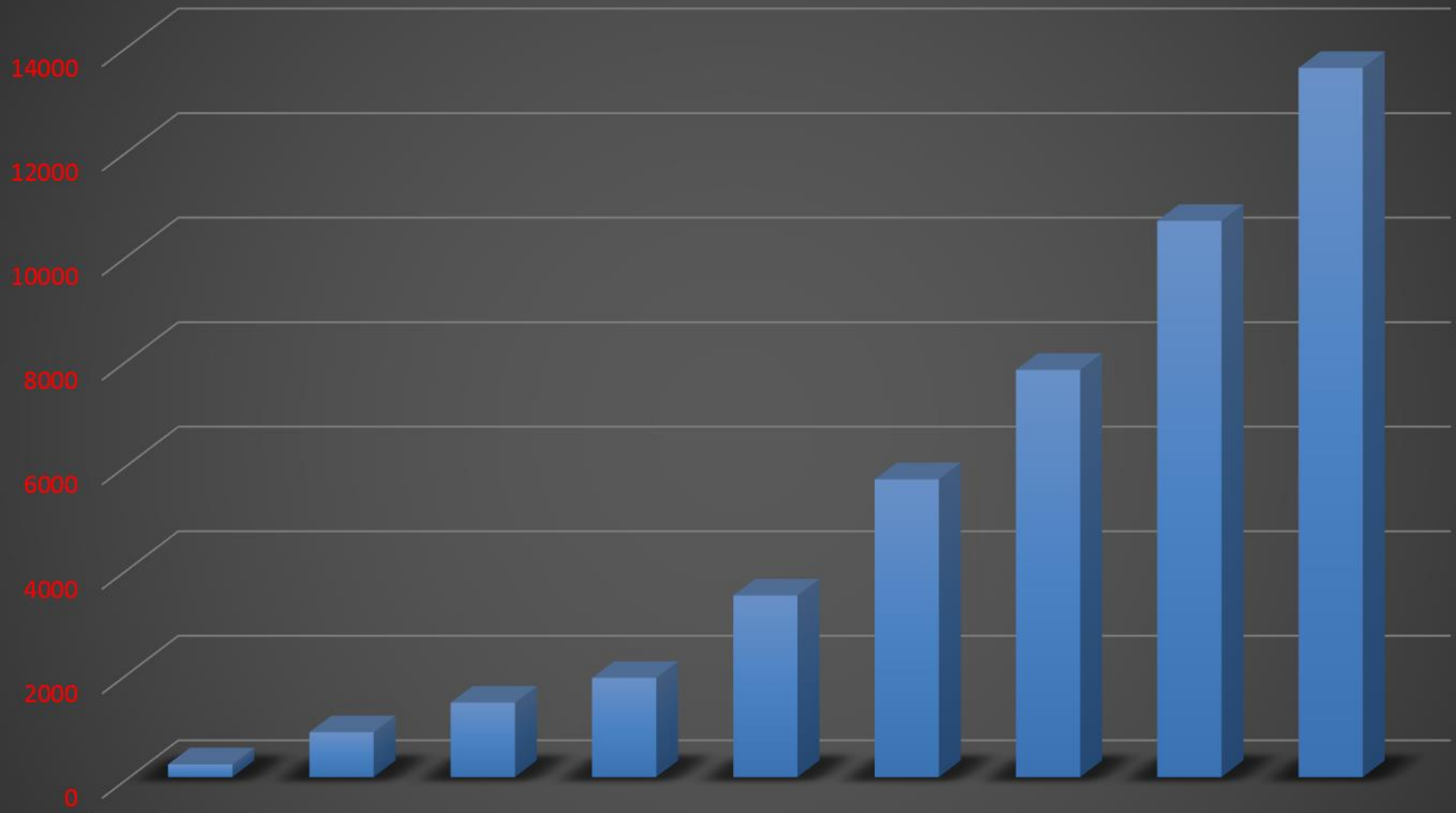

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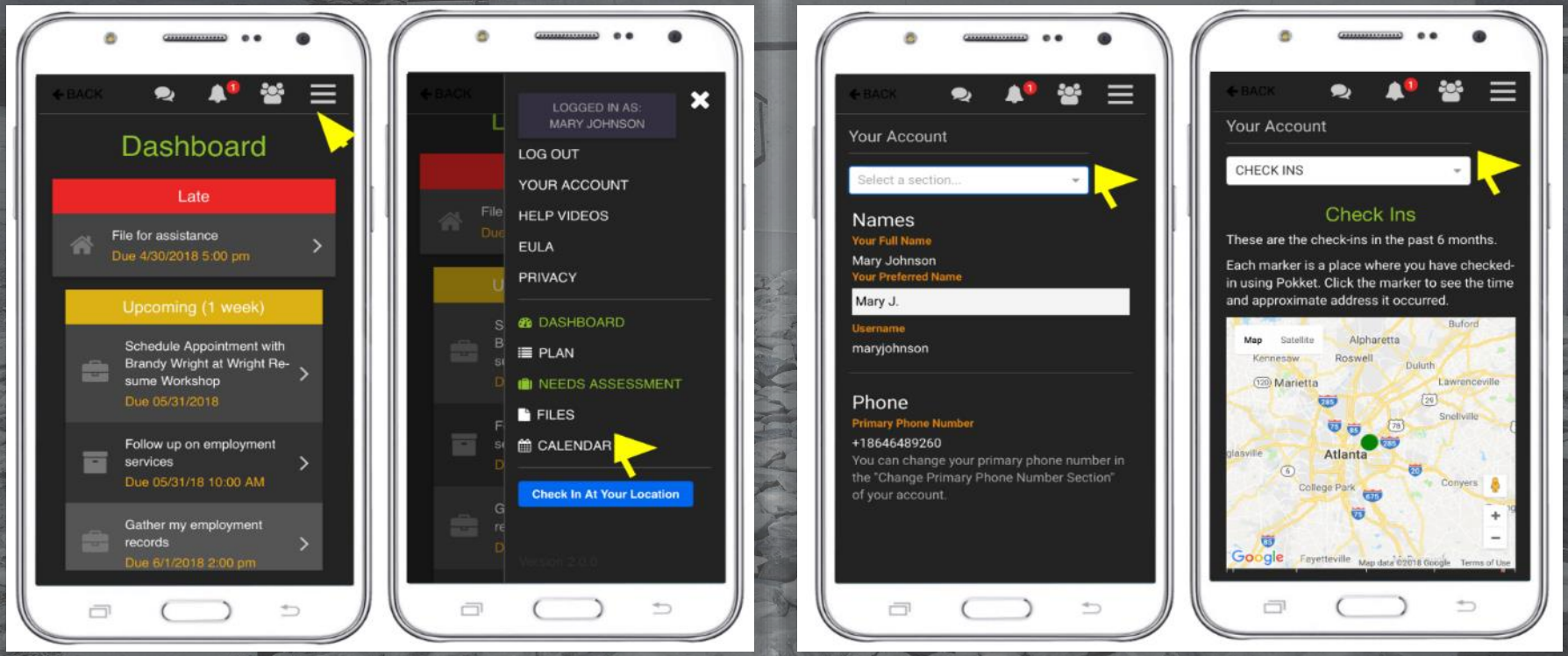
MONTHLY TOTAL	247	861	1427	1901	3478	5700	7794	10645	13570

- Ability for offenders to Check In/ Check Out of Treatment Sessions, Community Service, and Curfew



