

Characteristics/History

- Opened in November 1990
- Was bought out from GEO by the state of Louisiana
- Facility is now known to be a private state owned prison

Allen Correctional Center

3751 Lauderdale Woodyard Rd, Kinder, LA 70648



Warden Keith Cooley
(pictured on the right)

Demographics

- Capacity: 1,538
- Current capacity: 920 (as of 2022)
- Staff: 290

Budget

- \$31,223,570 (2023-2024)
- Budget averaged per # of offenders: \$1,474
- Total cost per offender

Facility programs

- Educational programs (GED, AA, vocational)
- Reentry program (composed of 3 phases)

Scandals

- Formal correctional officer caught for taking and sending explicit photos to inmates (Jan 2024)
- Former inmate sues 2 prison officers for forcing him to take part in sexual activities (Oct 2016)
- 3 inmates escaped (2009)