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Olympic Health and Recovery Services: A comprehensive look at programing for Thurston County Jail

DURING THIS VIRTUAL EVENT PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN:

- Brief history of OHRS
- Review of OHRS programs embedded within Thurston County Jail
- Benefits of having behavioral health services within the jail
- How collaboration between programs and the jail supports incarcerated individuals from booking to release

Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and participate in discussions.

Presenter: Kenna Brooks began working with high-risk adults in the mental health and co-occurring fields in 2006 after becoming a certified peer counselor in AZ. She returned to her home state to become a certified peer Counselor in WA state in 2017 and completed her bachelor's in behavioral health sciences in 2019. As an employee of Olympic Health and Recovery Services and a person with lived experience, she brings a unique perspective to the role of Reentry Specialist at Thurston County Correctional Facility. She works with adults seeking treatment and services from mental health and substance providers to help them find their path of recovery and reduce the chance of future incarcerations.

Presenter: Teresa Becker is an inmate services lieutenant for Thurston County jail. She has worked in the jail for more than 25 years. In her current role, she oversees jail programs and some treatment sales tax funded services including chemical dependence program, domestic violence offender program, anger management, turning point programs and psych advanced nurse practitioner referrals.

Presenter: Alexandria Francis, MSW, LICSW, MHP graduated from the University of Massachusetts Amherst in 2010 with a bachelor's in psychology and received her master's in social work from Simmons University in 2017. Alexandria has more than 10 years of experience working with people with acute behavioral health needs. Her current role is the OHRS Diversion Program Supervisor and oversees behavioral health programs at the Thurston County Jail.

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