



# Correctional Ministry Summit

May 15-16, 2020 | Wheaton, IL

## Workshop Proposal Information

### What is CMCA?

Correctional Ministries and Chaplains Association (CMCA) is a professional association, founded in May 2011, through which Christians can celebrate their faith and passion for correctional ministry with other individuals, organizations, and churches; develop professionally through online resources, trainings, and certifications; and be inspired through networking, and conferences. Learn more at [www.CMCAinternational.org](http://www.CMCAinternational.org)

### The Mission and Vision

The **mission** of CMCA is to connect, encourage, equip, and strengthen Christians as they fulfill the Great Commission in corrections. The **vision** of CMCA is for Christians to work together in correctional ministry to advance Christ's kingdom and enhance public safety.

### Commitment

As we work to fulfill the Great Commission in corrections, we are committed to:

- Proclaiming Christ
- Making disciples
- Praying for one another
- Collaborating with others
- Loving all people and celebrating diversity
- Providing holistic care

### Summit Purpose

- Equip attendees to more effectively serve the incarcerated, formerly incarcerated, victims, and their families through specialized workshops, and resources.
- Facilitate collaboration among individuals and organizations through networking.
- Encourage those serving in correctional ministries to be faithful to God's calling.

### Summit Audience

- Chaplains
- Volunteers

- Correctional Ministry leaders
- Church leaders
- Corrections administrators and staff
- Community agency workers
- Formerly incarcerated
- Families of the incarcerated and formerly incarcerated
- Victims

## Workshop Details

**Presenter: Must be a CMCA member.** If selected **presenters must register for the Summit.** Each presenter and one co-presenter, of the selected workshops, will be given a discounted registration rate of \$100 per person. Any additional presenters must pay the full Summit registration fee. *All presenters are responsible for their travel expenses.*

**Time:** Each workshop is **90 minutes.** This includes time for question/answer.

**Workshop Tracks:** All workshop proposals must designate a workshop track in order to be considered. The tracks include:

- Advocacy
- Chaplains
- Juvenile
- Church leaders
- Jail/Prison Ministry
- Reentry

**Workshop Outcomes:** Address one of the focus areas as you develop your proposal outcomes.

- **Growing in Christ:** includes strategies for bringing people to Christ and helping others grow in their spiritual walk
- **Achieving results:** includes evidence-based practices, addressing criminogenic factors, research, and program evaluation
- **Changing the environment:** includes advocacy, organizational and culture change, and restorative justice
- **Growing as professionals:** includes skill-building, certification, and core competencies

## Workshop Selection Criteria

A committee selects the workshops using the following criteria:

- Topic is relevant and has clear description and outcomes
- Presenter's experience, education, and credentials
- Workshop is consistent with CMCA mission, vision, and core beliefs