

DURHAM COUNTY JUVENILE CRIME PREVENTION COUNCIL

Helping to Improve the Lives of Our Youth

Brief Description of JCPC Program Providers

EL FUTURO'S DURHAM COUNTY CLINICAL PROGRAM

Executive Director, Luke Smith, 919-688-7101

Clinic Manager, Sarelli Rossi, 919-688-7101

The program provides mental health and substance abuse treatment services for at-risk Latinos ages 7-17 in Durham County in order to decrease clinical symptoms, improve academic performance, increase life skills, and increase family functioning and decrease high-risk and delinquency behaviors. The program links delinquent and at-risk youth with caring counselors and psychiatrists who are bilingual and bicultural.

JUVENILE JUSTICE PROJECT

Director, Grace Marsh, 919-680-4575

The project deters youth, ages 10-17, from entering the pipeline of the criminal justice system by utilizing restorative justice practices, including victim-offender mediation, teaching conflict resolution skills, and administering in-school truancy court, for youth that are displaying delinquent behavior or at risk for juvenile delinquency.

PARENTING OF ADOLESCENTS

Program Manager, Leslay Franciscy, 919-403-8249

The program provides a 12-36 week, home-based family counseling program for at risk and court involved youth, ages 7-17, and their families. Together, the program works on developing healthy parent-child/family relationships, improve family management skills, problem solving and understanding adolescent development and behavior. The programs goal is to strengthen families and reduce the likelihood of an adolescent's involvement in the court system. Services are offered in English & Spanish.

PROJECT B.U.I.L.D

Program Director, Dr. Kedrick T. Lowery, 919-560-0537

The program's goals are to **Build Uplift & Impact Lives Daily** through direct outreach services to targeted youth, ages to refer and assist in enrollment in counseling, pro-social programs and community agencies and to ensure that project youth maintain an appropriate level of involvement and participation in such programs/agencies. The program serves youth between the ages 14-21.

THE P.R.O.U.D PROGRAM

Program Director, Quillie Coath, 919-956-8366

The Personal Responsibility to Overcome with Understanding & Determination Program serves adolescents ages 13-17 referred by the juvenile justice system. The program provides activities that reduce the criminal activity of the juveniles, re-ignites interest in school and engages parents in taking responsibility for their children.

TEEN COURT & TEEN COURT RESTITUTION

Director, Sabrina Cates, 919-682-1960

Teen Court provides first time misdemeanor youth offenders and middle and high school student volunteers opportunities to develop skills, and insight. Youth also contribute to their community in a responsible and positive manner through participation in Teen Court, community service, and educational workshops. The **Restitution Program** provides community service opportunities for adjudicated youth and assists adjudicated youth with repaying victims of their crimes.

REBOUND, ALTERNATIVES FOR YOUTH

Program Co-Director, Lizzie Ellis-Furlong, 919-949-6483

Rebound provides intensive services to Durham County middle and high school youth on short-term suspension (a maximum of 10 days) from school by focusing on their strengths and resilience so that they may develop the skills, supports, and strategies needed to reconnect with their schools, communities, and families and achieve their goals. Rebound provides an all-day, comprehensive program of activities for youth on suspension.

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