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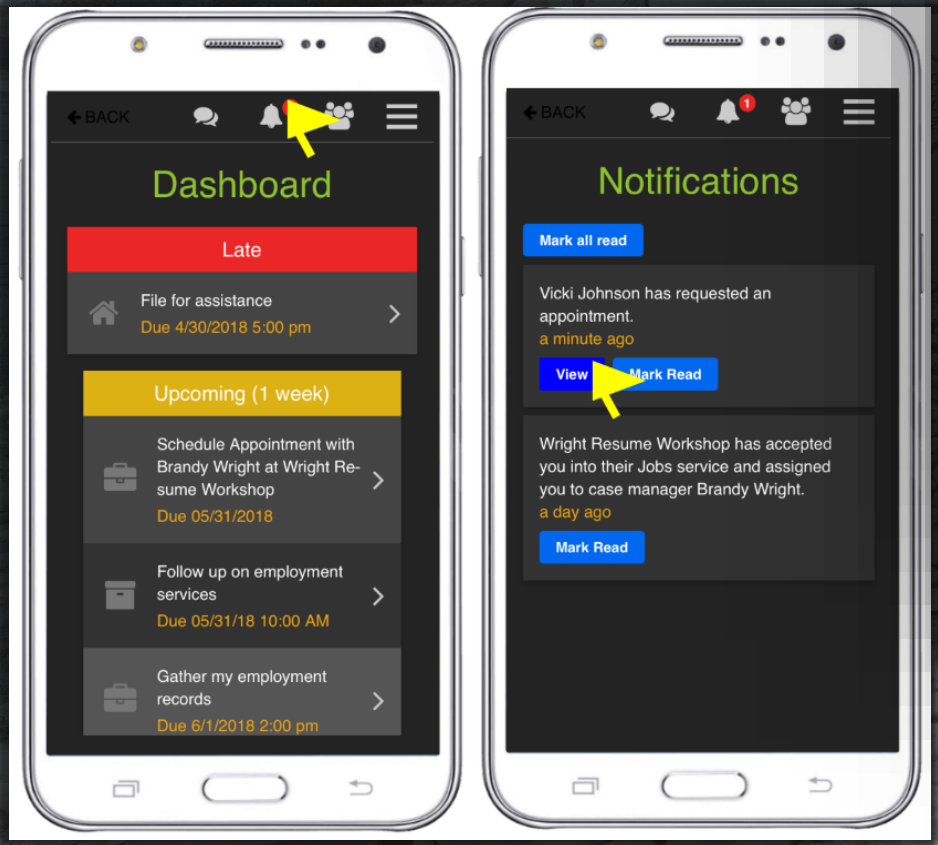
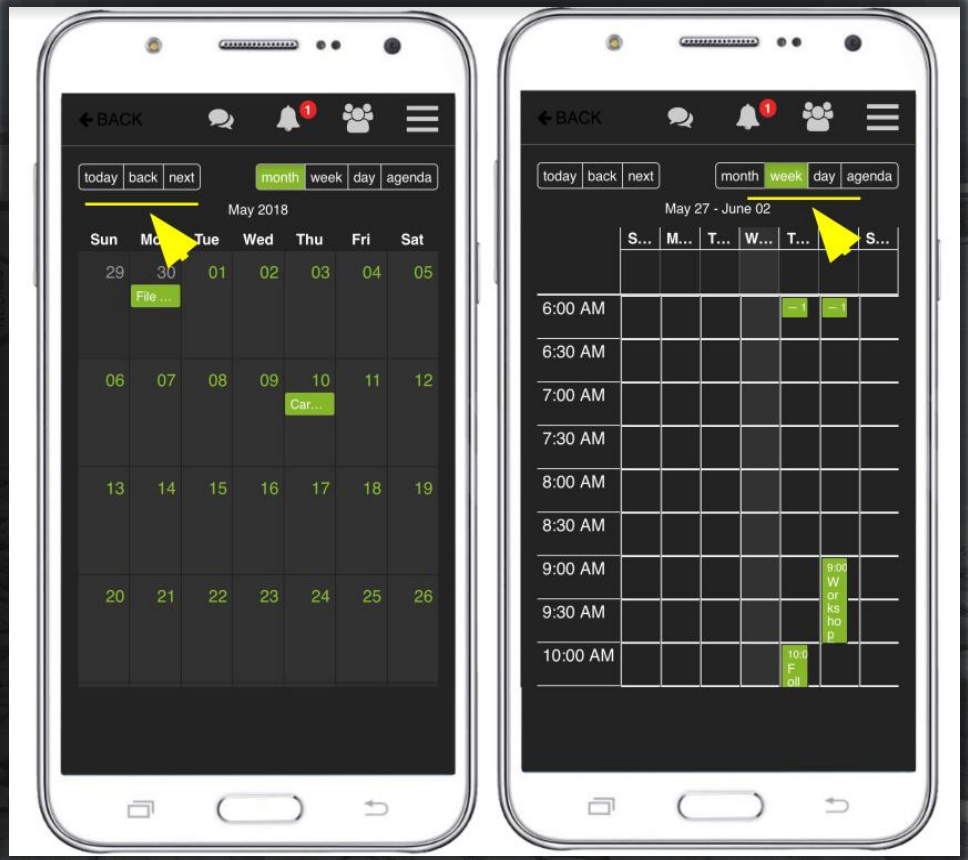
- Ability to Create, Track and Notify offenders of appointments that transfers to a calendar





