



Construction

The Department of Corrections offers trade training and qualifications in construction and infrastructure in twelve of our prisons throughout New Zealand.

We have building refurbishment yards at Rolleston Prison and Spring Hill Corrections Facility where we refurbish Housing New Zealand Corporation houses. There is also a new builds yard at Spring Hill, which has covered bays for the construction of new buildings, such as classrooms.

Corrections also has several training workshops for construction and roadworks across the country.

The concrete yard at Whanganui offers the chance to learn concrete skills for a variety of structures.

We offer a range of on-the-job training, training courses and hands-on experience including:

- ✂ Construction
- ✂ Carpentry
- ✂ Plumbing, gas fitting and drain laying
- ✂ Painting and decorating
- ✂ Plastering
- ✂ Electrical work
- ✂ Brick and block laying
- ✂ Precast concrete operations
- ✂ Crane operation
- ✂ Worksite safety and use of power and hand tools

We offer the following qualifications:

- ✂ Gateway Programme in Carpentry
- ✂ New Zealand Certificate in Building Construction and Allied Trade Skills (BCATS)
- ✂ Certificate in Plumbing and Gas-fitting
- ✂ Certificate in Painting
- ✂ Gateway Programme in Plastering
- ✂ Entry to Electrical Apprenticeships
- ✂ New Zealand Certificate in Concrete Core Skills
- ✂ New Zealand Certificate in Crane Operations (Mobile)

We also partner with accredited tertiary institutions to deliver quality training to prisoners.





Concrete Yard

H. Whanganui Prison

Refurbishment and New Build Yards

E. Spring Hill Corrections Facility
O. Rolleston Prison



Training - Construction

- A. Northland Region Corrections Facility
- B. Auckland Prison
- D. Auckland Region Women's Corrections Facility
- E. Spring Hill Corrections Facility
- G. Tongariro Prison
- H. Whanganui Prison
- I. Hawke's Bay Regional Prison
- J. Manawatu Prison
- K. Rimutaka Prison
- M. Christchurch Men's Prison
- O. Rolleston Prison
- P. Otago Corrections Facility
- Q. Invercargill Prison

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