



KQED Truly CA Documentary *The Corridor* Chronicles a Bold New Experiment in Reducing Recidivism

San Francisco, CA.— KQED documentary series *Truly CA* is proud to announce its Season 13 broadcast premiere film *The Corridor*, directed by Annelise Wunderlich and Richard O’Connell. In this hour-long documentary, viewers are offered an intimate look at a semester of San Francisco’s Five Keys Charter School, the nation’s first high school custom built inside of a county jail.

Five Keys is built upon the guiding principle that education is the key to reintegration. Launched in 2008, all inmates in San Francisco without a high school diploma are required to enroll in the school. As the nation searches for new models of what restorative justice might look like, *The Corridor* examines a program taking steps towards disrupting the cycle of recidivism.

Through candid interviews with inmates, deputies, and teachers, *The Corridor* explores the unique challenges each subject faces as they work their way towards graduation day. The question at the heart of *The Corridor* is: If given an opportunity, what is our capacity to change the course of our lives? Viewers are encouraged to tune in for the broadcast premiere and explore this question for themselves.

KQED Truly CA’s season premiere *The Corridor* airs on June 22nd at 8pm on KQED 9.

About Truly CA

Truly CA is KQED’s signature documentary series, highlighting the unique characters and diverse experiences that define life in California. The Emmy Award-winning series is now entering its 13th season.

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