

# LAO Various Items—Senate "Prison to Community Pipeline" Package

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### **Overview of Senate Package**

2019-20 General Fund (In Millions)	
Program/Activity	Amount
Adult Reentry Grant Program	\$80.0 <sup>a</sup>
Innovative Programming Grants	15.0
Specialized Treatment for Optimized Programming substance use disorder treatment	12.0
Pilot of therapeutic communities in state juvenile correctional facilities	8.0 <sup>b</sup>
Services for formerly incarcerated students at California State University and University of California	5.8
Therapeutic counseling to prepare inmates for parole hearings provided by UnCommon Law	5.0
Reentry housing provided by Amity Foundation	5.0 <sup>c</sup>
Reentry services for transgender, gender non-conforming, and intersex individuals	3.0
Reentry services for exonerated people provided by After Innocence	0.2
Total	\$134.0
a Includes \$10 million reappropriated from the 2018-19 Budget Act.	
b Senate package also provides \$8 million from the General Fund in 2020-21 and 2021-22.	
c Funds reappropriated from the 2018-19 Budget Act.	

■ Senate plan provides a total of \$134 million in limited-term General Fund support in 2019-20 for various programs related to offender rehabilitation and reentry. Of this amount, \$15 million are funds reappropriated from the 2018-19 Budget Act.



## LAO Background Information on Select Programs

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#### **Adult Reentry Grant Program**

- This program, which is administered by the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC), provides grants to community based organizations to support individuals who were formerly incarcerated in state prison.
- For 2018-19, BSCC received \$50 million in one-time funding for the program, including \$25 million for rental assistance, \$15 million for rehabilitation of existing buildings for housing offenders released from prison, and \$9.4 million to support individuals making the transition from prison to communities. BSCC is currently in the process of reviewing proposals and anticipates that grants will begin on August 1, 2019.

#### **Innovative Programming Grants (IPG)**

- This program, which is administered by the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR), provides grants to nonprofit organizations to deliver in-prison rehabilitation programs.
- For 2018-19, CDCR received a total of \$7 million for IPG, including \$4 million in ongoing funding from the Inmate Welfare Fund (IWF) and \$3 million from the General Fund that will expire at the end of 2018-19. Both houses adopted an additional \$1 million in ongoing funding from the IWF beginning in 2019-20, as proposed by the Governor.

#### Specialized Treatment for Optimized Programming

- This program provides services for parolees, including substance use disorder treatment, transitional housing, counseling, and employment services through contracts administered by CDCR.
- For 2018-19, CDCR received \$68 million for the program, including \$34 million from the General Fund and \$34 million in reimbursement authority.