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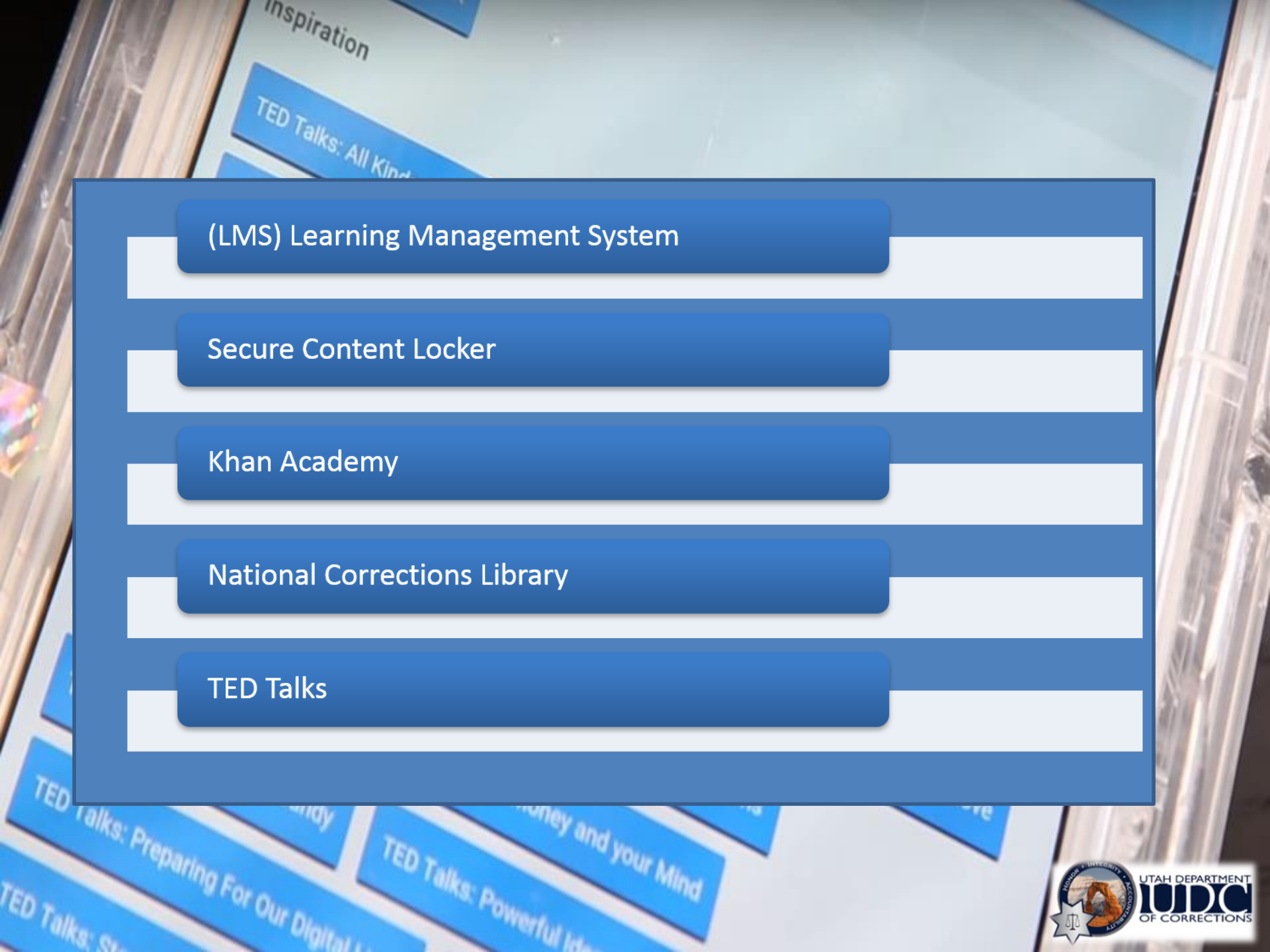
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WELLNESS RECOVERY ACTION PLAN

Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP) is a wellness process that anyone can use to get well, stay well, and make their life the way they want it to be

eLearning Course

WRAP for Reentry: Moving Forward from Incarceration

This course helps participants create a personalized wellness plan whether they are:

- Currently in jail or prison;
- Incarcerated and preparing for reentry; or
- Living in the community and working hard to avoid going back to jail or prison.

Course participants use WRAP to address real-life challenges and reduce distressing feelings and behaviors with the goal of creating a life that feels good and sustains health and wellness —while helping to prevent future recidivism.

Features

- Step-by-step action planning exercises
- Strategies learners can use during and after incarceration to take care of themselves and move forward into a future they're excited about
- Real stories from real people who have used WRAP to help rebuild their lives during and after incarceration
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Content Added to the Focused Reentry Tablets

- Utah Department of Workforce Services Videos and Forms
- Social Security Administration Information
- Utah Department of Health Medicaid and other services applications
- Carey Guides
- Utah Drivers License Study Manual
- Commercial Drivers License Study Guide Handbook
- Utah Transit Authority Maps and Information
- Utah Sober Living Residences
- Job Interview Videos and Skill Building Forms
- Resources for Veterans
- Searching for Employment
- Developing Workplace Skills
- Career Choice Options and Requirements
- Job Outlook Data
- How to be a Successful Employee
- Money Management
- Things to Do Lists
- Justice Reinvestment Initiative Approved Provider Lists

- WRAP for Transition
- WRAP for Substance Abuse
- Parole Access to Recovery Forms
- Reentry Fact Sheet
- Resume Tips
- Thought Record Worksheets
- Licensed Treatment Providers in Utah
- Short Term Stability Form
- Treatment Resource Center Maps
- Utah Renter Took Kit
- Utah Offender Transition Development Guide
- Focused Reentry Tablet Guidebook
- Smart Start
- Anger Diary
- Goal Setting
- Activity Planning Worksheet
- Emotional Workbook
- Relapse Management
- 90 Day Plan Assistance
- Resource Lists for Counties in Utah
- Felon Friendly Apartment List
- General Community Resources
- Etc.

