Key Lessons Learnt

Project: Getting Ready for Take Off (GRFTO) **Service Provider:** Second Chances SA (SCSA)

Trial Period: April 2019 to June 2021

Project Cohort: Youth and young adults from 13-25 years who have a parent in prison and/or who have been impacted by parental imprisonment, of whom 25% identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander.

Project Purpose: To break the generational cycle of welfare dependency and improve the employment opportunities of youth and young adults up to 25 years affected by parental imprisonment.

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'There is nothing more rewarding than to empower and support a young person in finding their purpose and direction in life' – Kim Pienaar Project Manager.



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DECEMBER 2020

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CHRISTMAS ANGELS 2020

Christmas 2020 in prison for children was different for most because the Department for Correctional Services put the health of prisoners, staff and their families first. Unfortunately, it meant several of the 'family days' were cancelled and tight restrictions were placed around Christmas visiting times. In one prison, no Christmas Angels presents were delivered there for Christmas. Instead they were posted or couriered to the homes where the children live.

Thankyou!

Together with all our generous sponsors and donors, we have brought joy to 426 children and their families this Christmas!



