



Office of the Ombudsman

Independent COVID-19 Oversight to
MA Department of Correction

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OUR APPRECIATION DURING NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS WEEK!

On May 5, 1984, President Ronald Reagan established *National Correctional Officers Week* (yearly, the first full week in May) to recognize and acknowledge the vital work and service that correctional officers across the nation perform day in and day out. We are all safer because of your collective commitment to your profession.

In recognition of the critical service that correctional officers provide, and to honor your professionalism and contributions, the Office of the Ombudsman would like to share our appreciation for each of you during this year's *National Correctional Officers Week*.

The Office of the Ombudsman would also like to acknowledge the key role that each of you has played in curbing the spread of COVID-19 in your respective DOC facilities and we are grateful for your continued leadership.

Regards,

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