



BUILDING BRIDGES of Opportunity

2022 COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE

OCTOBER 12-13

VIRTUAL AND IN-PERSON
FREE TO OHIOANS

WELCOME H.O.M.E.!

Do you plan to better welcome those coming home after an incarceration experience? Do you plan to work with those in your community to offer a better welcome home for your returning neighbors?

You are not alone! Each year at the **Community Experience** participants learn about emerging reentry trends and services that improve reentry service delivery and outcomes. AND, participants connect with co-laborers in collaborative sessions to create more positive reentry opportunities and experiences within their local community. This year is no exception!

Join us for the **2022 Welcome H.O.M.E. Community Experience** on **October 12-13**. This year's **Community Experience** is designed to provide information you need to offer a safer and more stable H.O.M.E. (Housing Opportunities and Meaningful Employment). Plenary speakers and panel discussions offer timely perspectives and strategies for coalition building and effective community collaboration.

Our goal is for reentry allies, justice professionals, impacted persons and service providers to become more deeply committed to creating positive reentry experiences by being more deeply connected to each other in community. The **2022 Community Experience** is designed for you to leave equipped and engaged for your next actionable steps.

You can check out further details about the 2022 Community Experience on the [West Ohio Conference](#) website or on our official [Whova](#) conferencing website.

We look forward to being with you on October 12-13.



WELCOME

Housing
Opportunities and
Meaningful
Employment

NATIONAL, REGIONAL, AND LOCAL EXPERTS

Learn *with* and *from* professionals, practitioners and impacted persons about effective practices for successful reentry



BRIDGE BUILDING BREAKOUTS

Build bridges to committed community leaders and solutions-focused organizations



LUNCH & LEARNS

Experience reentry from impacted persons' perspectives & practitioners



REENTRY RESOURCES

Discover available resource persons who can help you increase your impact and success

REGISTRATION WINDOW
SEPTEMBER 1 - OCTOBER 5
Cost: Free to Ohioans / \$25 Non-Ohoians

Use Discount Code **OhioFree** when registering

Follow this link to register:

<https://www.westohioumc.org/conference/registration-details>

*Becoming more **deeply committed** to our communities by
being more **deeply connected** in community.*

SCHEDULE

Wednesday, October 12

9:00 – 10:30AM	Opening Session*
10:45—11:45AM	Bridge Building Breakouts
11:45AM - 12:15PM	Lunch Break
12:15 —1:15PM	Lunch & Learns
1:30 – 2:30PM	Panel on Topic of the Day*
2:45 – 3:45PM	Bridge Building Breakouts
4:00 – 5:00PM	Virtual & In-Person Networking
7:00-8:00PM	APART Documentary (Streamed Online)

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Thursday, October 13

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1:30 – 2:30PM	Bridge Building Breakouts
2:45 – 3:45PM	Closing Session*
4:00 – 5:00PM	Virtual & In-Person Networking

* Streamed to Host Sites

REGIONAL HOST SITES

We have **five regional host sites** plus an online only option this year.

AKRON

Wedgewood UMC, 2350 Wedgewood Dr., Akron, 44312

ATHENS

OhioMeansJobs Center, 510 W. Union St., Suite 102, Athens, 45701

CINCINNATI

Sharonville UMC, 3751 Creek Rd, Cincinnati, 45241

COLUMBUS

West Ohio Conference Center, 32 Wesley Blvd, Worthington, 43085

TOLEDO

One Government Center, 640 Jackson St, Toledo, 43604

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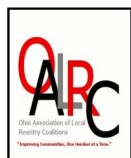
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ABOUT BUILDING BRIDGES

The mission of **Building Bridges** is to create space and opportunity for every community member to become more deeply committed to their community by being more deeply connect in community.

A full list of the planning team is available on the Building Bridges Community Experience website.

SOME OF OUR PLANNING PARTNERS:



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CITIZENS COLLABORATIVE

