

OSDT Wellness Instructor Training Program

The Office of Staff Development and Training congratulate the following employees on completing the OSDT Wellness Instructor Training Program held November 21-23, 2016 at Martin Community College located in Williamston, NC.

This twenty-four (24) hour program provides specialized certification to instruct the OSDT Employee Fitness and Wellness Lesson Plans which are delivered in the Correctional Officer, Juvenile Justice Officer and Probation/Parole Basic Training Programs as well as Annual In-Service Training. Instructors were introduced to fitness and wellness as they relate to the overall fitness and wellness of the human body. The course provided training on coronary risk factors, human anatomy, exercise and safety, flexibility training, cardiovascular training, nutrition training and behavior change. Instructors participated in numerous physical fitness sessions that included several types of circuit training and flexibility training. Instructors were provided information and the necessary knowledge to assist DPS employees in meeting their wellness goals along with performing the essential job functions. Instructors successfully completed a practical demonstration and written examination.

Please join us in congratulating the newest OSDT WELLNESS INSTRUCTORS.....GREAT JOB!



Front Row (Kneeling/L to R): Xiomara Laureano, Brian McKnight, Stephanie Brown, LaFrance Davis

Second Row (L to R): Jessica Yarbrough, Howard Clark, James Stanton, James Marlowe, Charles Brooks,

Frances Jenkins, Sybil Kearse **Third Row (L to R):** Charles Pierce, Tobias Turley, Tyrell Griggs, Alton Brown, Matthew Essink, Herman Kemp, Joseph Welch, Robert Bishop