

Napa County Jail

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Napa County Jail- Evidence-based Practices

The Napa County Jail implemented Evidence based programs in April 2016. Since then, the facility had had two program graduates. The program targets both high risk and medium risk offenders (Mary, 2017). The rate of recidivism has decreased since the introduction of the EPB program. Security and safety in Napa County have increased as the plans are a great help in treating offenders both in the community and in custody. Also, EPB programs have led to an increase in the number of inmates who are successfully rehabilitated to the local communities (Mary, 2017). Overall, the programs identify the reasons why suspects commit a crime and reduce recidivism.

The Napa County jail has seen a dramatic decrease in caseloads and a gain of new skills to work with offenders through the EPB programs. Apart from this, supervision of workload has increased in the county. In this case, the level of oversight of high risk and medium offenders in probation facilities allows officers to balance correctional and controlling rehabilitation measures (Chief Probation Officer, 2018). EPB has reduced caseloads due to criminal recidivism. The use of the programs have improved the outcomes for case managers by reducing the amount of time required to supervise small cases. In so doing, the plans have helped to reduce criminal recidivism, which attributes to low caseloads in the county jail.

Case managers can efficiently schedule their office hours legitimately when they meet the offenders. Also, clients feel the case managers take their time to listen to them, thus, building trust, making them correct their behavior in a short period (Chief Probation Officer, 2018). EPB helps to accurately identify the offender's needs and thereby fully understand the resources much needed by clients. Also, the small workload has led to an increase in job retention among case

managers in the Napa County Jail. Altogether, the low likelihood of cases limits criminal recidivism.

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