



# Liberty Behavioral Health Corporation Indiana Sex Offender Management and Monitoring Program Monthly Utilization and Status Report

January 31, 2008

## I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

January was a very productive and busy month for the INSOMM Program as our staff begins to move toward providing services to an increasing number of offenders in Phase II and begins the implementation of re-entry services by the District Re-Entry and Resource Coordinators (DRRC).

A District Re-Entry and Resource Coordinator meeting was held on January 3, 2008. The primary focus of the meeting was on preparing for the implementation of a re-entry placement class to be provided by the DRRC's at both the Plainfield and Miami Correctional Facilities. The re-entry placement class provided by the DRRC's is expected to lead to an increase in successful housing placement of paroled sexual offenders leaving the IDOC.

An INSOMM Program Management Committee Meeting was held on January 8, 2008. Issues addressed at the meeting included potential strategies aimed at increasing compliance with polygraph examination in Phase III, implementing quarterly parole agent training relating to sex offender supervision, a proposal to implement a "deniers" group to better manage offenders in Phase II that are resistant to treatment, and updates on programming enhancements in Phases II and III.

Several INSOMM Program Network Treatment Providers met with members of the INSOMM Program Management Team on January 9, 2008 for the first in a series of quality assurance meetings. The primary goal of these meetings is to develop an auditing process to be used with INSOMM Program Network Treatment Providers that will permit the INSOMM Program to assess quality of service provision in Phase III. The meeting included INSOMM Program providers from across the state, and generated a number of initial ideas and suggestions regarding ensuring quality in Phase III of the INSOMM Program. The next meeting is scheduled for February 22, 2008.

Dr. Deming, INSOMM Program Director, attended the IDOC's National Mental Health Conference planning committee meeting at the offices of Correctional Medical Services on January 15, 2008. Plans for the June conference are rapidly developing, and will include a host of national experts speaking in the areas of correctional mental health, sexual violence, and substance abuse.

Brent Myers, Sex Offender Registration Program Director, IDOC, presented training to the DRRC's on January 24, 2008. The training provided an excellent overview of sex offender registration laws in Indiana, and how these current laws are likely to be impacted by pending legislation such as the Adam Walsh Act.

Neil Remaklus, INSOMM Program Phase II Polygraph Examiner, began providing polygraph examinations at Miami and Plainfield Correctional Facilities this month. As such, the reader will notice an addition to the Monthly Outcome Report. Starting this month the report will present utilization data on polygraph examination in Phase II of the INSOMM Program.

INSOMM Program sex offender registration classes were not held in January. The registration class size was doubled in December of 2007 at Plainfield Correctional Facility, in an effort to prepare for the re-entry placement classes to begin in February there, and was therefore cancelled for January. Also, a scheduling error at the Miami Correctional Facility resulted in registration classes being canceled there in January. INSOMM Program sex offender registration classes are scheduled to resume in February.

Also this month, INSOMM Program staff began providing sex offender treatment services on the Re-Entry Unity within the Sex Offender Containment and Accountability Program (SOCAP) at the Plainfield Correctional Facility. Provision of sex offender specific treatment groups by INSOMM Program staff, to an expected 1,200 offenders within SOCAP, is scheduled to begin in February.

## II. CONTRACT DELIVERABLES AND PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

### A. Phases I and II and Re-Entry – Facility Based Services

<b>SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT FOR ADULT MALE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total this Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 07/06</b>
Number of Static-99's Completed			
▪ Low Risk	96	370	616
▪ Medium Risk	185	566	995
▪ High Risk	131	497	817
▪ <b>Total</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>1,433</b>	<b>2,428</b>
Number of Offenders Screened for Group			
▪ Number Accepting Treatment	61	359	1,983
▪ Number Refusing Treatment	5*	6	23
▪ <b>Total Screened</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>2,006</b>

\*Reasons for refusal among these five offenders included (a) a lack of interest (two offenders), (b) previously participated in community-based INSOMM Programming and did not want to participate in more INSOMM Programming during incarceration, and (c) offender wants to max out time and take INSOMM programming in the community during parole (two offenders). Code 116 conduct reports were written on these five offenders for failure to participate in mandatory facility-based treatment.

