



## 2025 CITIZEN-CENTRIC REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025

# CNMI DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

## ADULT CORRECTIONAL & REHABILITATION AND JUVENILE DETENTION



### MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to enhance public safety across the Northern Mariana Islands through rehabilitation and operational excellence.

### VISION STATEMENT

Na'i Animu yan Aschoscho  
(Give your entire spirit)

### DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW

The Northern Mariana Islands Department of Corrections (DOC), pursuant to Public Law 14-25, has primary responsibility for all adult correctional services and adult offender detention throughout the Commonwealth. On April 27, 2011, the Governor's Executive Order 2004-011 transferred the responsibility for the administration and operations of the Juvenile Detention Unit (JDU) to the Department of Corrections. DOC and JDU are guided by rules and regulations and established operational policies and procedures, and ensure public safety by housing detainees, inmates, and juveniles in a safe, secure, and humane environment that meets constitutional standards for confinement; and provides its residents with opportunities to participate in rehabilitation programs to assist them in becoming law-abiding citizens.

### THE DOC TEAM

- 101** Number of Employees
- 88** Sworn DOC Officers
- 03** Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Officers
- 02** Parole Officers
- 08** Civilian Employees



**CORE VALUES:** Respect Integrity Teamwork Accountability

# DOC AND A YEAR IN REVIEW

## ACHIEVEMENTS AND EFFORTS



On October 8, 2024, the Division of Parole was officially transferred to the Department of Corrections, strengthening coordination between parole and rehabilitation efforts and creating a unified system to support reentry, supervision, and public safety.



Inmate participants in the Department of Corrections' Community Outreach Program successfully completed Core Fundamentals, Carpentry, and Electrical training through the Construction program at the Northern Marianas Technical Institute. This partnership provides individuals with practical trade skills that can support successful reentry into the community.



The Department of Corrections proudly graduated 17 cadets from its 10th Cycle Academy, who are now sworn officers serving the Commonwealth. Through training in corrections operations, security protocols, and professional ethics, these new officers are prepared to uphold the safety and well-being of inmates while protecting the broader community.



Seven sworn officers from the Department of Corrections graduated from the All Tactical Response Training facilitated by RY Tactical in 2025. This intensive training enhanced officers' skills in tactical response, situational awareness, and officer safety.

Two DOC employees successfully completed Phase I and II of the CNMI Grant Certification Program, a government-wide effort led by the Office of Grants Management & State Clearinghouse in partnership with Management Concepts.



The Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands' (CNMI) Department of Corrections (DOC) is reinforcing its commitment to rehabilitation by continuing the CNMI Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Program. With funding secured by the Criminal Justice Planning Agency (CJPA), DOC is expanding its capacity to provide essential treatment for substance use disorders (SUD) and mental health services to incarcerated individuals in need.



The RSAT Program was made possible through a collaborative partnership with the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), the National Training and Technical Assistance Center (NTTAC), and the Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) network.

# FINANCES

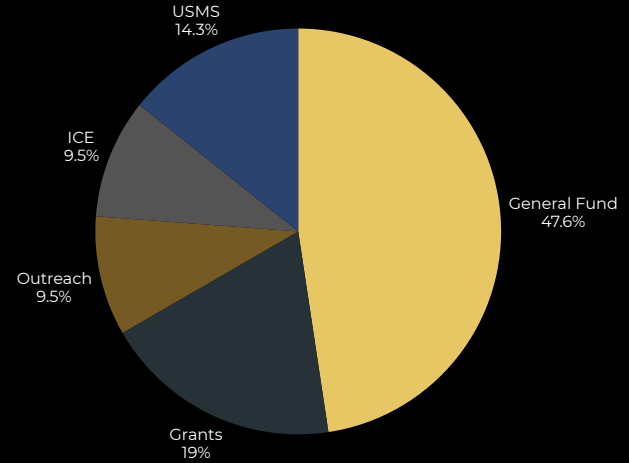
## REVENUE, EXPENDITURES, AND LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS

Each year, the Department of Corrections submits a budget request to adequately address its deficiencies and provide at best a minimum level of mandated services. Each year, DOC faces challenges in living within the means of budget allocations.

### GENERAL FUND

FISCAL YEAR	DEPARTMENT REQUEST	ACTUAL ALLOCATION
FY2020	\$6,156,878	\$2,458,816
FY2021	\$6,440,986	\$3,164,525
FY2022	\$6,463,180	\$5,828,495
FY2023	\$8,398,403	\$3,728,220
FY2024	\$9,471,641	\$4,356,089
FY2025	\$9,275,963	\$4,521,645
FY2026	\$10,574,834	\$3,991,937

### FUNDING SOURCES



### SPECIAL FUNDS

Project Code 3022: A revolving account established for federal reimbursements from U.S. Marshal Services (USMS), U.S. Immigration & Customs Enforcement (ICE), and Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP), and revenue from Community Outreach Program projects through MOAs.

