

National Reentry Resource Center Presentation

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Presentation

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Today's Presentation

- About Safer Foundation
- Workforce Development and Retention
- Fostering and Maintaining Government Partnerships

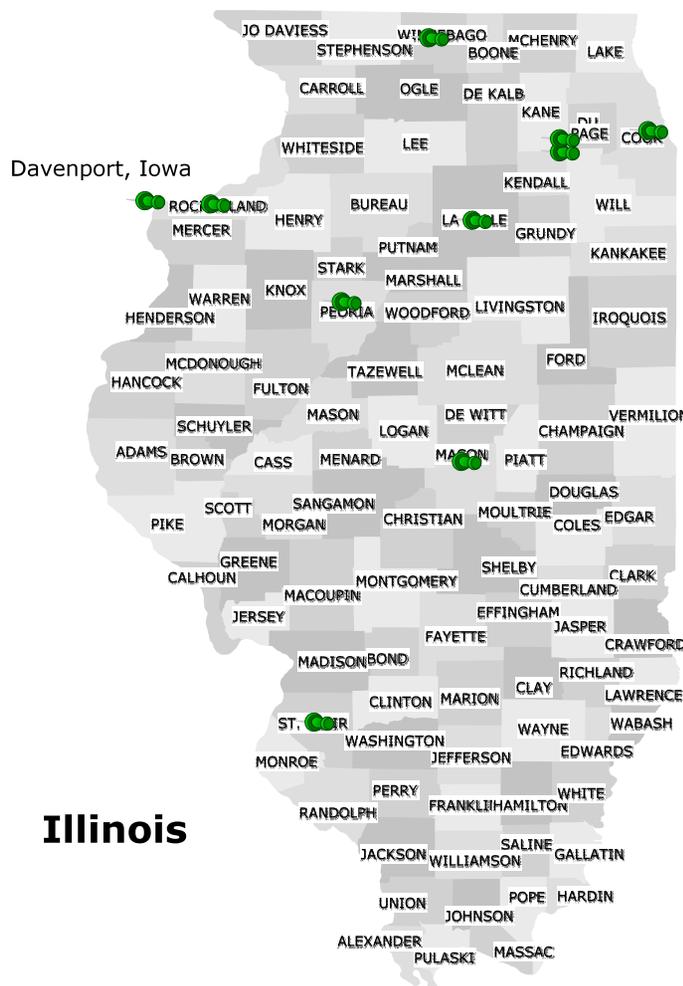
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Safer Foundation is a 38-year-old, not-for-profit organization, headquartered in Chicago.