<b>SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT FOR ADULT FEMALE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total this Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 10/07</b>
Number of Assessments Completed	0	0	0
Number of Offenders Screened for Group			
▪ Number Accepting Treatment	0	8	8
▪ Number Refusing Treatment	0	0	0
▪ <b>Total Screened</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>

<b>FACILITY-BASED POLYGRAPH TESTING FOR ADULT MALE OFFENDERS</b>								
<b>Facility</b>	<b>Outcome</b>	<b>TEST TYPE</b>			<b>TESTS COMPLETED</b>		<b>OTHERS REFERRED FOR TESTING BUT TESTS NOT COMPLETED</b>	
		<b>Sexual Offense History</b>	<b>Instant Offense</b>	<b>Special Issues</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 01/08 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 01/08 – 01/08</b>
<b>MCF</b>	NDI	0	0	0	0	0		
	DI	0	4	0	4	4		
	Inconclusive	0	0	0	0	0		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1**</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>PCF</b>	NDI	0	0	0	0	0		
	DI	0	5	0	5	5		
	Inconclusive	0	0	0	0	0		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2***</b>	<b>2</b>

NDI = Non-Deception Indicated; DI = Deception Indicated

\*\*One offender refused polygraph testing at MCF.

\*\*\*One offender refused polygraph testing at PCF. One additional test conducted at PCF was listed as incomplete.

<b>RISK-BASED TREATMENT PROGRAMMING FOR ADULT MALE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total this Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 07/06</b>
Number of Offenders Initiating, but Failing to Complete Treatment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Low Risk</li> <li>▪ Medium Risk</li> <li>▪ High Risk</li> <li>▪ <b>Total</b></li> </ul>	0 3 2 <b>5****</b>	16 49 44 <b>109</b>	61 236 204 <b>501</b>
Number of Offenders Currently Enrolled <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Low Risk</li> <li>▪ Medium Risk</li> <li>▪ High Risk</li> <li>▪ <b>Total</b></li> </ul>	22 65 43 <b>130*****</b>		
Number of Successful Completers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Low Risk</li> <li>▪ Medium Risk</li> <li>▪ High Risk</li> <li>▪ <b>Total</b></li> </ul>	0 9 7 <b>16</b>	27 54 51 <b>132</b>	135 159 99 <b>393</b>

\*\*\*\*Three of these offenders quit group. Code 116 conduct reports were written on these three offenders for failure to participate in mandatory treatment. The remaining two offenders failed to complete treatment due to early release.

\*\*\*\*\*All 130 of these offenders were enrolled at Miami Correctional Facility. No offenders were enrolled in group at Plainfield Correctional Facility at the end of January due to the suspension of Risk-Based Treatment groups to prepare for implementation of INSOMM Program Treatment Services in the Sex Offender Containment and Accountability Program.

<b>RE-ENTRY UNIT TREATMENT PROGRAMMING FOR ADULT MALE OFFENDERS AT PCF</b>	<b>Total this Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 01/08 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 01/08</b>
Number of Offenders Initiating, but Failing to Successfully Participate in Re-Entry Unit Treatment	0	0	0
Number of Offenders Currently Enrolled	112		
Number of Offenders Who Released to the Community After Successfully Participating in Re-Entry Unit Treatment	0	0	0

<b>TIME-LIMITED TREATMENT PROGRAMMING FOR ADULT MALE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total this Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 08/07</b>
Number of Offenders Initiating, but Failing to Successfully Participate in Time-Limited Treatment	0	0	0
Number of Offenders Currently Enrolled	0		
Number of Offenders Who Released to the Community After Successfully Participating in Time-Limited Treatment	20	124	156

