

Medical Emergencies in the RRC:

- All staff within the Residential Reentry Center (RRC) are first aid certified.
- When a client is not conscious with a pulse, staff members first perform a sternum rub. If the client does not respond, staff members administer one dose of Narcan. This is protocol based on Bureau of Prisons (BOP) policy and medical control. **It does not mean the client's medical condition is due to drugs or an overdose.**
- Staff members use further lifesaving measures within the facility as needed, according to BOP policy and medical protocol.
- All clients in the RRC undergo multiple and random 22-panel urine analysis (UA) tests per month. Dismas House of St. Louis has a **2.63%** presumptive positive UA rate from 2020–2025. All presumptive positive UAs are sent to a lab for confirmation. If confirmed, client results are referred to the BOP.
- Although not required by the BOP, Dismas House utilizes a company that specializes in drug sniffing dogs. The contractor conducts unannounced, full-building inspections randomly, including late at night and early in the morning.

RRC Client Deaths:

- From 2020-2026, Dismas House of St. Louis served around 3,500 federal clients. **18** clients died while in the reentry program. This equates to a **0.51%** mortality rate. Out of the 18 clients that passed while part of the program, **8** passed away while an IH placement in the RRC; this equates to a **.2%** mortality rate.
- According to the most up-to-date information available from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (2024), the U.S. has a **0.72%** mortality rate (722 deaths per 100,000 people). While any loss of life is tragic, Dismas House's mortality rate is about **31% lower and 1.44x more favorable** than the national average.
- City of St. Louis Mortality Rate 2024 – **.957%** (957.4 deaths per 100,000, source City of St. Louis). This means our clients are **79.1% safer in the RRC**, and **4.8x less likely** to die in in the RRC vs. being in the City of St. Louis.
- State of Missouri Mortality Rate 2024 - **.63%** (6.3 deaths per 1,000, source Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services). This means our clients are **68.2% safer in the RRC**, and **three times less likely** to die in in the RRC vs. being in the State of Missouri.
- Dismas House and the BOP take health very seriously, but the RRC is not a health care facility. With very few exceptions, we must accept all clients sent to us by the BOP and/or US Courts. Many of these clients bring with them pre-morbidities and a variety of health issues.
- The extremely favorable UA test and mortality statistics are a testament to our committed and dedicated staff, BOP policies, and the health care clients receive through our great community and health provider partnerships.

- Dismas House clients reported cause of death **2020-2026**.
 - o Potential Overdose (Fentanyl): 1
 - o Unknown: 7
 - o Medical Event | Natural Causes: 7
 - o Motor Vehicle Accident: 1
 - o Gunshot Wound/Violence: 1 (incident did not occur in or near RRC; this was a client on home confinement)
 - o Suicide: 1 (incident did not occur in or near facility, this was a client on home confinement)

Federal RRC Contract Accountability

- Per the BOP SOW, the BOP audits RRCs at least every 13 weeks. BOP audits are conducted on site and are intensive.
- BOP has oversight and visibility to all client files, activities, and locations at all times.
- Any client incident or issue is reported to the BOP in the required manner and timelines. EVERY incident is documented and retained indefinitely.
- The facility is audited by the City of St. Louis quarterly in many areas, and annually in other areas.
- The RRC has significant CCTV coverage except in sleeping and bathroom areas.
- The facility uses keyed controlled access throughout and is staffed and monitored 24/7/365.
- All employees, volunteers, and interns undergo a NCIC federal background check and must be approved by the BOP to be hired and/or placed within the RRC.

Basic Needs

- While not required to ensure basic needs are being met, all outside audits ensure “basic needs” are being met for RRC clients. Dismas House of St. Louis remains one of the largest and best operated RRCs, based upon BOP feedback, and consistently meets and/or exceeds contract requirements.
- Clients begin in facility, referred to as In-House (IH) and gradually transition to Home Confinement (HC). There are exceptions from time to time, but client placement **is determined by the BOP and/or US Courts**, not Dismas House of St. Louis.
- All IH clients receive a **MINIMUM** of the following:
 - o Their own bed, linens, and towels
 - o Cleaning supplies, toiletries, etc.
 - o Three (3) freshly prepared meals per day which are dietician approved.
 - o Accommodations for religious requirements.
 - o Access to health wellness and medical care as needed.
 - o Although not required in the BOP SOW, Dismas House provides each client with their own cellphone with unlimited calling, texting, and data.