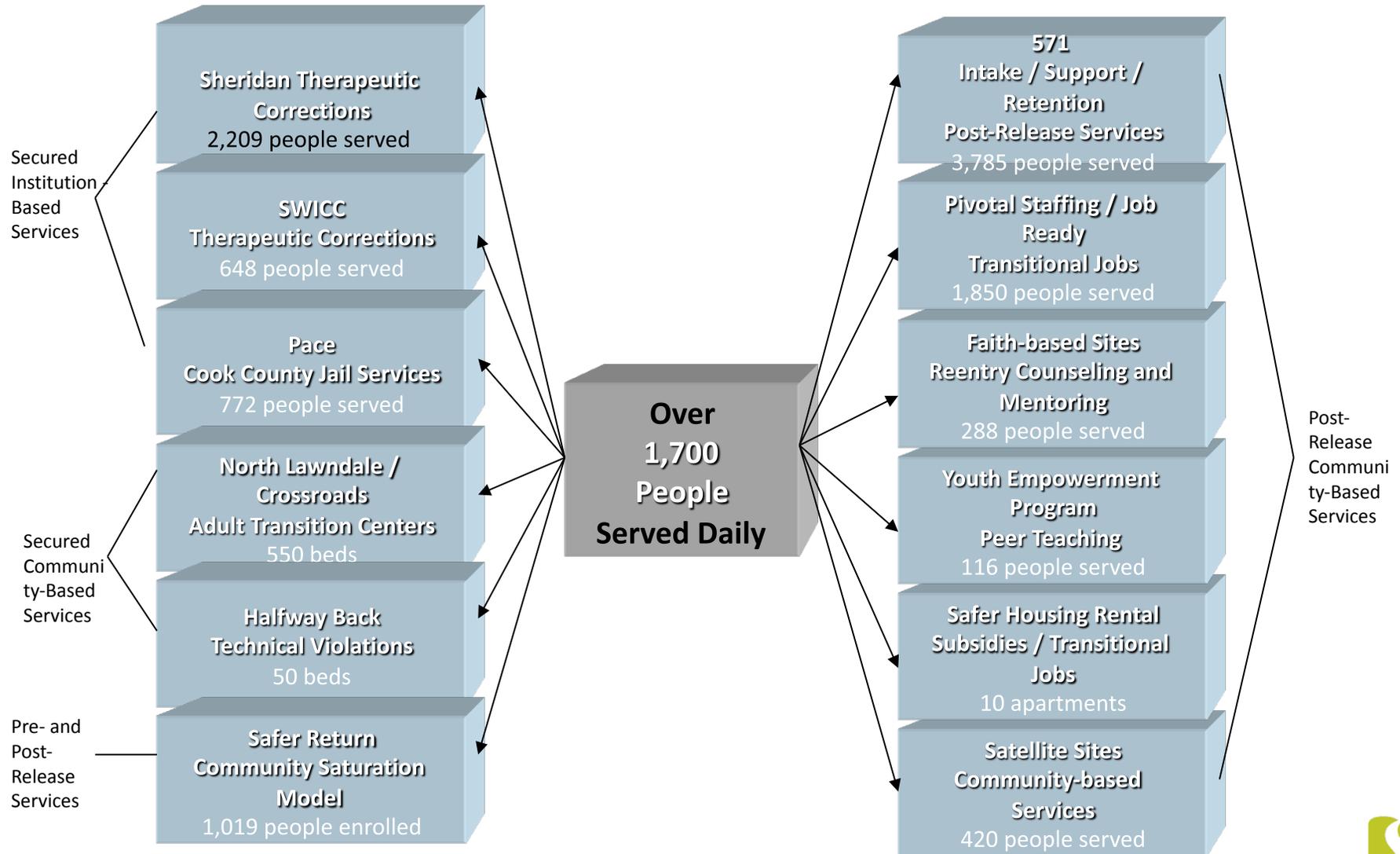
Our mission is to reduce recidivism by supporting, through a full spectrum of services, the efforts of people with criminal records to become employed, law-abiding members of the community.

- 19 locations in Illinois and one in Iowa
- 478 employees on staff (including Pivotal Staffing Agency)
- 62% reduction in recidivism rates (versus other IL releases)
- 2,700 job starts in FY10
- \$30 million budget



