**Local Service Providers for Youth Programs & Ex-Offenders dataset**

**About this dataset**: CareerOneStop collects information about non-profit organizations that assist eligible youth aged 14-24 and ex-offenders in finding employment/skills development.

CareerOneStop collects information about local youth employment program providers nationwide and provides it to users via the Youth Program Finder (<https://www.careeronestop.org/LocalHelp/EmploymentAndTraining/find-youth-programs.aspx>.)

Local youth employment programs typically offer free job search, career exploration, and education and training assistance. Most programs serve people between the ages of 14 and 24. Each program offers different services, so users are encouraged to contact a few programs to ask what kinds of assistance they offer. Services may include:

· Help finding a full-time, part-time, or summer job

· Resume or job application assistance

· Interview practice

· Information on apprenticeships or internships

· Community referrals for assistance with housing, health, or other concerns

· Services for youth who have a criminal record

Reentry services are included as Local Service Providers in CareerOneStop’s Job Search Help for Ex-Offenders’ State Resource Finder (<https://www.careeronestop.org/ExOffender/Toolkit/find-state-resources.aspx>), which also includes resources for housing, food assistance, legal advice, vital records, and more.

**What is included**: This dataset includes fields that describe the organization name, organization description, website, street address, and contact information. Resources are included for all 50 states, U.S. territories, and the District of Columbia.

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| Data Structure |
| Column\_Name | **Description** |
| State Name | State |
| Resource | Name of Service Provider |
| Description | Description of Service Provider, gathered from their website |
| WEB Address | Service Provider website |
| Address\_1 | Address of Service Provider |
| Address\_2 | Suite or PO Box, if applicable |
| City | City |
| ZIP Code | ZIP Code |
| Phone | Phone Number |
| Fax | Fax Number |
| Email | Email address |
| Programs for Youth | Provider has programs offered for individuals aged 14-24(Yes or No) – if indicator is “Y” it will appear in the Youth Program Finder |
| Reentry Programs for Youth | Provider has reentry programs offered for individuals aged 14-24 with a history of juvenile detention and/or jail/prison time(Yes or No) – if indicator is “Y” it will appear in the Youth Program Finder & Reentry Program Finder |
| Reentry Programs for Adults | Provider has reentry programs offered for adults (Yes or No) – if indicator is “Y” it will appear in the Reentry Program Finder |

Data source: This information is collected by CareerOneStop; collection began in 2008.

Available formats: The dataset is available for download in Microsoft Excel.

Update schedule: Rolling/Annual

Access the data: Job Search Help for Ex-Offenders: <https://www.careeronestop.org/ExOffender/Toolkit/find-state-resources.aspx>

Data download: <https://www.careeronestop.org/Developers/Data/data-downloads.aspx>

Youth Program Finder: <https://www.careeronestop.org/LocalHelp/EmploymentAndTraining/find-youth-programs.aspx>

API: <https://www.careeronestop.org/Developers/WebAPI/web-api.aspx>