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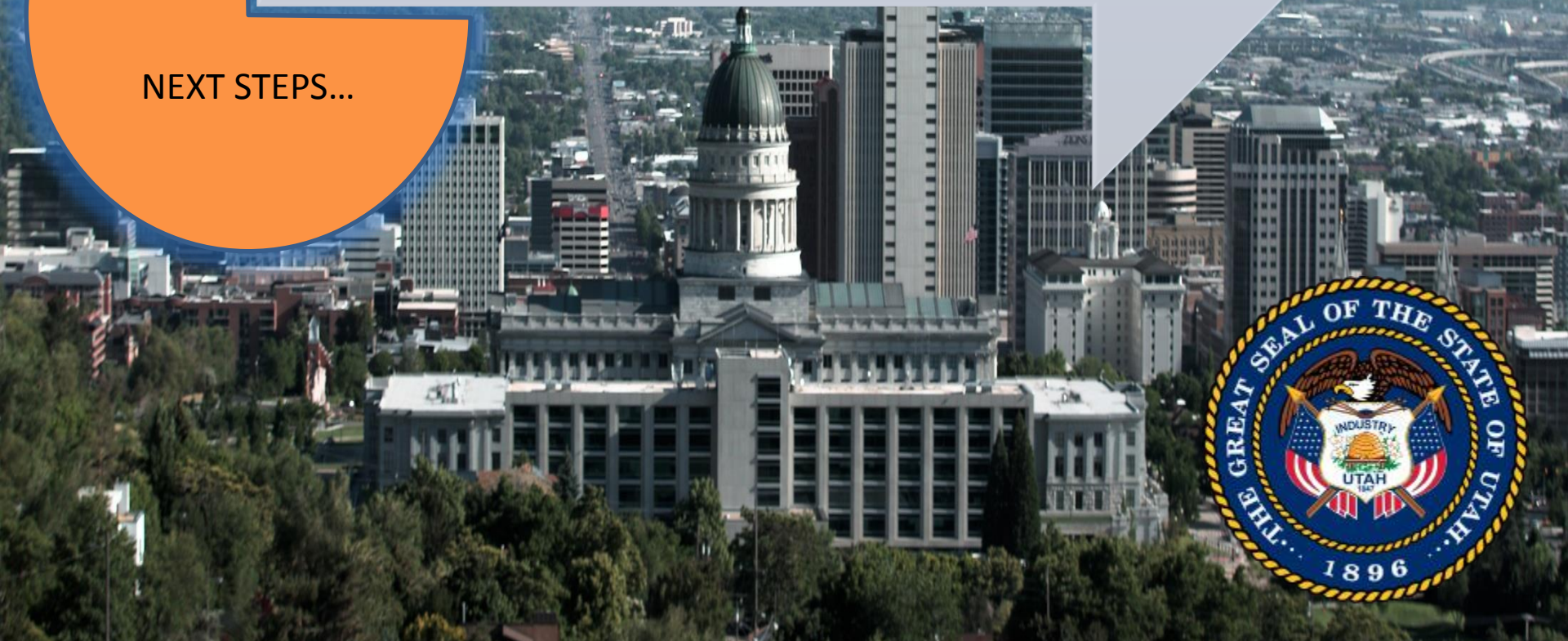
NEXT STEPS…

- Determining where to obtain maximum results with a large population of inmates releasing
- Ongoing engagement of public, private and non profit organizations
- Expansion of resources targeted at specific risks and needs of inmate