<b>TREATMENT PROGRAMMING FOR ADULT FEMALE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total this Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 10/07</b>
Number of Offenders Initiating, but Failing to Successfully Participate in Treatment	1#	1	1
Number of Offenders Currently Enrolled	18		
Number of Offenders Who Released to the Community After Successfully Participating in Treatment	3	9	9

#Offender was transferred to a different facility

<b>TREATMENT GROUPS COMPLETED / CANCELLED (Miami, Plainfield, and Rockville Correctional Facilities)</b>	<b>Total Groups Run this Month</b>	<b>Total Groups Cancelled This Month</b>	<b>Total Groups Scheduled This Month</b>
Number of Groups	164	23	187
% of This Month's Scheduled Groups	88%	12%	100%

<b>REASONS FOR CANCELLED TREATMENT GROUPS</b>	<b>Number Of Groups</b>	<b>% of the 23 Cancelled Groups</b>
Group Counselor on Paid Time Off	8	35%
National Holiday (New Year's Day and MLK Day)	6	26%
Group Counselor Writing Summary Reports	3	13%
Group Counselor Interviewing Applicant for Counselor Position at Miami Correctional Institution	3	13%
Group Counselor Was Assigned to Jury Duty	2	9%
Facility / Institutional Reason (Delayed Count)	1	4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>100%</b>

<b>RE-ENTRY PROGRAMMING FOR ADULT MALE OFFENDERS</b>								
	<b>GENERAL PAROLE AND PROBATION EDUCATION</b>				<b>SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION EDUCATION</b>			
<b>Facility</b>	<b>Date of Class</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 01/06</b>	<b>Date of Class</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since 09/06</b>
<b>MCF</b>		0	57	696		0	60	573
<b>PCF</b>		0	133	746		0	196	800
<b>Other Facilities</b>		0	0	628		0	0	2
<b>Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>2,070</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>1,375</b>

RE-ENTRY PROGRAMMING FOR ADULT FEMALE OFFENDERS								
GENERAL PAROLE AND PROBATION EDUCATION					SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION EDUCATION			
Facility	Date of Class	Total This Month	Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08	Total Since 10/07	Date of Class	Total This Month	Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08	Total Since 10/07
RCF		0	10	10		0	21	21
Other Facilities		0	0	0		0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>

**B. Phase III - Community-Based Services**

PAROLE TREATMENT PARTICIPATION SUMMARY FOR ADULT OFFENDERS	Number of Offenders
Number of Current INSOMM Adult Parolees Not Enrolled in Community-Based Treatment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Unknown Risk</li> <li>▪ Low Risk</li> <li>▪ Medium Risk</li> <li>▪ High Risk</li> <li>▪ <b>Total</b></li> </ul>	 7 5 23 15 <b>50</b>
Number of Current INSOMM Adult Parolees Enrolled in Community-Based Treatment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Unknown Risk</li> <li>▪ Low Risk</li> <li>▪ Medium Risk</li> <li>▪ High Risk</li> <li>▪ <b>Total</b></li> </ul>	 41 130 230 203 <b>604</b>
Number of Current INSOMM Adult Parolees Who Have Successfully Completed Community-Based Treatment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Unknown Risk</li> <li>▪ Low Risk</li> <li>▪ Medium Risk</li> <li>▪ High Risk</li> <li>▪ <b>Total</b></li> </ul>	 0 3 3 2 <b>8</b>
<b>Total Current INSOMM Adult Parolees</b>	<b>662</b>

PAROLE TREATMENT PARTICIPATION SUMMARY FOR JUVENILE OFFENDERS	Number of Offenders
Number of Current INSOMM Juvenile Parolees Not Enrolled in Community-Based Treatment	3
Number of Current INSOMM Juvenile Parolees Enrolled in Community-Based Treatment	37
Number of Current INSOMM Juvenile Parolees Who Have Successfully Completed Community-Based Treatment	1
<b>Total Current INSOMM Juvenile Parolees</b>	<b>41</b>