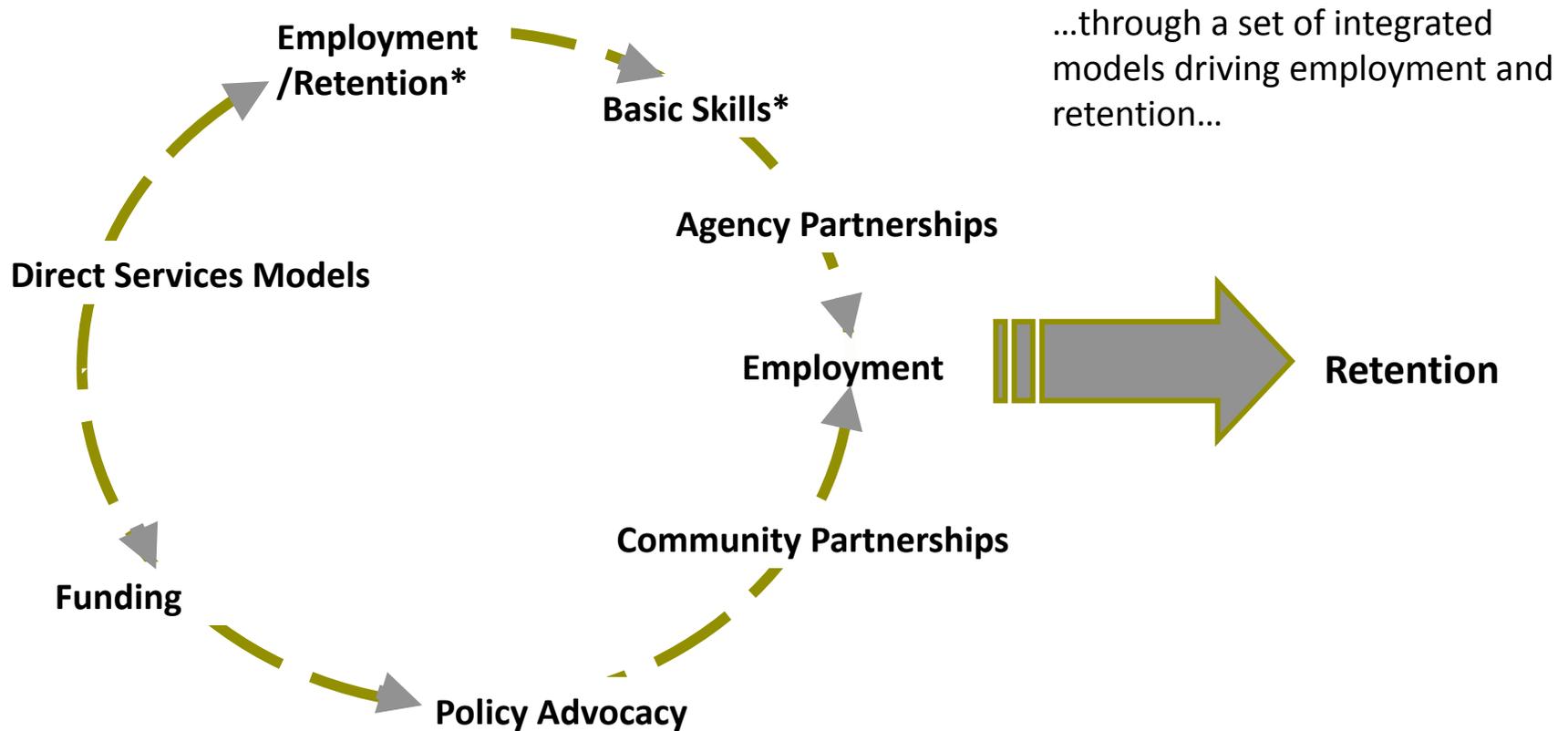
Safer Programs

(People Served in FY10)



