



Nine DOCCS Facilities Receive National Accreditation Honors

The remaining nine DOCCS correctional facilities, audited in 2016, have successfully become reaccredited by the American Correctional Association (ACA). Each correctional facility, and other components of DOCCS, continue to be nationally accredited tri-annually by the ACA.

Between February and May the ACA audited and confirmed reaccreditation to 10 facilities by including; Cossackie, Fishkill, Five Points, Food Production Center, Hale Creek, Marcy, Mohawk, Mid-State, Sing Sing and the Willard Drug Treatment Center.

In August, the ACA started to audit another nine DOCCS facilities including; Cape Vincent, Collins, Eastern, Gowanda, Groveland, Lincoln, Rochester, Watertown, and Wende.

Eastern Correctional Facility, in Napanoch, was the first reaccredited facility in 1982. The reaccreditation process confirms the operations, administration, and management meets or exceeds hundreds of nationally accepted standards.