REASONS FOR NOT BEING IN TREATMENT AMONG ADULT OFFENDERS	Number Of Offenders	% of the 50 Offenders Not In Treatment
Pending Charge / Jail Detainer / Outstanding Warrant / Delinquent / Incarcerated on VOP	16	32%
Not Compliant with Treatment Requirements	10	20%
Medical Reasons	5	10%
Unable to Benefit From Treatment (Due To Mental Status / Cognitive Deficits)	4	8%
No Parole Stipulations	3	6%
Financially Unable to Pay or Suspended from Treatment Due to Prior Non-Payment for Services	2	4%
Parole Agent Error (Agents Failed to Notify Offenders of Their Initial Appointments)	2	4%
Short Parole (Both Offenders on Parole For Only Three Weeks)	2	4%
Transportation Problems	2	4%
Offender Completing Alcohol and Drug Treatment Prior to Starting Sex Offender Treatment	1	2%
Offender is on Dual Parole / Probation Supervision and Probation is Responsible for Over-Seeing Treatment-Related Issues	1	2%
Offender Denied His Offense and Passed an Instant Offense Polygraph. Due to This, Therapist Determined Offender Was Not Appropriate for Treatment.	1	2%
Offender Scheduled to Be on Parole For 1 Week Before Transferring Out of State	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>

REASONS FOR NOT BEING IN TREATMENT AMONG JUVENILE OFFENDERS	Number Of Offenders	% of the 3 Offenders Not In Treatment
Medical Reasons	1	33%
Offender Arrested on Adult Charges and Will Be Discharged from Juvenile Parole as a Result of These Charges	1	33%
Not Compliant With Treatment Requirements	1	33%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>

PAROLE POLYGRAPH PARTICIPATION SUMMARY FOR ADULT OFFENDERS	Total This Month	Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08	Total Since Program Inception
Polygraphs completed	53	243	3,741
Polygraphs cancelled	62	264	

PAROLE POLYGRAPH PARTICIPATION SUMMARY FOR JUVENILE OFFENDERS	Total This Month	Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08	Total Since Program Inception
Polygraphs completed	5	20	45
Polygraphs cancelled	3	21	45

<b>REASONS FOR CANCELLED OR MISSED POLYGRAPH APPOINTMENTS AMONG ADULT OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Number of Offenders</b>	<b>% of the 62 Offenders Who Missed Polygraph Appt.</b>
Incarceration / VOP / Delinquent	25	40%
Financial Reason	13	21%
Polygraph Examiner Cancelled (Examiner No Longer Conducting Exams For the INSOMM Program – 7 Offenders; Examiner Cancelled Exam After Failing To Receive Payment From Offender, But Investigation Revealed That Offender Had Paid Co-Pay to Another Examiner With Whom Exam Was Originally Scheduled)	8	13%
No Show / Late to Appt.	6	10%
Polygraph Examiner Opted Not to Conduct Exam – (Offender Was Uncooperative With Test Procedures; Concerns About Possibly Violating Offender's Civil Rights By Testing Him Prior to Offender Going to Court on New Domestic Battery Charges)	2	3%
Containment Team Decision to Cancel and/or Reschedule the Exam – (Decision Made to Cancel Exam Due to Offender Having Only a Short Time on Parole; Offender Transferred to a New Parole District)	2	3%
Parole Agent Overrode Earlier Decision By Containment Team to Have Exam Schedule at Shorter Than 6-Month Interval. Agent Requested That Exam Be Cancelled and Rescheduled at Regular 6-Month Interval.	1	2%
Medical Reasons	1	2%
Transportation Problems	1	2%
Discharged / Inter-State Transfer	1	2%
Polygraph Examiner Error (Examiner Cancelled Exam Mistakenly Believing Offender Was in Jail When He Was Not)	1	2%
Parole Agent Error (Agent Failed to Notify Offender of Exam)	1	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>100%</b>

