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Inmates Learn Valuable Skills while Feeding the Needy

Eight inmates at EMTC spent the three days before Thanksgiving preparing and delivering turkey dinners that fed about 700 needy people on Thanksgiving Day. The men cooked 60 turkeys with all the trimmings which were delivered to three Manhattan churches for their shut-in congregation.

The inmates, all of whom will soon be released, learned cooking as part of a job-skills program called I-CAN (Individualized Correction Achievement Network.) In this program, the Osborne Association provides classes, counseling and re-entry services.