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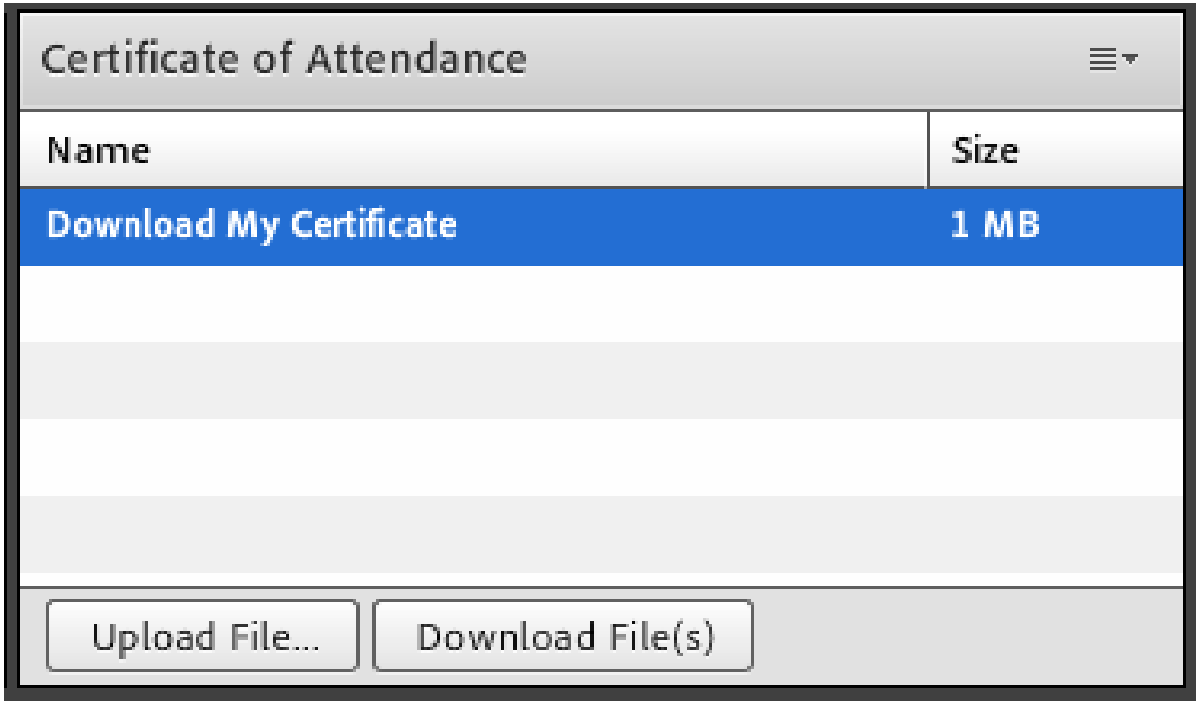

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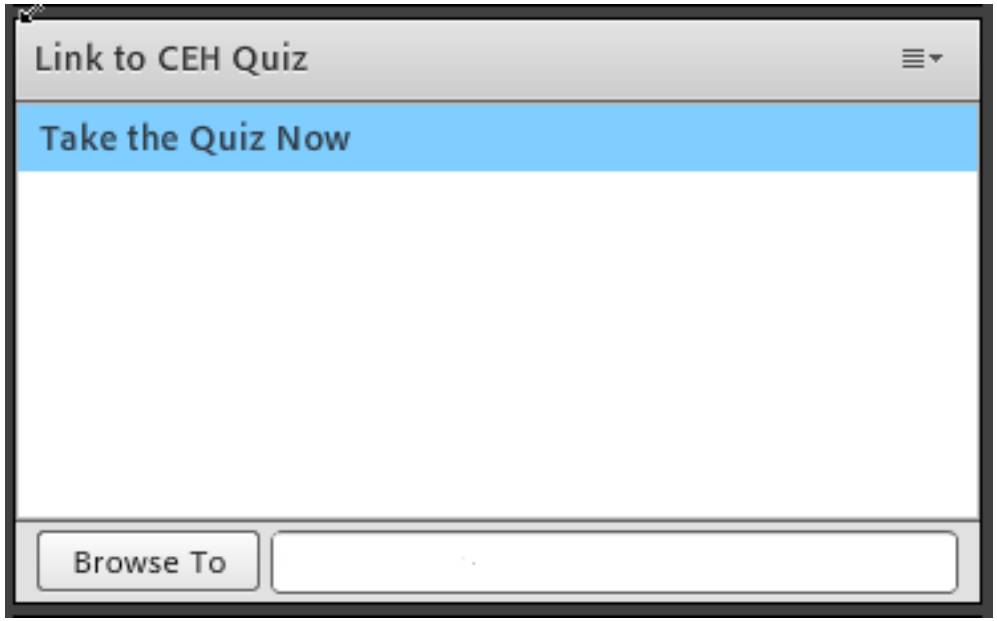

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