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Professionalism**  
**Education For Today  
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**United States Deputy Wardens Association**

## **73rd Annual Conference Program**

### **Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup>**

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Registration Open – Lobby Area
1:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Exhibitor Set Up
2:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Hospitality Room Open
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	USDWA Executive Board Meeting
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Past President's Reception
7:00 pm - 12:00 am	Hospitality Room Open

### **Monday, July 30<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 am - 8:00 am	Exhibitor Set Up
7:00 am – 8:30 am	Breakfast – Hospitality Room
7:00 am – 8:30 am	Late Registration
7:30 am	Exhibit Hall Opens
8:30 am – 9:15 am	Opening Ceremony <i>Chris Buesgen, President, USDWA</i> Wisconsin DOC Color Guard (OSCI) <i>Secretary Jon Litscher, Wisconsin Department of Corrections</i> <i>Jimmy Banks, Executive Director, USDWA</i>
9:15 am – 9:45 am	Announcements & Introduction of Vendors
9:45 am – 10:45 am	Exhibit Hall
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	<b>KEY NOTE SPEAKER, TBD</b> ( <i>Leadership focus</i> )
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Wisconsin DOC Overview – <i>Cathy Jess, Deputy Secretary</i>

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	SESSION: Recruitment and Retention; Stay & Leave; HR Directors – Moving to Local Recruitment
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Break with Vendors
3:15 pm – 4:15 pm	SESSION: • Crisis Intervention Partner- <i>Dr. Garbelman/Dr. Dawn Landers</i>
5:00 pm	Transportation leaves hotel lobby for evening event
8:00 pm	Return to Hotel
8:00 pm – 12:00 am	Hospitality Room Open

## Tuesday, July 31st

7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast – Hospitality Room
8:30 am - 9:30 am	SESSION BREAKOUT: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Evidence Based Practices -<i>Erin Thorvaldsen, Evidence Based Program Manager</i></li> <li>2. Body Cameras – <i>Tony Meli, WCI Security Director</i></li> </ul>
9:30 am - 9:45 am	Break
9:45 am - 10:30 am	SESSION: Correctional Bed Management – <i>Mark Heise, BOCM Director / William Pollard, DCI Warden</i>
10:30 am – 10:45 am	Break
10:45 am – 11:30 am	SESSION BREAKOUT: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Opening Avenues to Reentry Success (OARS) –<i>Lars Brown</i></li> <li>2. Employee Services Program -<i>Sara Frye</i></li> </ul>
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	SESSION: WRC Escape Attempt- <i>Captain Wallace Bump</i>
2:00 pm – 2:15 pm	Break
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	SESSION: Certified Peer Mentor- <i>Dr. Tracy Johnson / Gary Boughton, WSPF Warden, Cpt. David Gardner</i>
3:30 pm	Transportation leaves hotel lobby for Lambeau Field Tour
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Tour Lambeau Field
6:30 pm	Dinner in Green Bay to be determined
9:00 pm	Return to Hotel
9:00 pm – 12:00 am	Hospitality Room Open

## Wednesday, August 1st

7:00 am – 8:30 am	Breakfast – Hospitality Room
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8:30 am	Depart for OSCI Tour
9:00 am – 10:00 am	SESSION: DOC University
10:00 am - 10:15 am	Break
10:30 am – 11:00 am	SESSION: Diabetes Prevention Program- <i>Pam Geis, Sgt. Kinnard, 3rd presenter</i>
11:00 am – 11:45 am	SESSION: Incarcerated veterans initiatives- <i>Jeff Lawrence, Sgt. Ziegler, 3rd presenter</i>
11:45 am – 12:45 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm - 3:45 pm	Tour (Highlight Education/Vocational, Diversion Unit, Veteran's Unit, Dog Training Program) ***Note- suggest 2 to 3 tour groups doing a circuit tour
4:00 pm	Tour returns to Hotel
4:45 pm – 5:15 pm	Business Meeting – Open to all members
5:15 pm	Free night/Dinner on your own
6:15 pm – 12:00 am	Hospitality Room Open / Free Night

### Thursday, August 2nd

7:00 am – 8:30 am	Breakfast – Hospitality Room – Calhoun
8:30 am - 9:30 am	Session: WCI 1983 Riot- <i>Nevin Webster/Dan Benik</i>
9:30 am – 9:45 am	Break
9:45 am - 11:00 am	Session: Trauma Informed Care- <i>Jenny MCDermott/Je'Leslie</i>
11:15 am - 12:15 pm	Lunch
12:30 pm	Depart for Taycheedah Correctional Institution
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Tour- (Highlight gender responsive initiatives, education, vocational, Monarch Unit) ***Note- suggest 2 to 3 tour groups doing a circuit tour
3:15 pm	Return to hotel
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Hospitality Room Open
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm	President's Reception
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Annual Banquet –
8:30 pm – 12:00 am	Hospitality Room Open –

### Friday, August 3rd

7:00 am – 9:00 am	Breakfast – Hospitality Room
11:00 am	Hotel Checkout

## Have a safe trip home!

Stand by presentations:

- Restrictive Housing Reform- *William Pollard, DCI Warden*
- American Disabilities Act- *Lisa Pettera, Program Director PDCI/Tim Thomas, DW NLCI*
- Trinity University- *TBD*
- Recidivism Study – *OOS Research Unit*