<b>REASONS FOR CANCELLED OR MISSED POLYGRAPH APPOINTMENTS AMONG JUVENILE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Number of Offenders</b>	<b>% of the 3 Offenders Who Missed Polygraph Appt.</b>
Incarceration / VOP / Delinquent	1	33%
Containment Team Decision to Cancel and/or Reschedule the Exam – (Agent Requested Exam Be Rescheduled to an Earlier Date)	1	33%
Polygraph Examiner Cancelled (Examiner No Longer Conducting Exams For the INSOMM Program)	1	33%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>

<b>PAROLE-RELATED MEETINGS PERTAINING TO THE MONITORING OF ADULT OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since Program Inception</b>
Offenders Reviewed in Containment Meetings	705	2051	24,040

<b>PAROLE-RELATED MEETINGS PERTAINING TO THE MONITORING OF JUVENILE OFFENDERS</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>	<b>Total Since Program Inception</b>
Offenders Reviewed in Containment Meetings	35	127	354

<b>TRAININGS PROVIDED BY INSOMM PROGRAM STAFF MEMBERS</b>	<b>Total This Month</b>	<b>Fiscal Year Total to Date 10/07 – 01/08</b>
IDOC New Employee Orientation Training		
▪ Number of Meetings	0	1
▪ Number of Participants	0	28
Parole Agent Training For The Supervision of Adult Sex Offenders		
▪ Number of Meetings	0	1
▪ Number of Participants	0	15
Parole Agent Training For The Supervision of Juvenile Sex Offenders		
▪ Number of Meetings	0	1
▪ Number of Participants	0	8

### **III. QUALITY IMPROVEMENT**

During the past month, efforts to improve the quality of services provided by the INSOMM Program have focused most heavily on the following area:

- **Community Treatment Quality Assurance** – The INSOMM Program Network Treatment Provider Quality Assurance Workgroup met for the first time on January 9, 2008. The central goal of the workgroup is to identify aspects within Phase III of the INSOMM Program, in either its administration by Liberty Behavioral Health personnel or in the delivery of services by Network Treatment Providers, which require updating and/or improvement. Several different topic areas were discussed. These included (a) enhancing communication between Liberty Behavioral Health personnel and INSOMM Program Network Treatment Providers, (b) the assessment and reporting of offenders' progress during their treatment in the community, and (c) compliance among Network Treatment Providers with specifications listed in their contract with Liberty Behavioral Health. Future workgroup meetings will be used to further develop and solidify courses of action based on the ideas that were generated discussed at this initial meeting. The next meeting of the workgroup is scheduled for February 22, 2008.

#### **IV. PERSONNEL / HUMAN RESOURCES**

The INSOMM Program is proud to announce the addition of Kellye Harrison to our staff. Kellye started on January 2, 2008 as the District Re-Entry and Resource Coordinator in Parole District 8, and brings to her role as a DRRC a wealth of previous experience as a probation officer.

The INSOMM Program is also pleased to report that Misty Rudig has been hired and will begin working with the INSOMM Program as a Counselor 2 at the Miami Correctional Facility on February 18, 2008.

With the hiring of Misty Rudig, INSOMM Program staffing is now at 100%.

#### **V. GOALS AND UPCOMING EVENTS**

Goals for the month of February, 2008 include the following:

- Begin sex offender specific treatment groups within the context of the Sex Offender Containment and Accountability Program (SOCAP) at Plainfield Correctional Facility.
- Finalize decisions regarding a venue and speakers for the annual INSOMM Program training conference.

Upcoming events for the INSOMM Program include:

- Training will be provided to Parole District Supervisors at IDOC's Correctional Training Institute by Melissa Gharst, Assistant Program Director, and Adam Deming, Program Director, on Thursday, February 7, 2008.
- Training relating to the INSOMM Program will be provided by INSOMM Program staff at the Plainfield Correctional Facility as part of the New Employee Orientation Training on February 14, 2008.
- The second meeting of the Network Treatment Provider Quality Assurance Workgroup is scheduled for February 22, 2008.
- An INSOMM Program Management Committee Meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 25, 2008.