Workforce Development and Retention

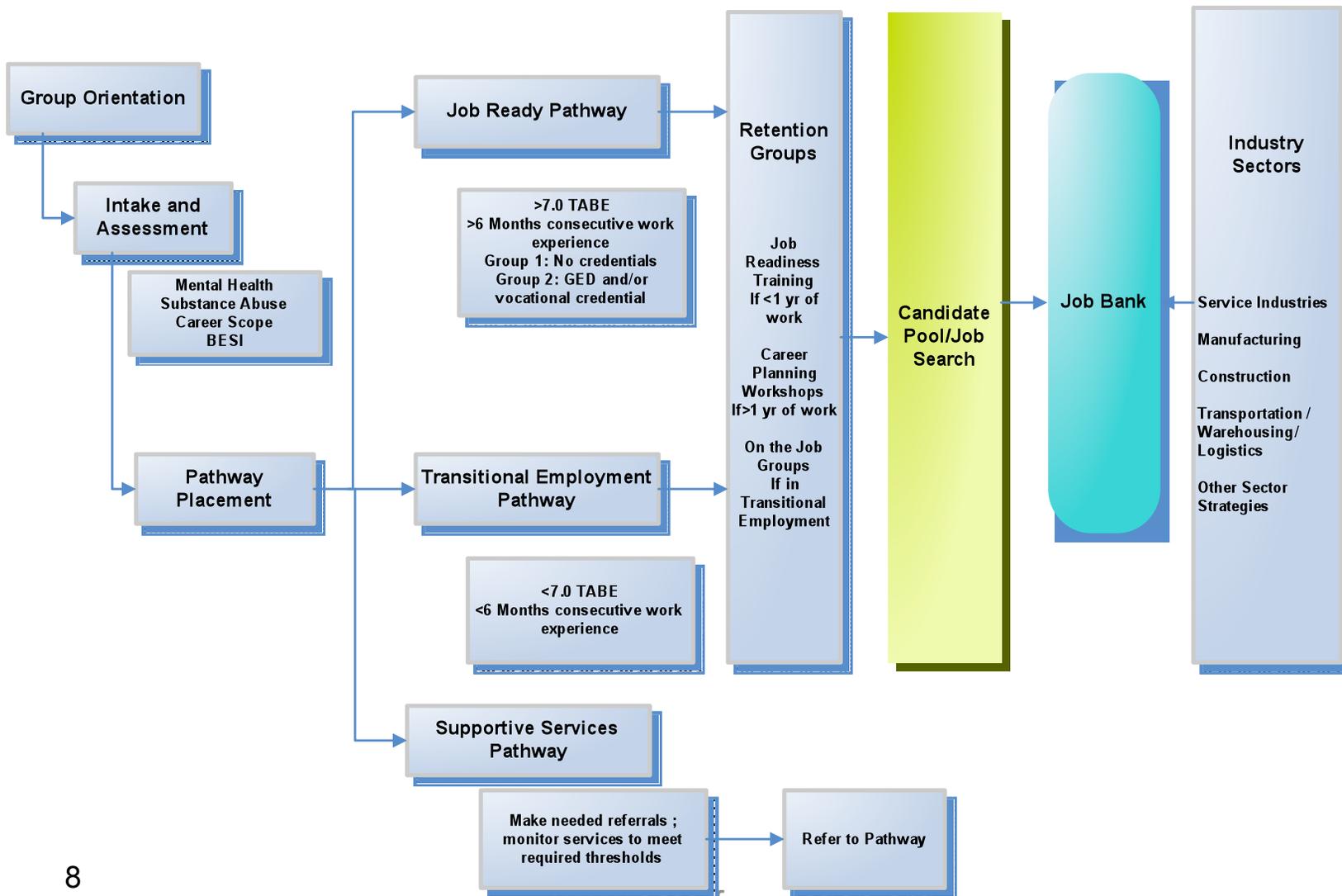
Focus is on Employment and Retention