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- Access to a computer lab to further aid with communication with friends, family, build resumes, find jobs, etc.
- Access to a dedicated on-site Case Manager, who meets with each client multiple times per month at a minimum, with higher frequency meetings as needed or requested by the client.
- Our case managers are well educated and are thoroughly trained. They are critical resources, responsible for helping each client successfully navigate the BOP | RRC program.
- Access to Social Services team members who help with housing, employment, financial education, and literacy, etc.
- Programs and partnerships with outside agencies, businesses, unions, etc. to help find clients gainful, meaningful, and sustainable employment.
- Although not required per BOP SOW, Dismas House has commercial washer and dryers onsite that can be used free of charge by all clients.
- Ability to leave the facility and be in the community with friends, family, work, treatment, volunteer activities, religious activities, sports, etc.
- While a secure non-public facility, Dismas House has multiple visiting hours for friends and family each week.
- Transportation, whether public, personal (family, friends, spouse, etc.) or their own vehicle. Dismas House subsidizes transportation for indigent clients.
- While clients are responsible for maintaining their space and even their bathrooms, Dismas House employs in-house housekeeping staff and outside vendors to ensure a clean and healthy facility.
- A safe and secure outdoor recreation space with basketball court, seating areas, and walking areas.
- 24/7/365 staff to help ensure a clean, respectful, and productive environment.
- Dismas House has spent millions of dollars over the last 5-6 years on the reentry facility.
- Dismas House has installed all-new client bathrooms, commercial laundry units, beds, mattresses, etc.
- Staff audit all client areas a minimum of six times each day and night.
- Special classes and courses (voluntary participation) that are facilitated by staff and outside parties.

Corporate Structure | LLC

- From 1959 to 2019, Dismas House operated under the charitable umbrella of the Catholic Archdiocese of St. Louis.
- In September 2019, a new board of directors (BOD) was formed. In June 2021, the IRS approved Dismas House of St. Louis to be a 501(c)(3) private operating foundation (POF) effective June 2019. 501(c)(3) POF's have the most stringent governance requirements and



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related party transaction restrictions. POF's are the most heavily scrutinized and reviewed organizations under the 501c3 structure.

- Dismas House remains in good standing with the IRS and is 100% compliant as a 501(c)(3) POF.
- Under board direction and approval, Dismas House of St. Louis underwent a reorganization, focused on growing its mission outside of St. Louis.
- Under the legal corporate structure of the IRS and State of Missouri, and under the approval of the BOD, Dismas House of St. Louis operates LLCs. Each LLC is a single-member entity wholly owned by Dismas House of St. Louis. There is no personal ownership, financial benefit, or outside interest held by any individual or external entity.
- Southern Missouri Reentry LLC, located in Farmington, MO is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dismas House of St. Louis that was awarded a DOJ-BOP RRC contract in November 2024.
- Dismas House and its LLC subsidiaries operate under federal service contract agreements, which are released in a public, competitive, transparent, and open bidding process.
- The federal government is taxpayer funded. Any federal government contract or expense, such as a service contract agreement, will be paid from tax revenue. Dismas House is not a public charity and is not funded by grants.
- To register an LLC in the State of Missouri, and most other states, an "Organizer" is required by law. Under BOD approval, the President of Dismas House of St. Louis fulfills these duties as part of their role for the organization.

Donations | BOD | Administration

- Charitable contributions made by Dismas House of St. Louis are generally focused on reentry initiatives. Dismas House also focuses on organizations that support mental health, youth services and initiatives, and other impacted communities. From time to time, Dismas House may also make donations to other 501(c)(3) organizations outside of these primary focus areas. Such contributions are fully compliant with applicable IRS regulations and consistent with the organization's policies and governance standards.
- "Agape Time Ministries," "Renaissance Rescue Ranch," and "Africa Inland Mission," were all legitimate 501(c)(3) organizations at the time of donation.