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PRESS RELEASE: PARENTING CLASSES FOR WOMEN INMATES

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The Danville City Jail will soon offer parenting classes to female inmates, this class will be similar to the existing "Inside Out Dad" classes which are currently offered to male inmates. Both programs are facilitated by the Danville Pittsylvania Community Services Board. The parenting class for the female inmates is called "Parenting Wisely" and will be limited to ten inmates per session. The program is an eight week course. The tentative start date for the first class is August 31st. This goal of both programs is to educate inmates who have children about how to improve their parenting skills so that when they are released, they can raise their children in a more positive manner.

This program is funded by the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services.

Since 2015, 107 inmates have been served in Danville and Pittsylvania County by the Inside Out Dad Program.

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