

WHEREAS; celebrated annually during the first full week in May and in conjunction with Public Service Recognition Week, Correctional Employees Week recognizes all those who serve the state in adult and juvenile correctional institutions, probation and parole field offices, and all other areas of the correctional system; and

WHEREAS; through the diligent supervision of individuals in the care of the Wisconsin Department of Corrections (DOC), correctional employees demonstrate a commitment to ensuring public safety in institutions and communities across the state; and

WHEREAS; from security, food service, and maintenance to information technology, healthcare, education, mental health, and human resources, correctional employees represent a diverse workforce that covers a variety of professions; and

WHEREAS; this week, the state of Wisconsin joins the DOC in thanking correctional employees across the state for their important work and in reaffirming its commitment to providing correctional employees with the resources needed to ensure the safety of individuals in their care, their colleagues, and all Wisconsin communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim May 3 through 9 2026 as

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES WEEK

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance
to all our state's residents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 23rd day of April 2026.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State