

**COMMUNITY PRISONER MOTHER PROGRAM (CPMP)**  
**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

You must meet the following CPMP criteria to be considered for placement into the program:

- You must be eligible for Minimum Support Facility (MSF) placement.
- You must be pregnant or have a child six years old or younger.
- You must have legal custody of the child.
- You must receive permission from the Juvenile Court for the child's placement, if the child is a dependent of the Court.
- You must have been the Primary Caregiver prior to incarceration, which means a parent who has consistently assumed responsibility for the care, housing, and health of the child. You will not be excluded if, as primary caregiver, you arranged for temporary care for the child in the home of a relative or licensed foster home.
- You cannot have the child's placement challenged by Child Protective Services or the person currently caring for the child. (You are not necessarily ineligible for the CPMP if you have another child in a social service placement).
- You cannot be declared an unfit parent by a court.
- Your classification score must be 35 points or less.
- You must have less than six years remaining on your sentence after reduction for work-time credits.
- You must have more than 90 days to parole or release at the time of placement into the program.
- You cannot be an active Civil Addict commitment.
- You cannot have a current commitment or prior commitment conviction for a violent offense listed by PC, Section 667.5 (c). Property, Robbery, Burglary 1, and narcotic offenses are reviewed on a case-by-case basis.
- You cannot have a current commitment or prior conviction for robbery or assault where you personally discharged a firearm or personally caused serious injury to the victim whether or not your term is enhanced.
- You cannot have a current commitment or prior commitment conviction for arson, under PC, Sections 450 - 455.
- You cannot have an attempted or actual escape from a secure perimeter.
- You cannot have a "walk away" from a "non-secure setting" less than 10 years ago.
- You cannot have a current commitment or prior commitment conviction or enhancement (within the past ten years) for Weapons (manufacture, sale, or possession), PC Sections 12020, 12021 or 12022 (except PC Section 12022.6)
- You cannot have a current commitment or prior commitment conviction for kidnap per 207 PC.
- If your circumstances involved a crime that resulted in death to the victim your application will be reviewed on a case by case basis. You may be considered if the conviction was for manslaughter, or in response to a physically abusive male primary associate/partner, and you have no prior felony convictions, and no prior history of violence, whether convicted or not.
- You cannot have a current commitment or past prior convictions that require that you register pursuant to PC, Section 290.
- You cannot have an active or potential U.S.I.N.S. that precludes minimum custody placement or a felony hold.
- You cannot have served a Security Housing Unit term within 12 months.
- You cannot have a pending CDC Form 115, Rules Violation Report.
- You cannot have been found guilty of a serious rule violation during this term which resulted in a credit loss on one occasion of 91 days or more, or have a credit loss on more than one occasion of 31 days or more, and the credit has not been restored.

- You are cannot be documented as a prison-gang member, drop out, or prison gang-affiliated, nor have enemies who might jeopardize the security of the community or the CPMP facility.
- You cannot have demonstrated predatory sexual behavior including annoying children.
- You or your child cannot have current medical or psychiatric problems that require ongoing medical treatment not available in a CPMP facility.
- Your commitment offense cannot involve extreme public notoriety or be of the nature to draw unusual or negative attention to the program.
- You cannot have a history of adverse behavior in a community program requiring removal from the program.
- You cannot have documented evidence of drug use in last 6 months while incarcerated.