Sentencing 101 Presentations: Guided Walks Through the Sentencing System

Purpose of presentation: to have members “walk a mile” in you/your constituents’ shoes.

Task: Share a “day in the life of” story/example that guides the group through your/your constituents’ experience in the sentencing system.

Outline/Framework for your presentation:

- Introduction, brief background, and where/what part(s) of the system you will guide the group through.
- Share story, example, experience, etc.
- One thing you think is not understood in your part of the system that you want to make sure members understand.
- 1-3 key things that stand out to you that you want to share with the group. For example, something that surprised you; something that doesn’t work; history or past that impacts the present, etc.
- One thing working well, why, and if it can be applied in other parts of the system(s).
- Any information, data, research, etc. that you think would help shed light on the part(s) of the system you just guided the group through.