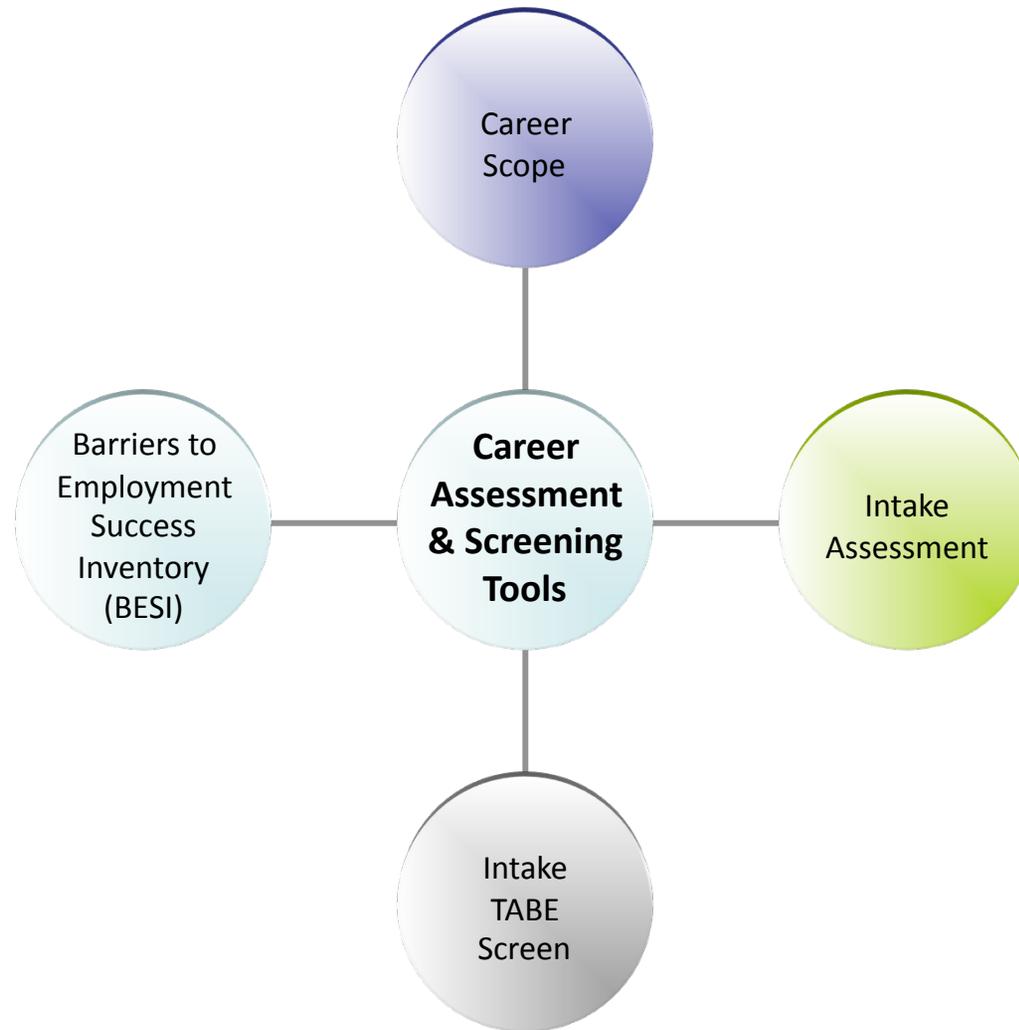
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Employment/Retention Services Model:

