

Philadelphia Reentry Coalition's Survey of Nominees – 2021

Please keep the entirety of your responses to less than a page

Name: LeBrian

How long have you been involved in the Coalition?: 2 years

Describe any relevant personal or professional experience that makes you well-qualified to serve on the Steering Committee and carry out the mission of the Reentry Coalition.

For the past two years I've been working as the Reentry Coordinator at Broad Street Ministry. I have 2.5 years of experience as a job developer in Philadelphia and lived experience as a formerly incarcerated man. I was a single father for 6 years in PA and know the family services of Greater Philadelphia from experience.

Please describe your involvement in the Coalition (subcommittees, meeting attendance, project participation, etc)

I am an active member of the Reentry Coalition Working group. I also helped organize the covid job fair

Why are you running for a spot on PRC's Steering Committee?

I thought it would be a great position to try out for. I always wanted to be a part of the PRC's leadership team and I believe I can bring a wealth of knowledge to help the PRC's overall agenda of helping returning citizens

Do you have any specific goals in mind that you'd like the Coalition to accomplish?

I would like for the PRC to have more of a voice with the state parole board and the courts. My goal is to save years off sentencing by providing the courts and the parole board with reputable organizations that can act as a diversion from prison/jail.