### FEDERAL REIMBURSEMENTS

FY2025 Reimbursements through Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with Federal Agencies:

AGENCY	CY 2022/AMOUNT	CY 2023/AMOUNT	CY 2024/AMOUNT
USMS- Housing	\$ 285,770.00	\$ 278,800.00	\$ 240,805.00
USMS – Transportation	\$ 2,747.94	\$ 3,350.55	\$ 5,991.73
ICE – Housing	\$ 69,445.00	\$ 107,695.00	\$ 138,720.00
BOP – Housing	\$ 8,245.00	\$ 13,430.00	\$ 765.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$366,207.90</b>	<b>\$403,275.60</b>	<b>\$386,281.73</b>

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH REVENUE

FY2025 Revenue through DOC COP Memorandum of Agreements (MOA) with Government Agencies:

AGENCY	AMOUNT
Commonwealth Bureau of Military Affairs	\$ 7,200.00
Department of Commerce	\$ 9,600.00
Department of Finance	\$ 9,000.00
SAAR/HOPE Recovery Center	\$ 1,000.00
Joeten-Kiyu Public Library	\$ 200.00
Precinct 5 (Reps. Camacho / Manglona)	\$ 3,000.00
Other COP One-Time Projects	\$ 12,500.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$42,500.00</b>

# GRANT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

## STRENGTHENING RESOURCES FOR SAFETY AND REHABILITATION

The Department of Corrections is pleased to highlight the successful award of several grant funding opportunities that strengthen operations, enhance rehabilitation programs, and support the safety and security of the community. These federal investments reflect DOC's commitment to accountability, innovation, and the effective use of resources to advance the department's mission.

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### REHABILITATION GRANTS

Fiscal Year	Project Title	Award Amount	Status
2023	FY23 Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Grant:	\$149,644	Awarded
2024	FY24 Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) Grant	\$109,152	Awarded
2025	CNMI Department of Corrections Opioid and SUDs Response Program	\$200,000	Application Under Review

### CAPABILITY & CAPACITY GRANTS

Fiscal Year	Project Title	Award Amount	Status
2022	Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Title II Formula Grant	\$5,000	Approved
2023	Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Title II Formula Grant	\$5,000	Approved
2024	FY24 JAG Enhancing Officer Retention and Training	\$10,247.28	Awarded

## INFRASTRUCTURE GRANTS

Fiscal Year	Project Title	Award Amount	Status
2023	U.S. Dept. of Interior, 285.60KW Solar PV Energy System Installation	\$443,691	Awarded
2024	FY24 Agriculture Earmarks, Cong. Kilili, 285.60KW Solar PV Energy System Installation	\$1,000,000	Awarded
2023	FY23 JAG Server	\$25,000	Awarded
2024	U.S. Dept. of Interior, Kitchen Renovation and Rehabilitation Project	\$345,295	Awarded

## CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM PROJECTS

Fiscal Year	Project Title	Award Amount	Status
2023	Supply and Installation of a Fire Alarm/Fire Sprinkler System at DOC - Additional Funding	\$500,000	<b>Project Completed</b>
2024	CNMI Department of Corrections Adult Correctional Facility Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning System Replacement	\$3,000,000	<b>Project Completed</b>
2024	CNMI DOC Surveillance System Replacement, Susupe, Saipan MP	\$350,000	<b>Project Completed</b>

# FUTURE OUTLOOK

## LOOKING AHEAD

The CNMI Department of Corrections remains steadfast in advancing reformative priorities that elevate the safety, security, and rehabilitation of those in its care. Guided by a commitment to accountability and innovation, DOC continues to strengthen operational standards, invest in staff development, and expand rehabilitation programs that support successful reentry. Through collaboration with local and federal partners, the department strives to build a correctional system that protects the community while fostering opportunities for positive change and second chances.



### CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SERVICES

Enhancing data integrity, automation, and interagency communication through inter-governmental partnerships, technology integration, including system modernization and secure data sharing across the criminal justice network.



### CAPABILITY & CAPACITY BUILDING

Investing in staff development and organizational efficiency through targeted training, technical assistance, and leadership programs to build a more skilled and resilient workforce.



### HEALTHCARE AND MEDICAL REFORM

Expanding access to quality healthcare through improved medical staffing, on-site triage protocols, and investments in medical infrastructure that prioritize inmate wellness and public health safety.



### REVENUE GENERATING INITIATIVES

Pursuing innovative strategies and partnerships to increase fiscal sustainability, including cost-recovery programs, inmate work initiatives, and grant-funded development.



### PAROLE, REENTRY, AND REHABILITATION

Supporting reentry initiatives that reduce recidivism and promote community safety by expanding parole options, rehabilitation programs, and addressing existing reentry gaps.



### INTER-JURISDICTIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

Strengthening collaboration with regional and federal partners to align correctional standards, share best practices, and secure resources that enhance CNMI's correctional system operations.



### EDUCATION AND SKILL BUILDING

Empowering sworn officers and individuals who are incarcerated through academic and vocational training programs that elevate professional capacities for officers and academic opportunities for inmates.