Safer Client Process Diagram



Key Resource Tools: Assessment & Screening



Key Resource Tools: Readiness

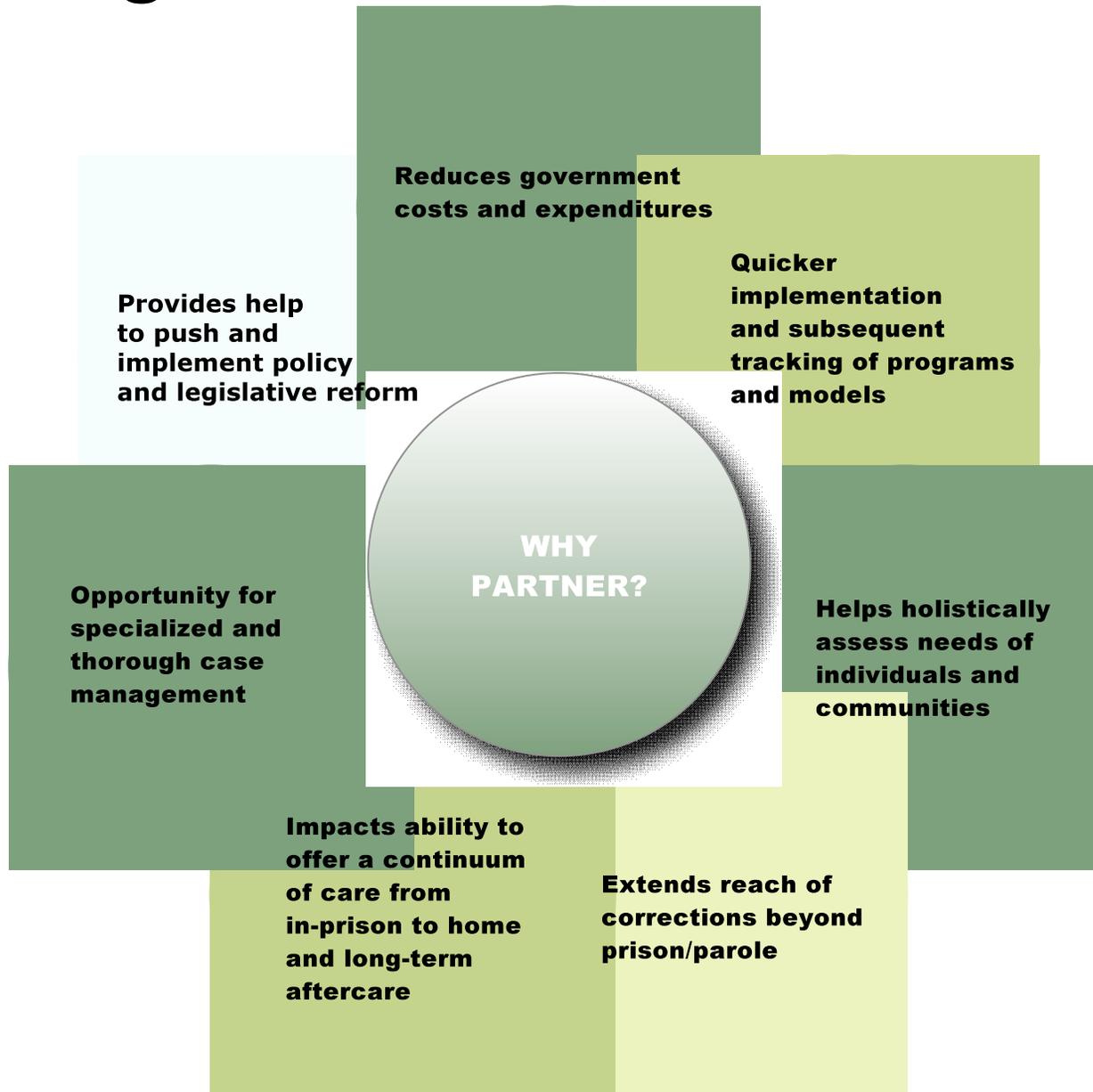


Key Resource Tools: Placement

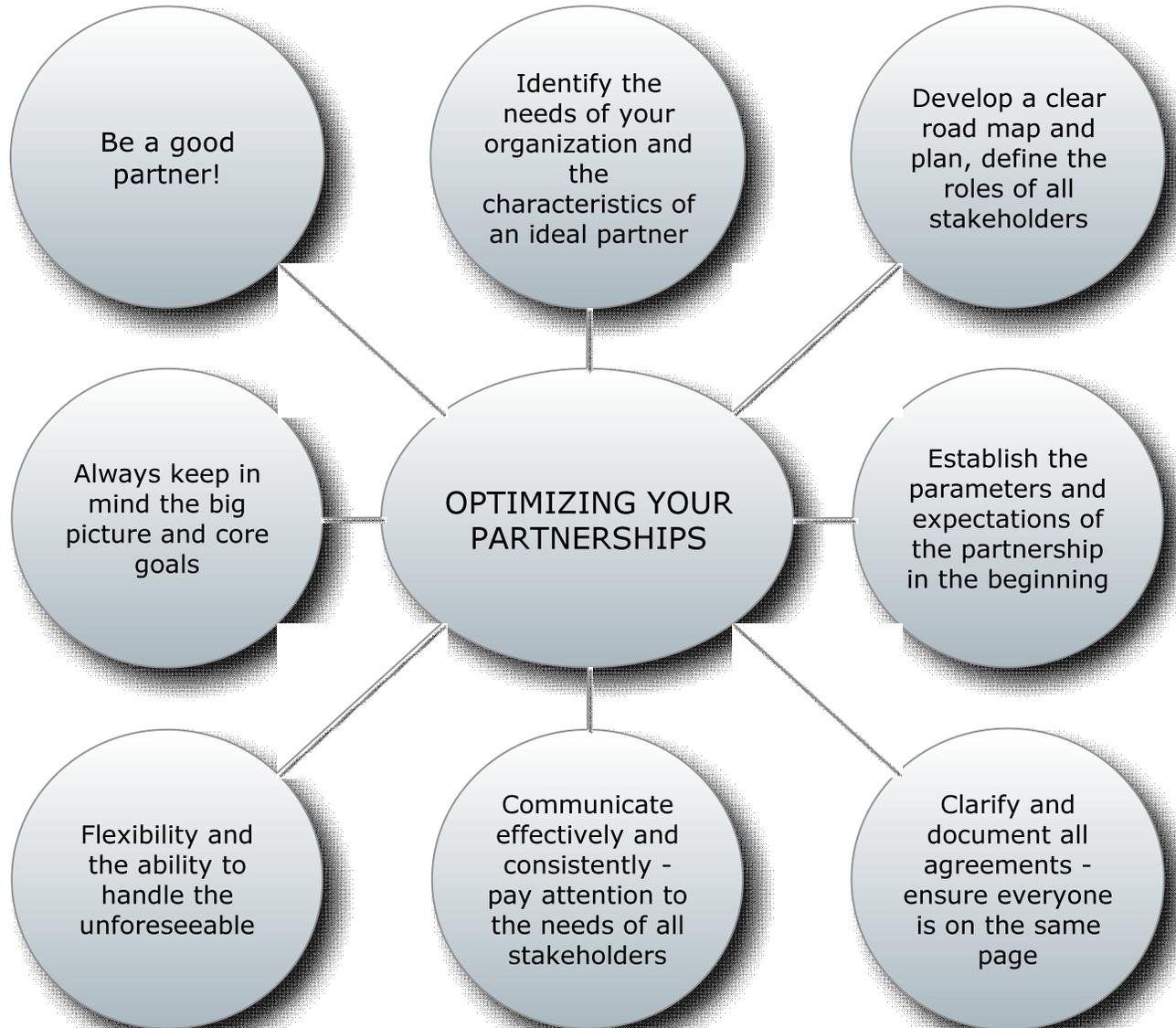


Fostering and Maintaining Government Partnerships

Advantages to Public/Private Partnerships



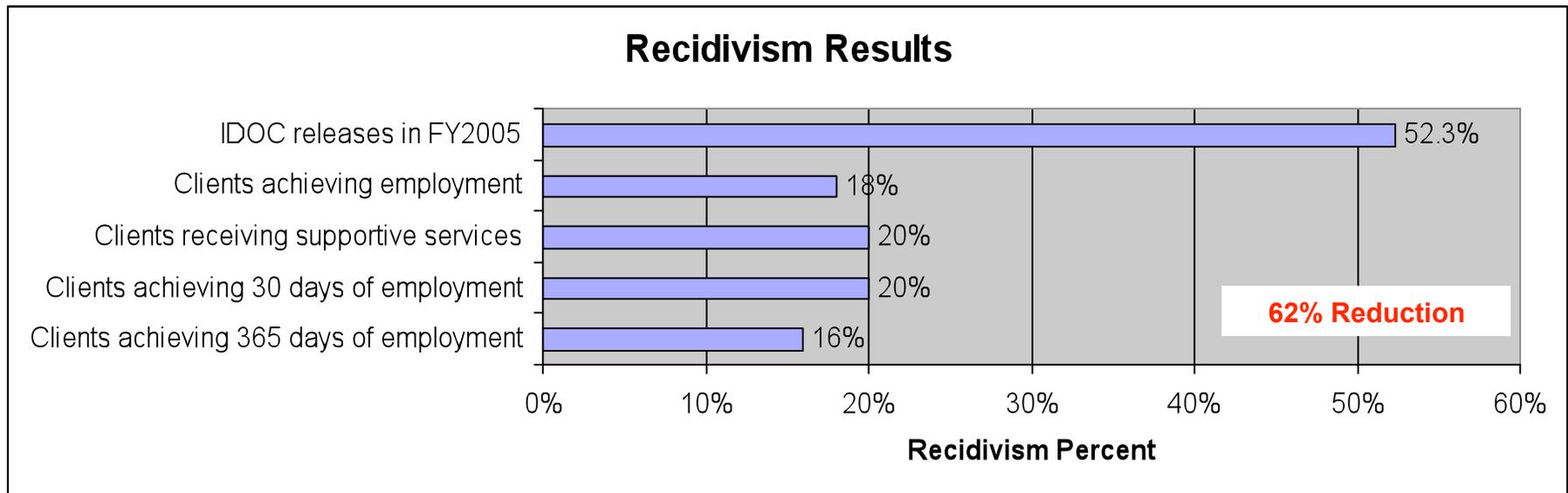
Keys to Successful Partnering



3-Year Recidivism Results

Services Overall

Recidivism rate for those who were re-incarcerated after services were provided
Safer services were provided for 8,157 individuals in 2005



Questions?