## Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Durham County Plan For FY 2018-2019

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## **ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**

The Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) would like to thank Celia Jefferson, Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Coordinator for providing the administrative support to ensure JCPC fulfills its statutory responsibilities and providing technical and compliance guidance to program service providers. JCPC also expresses appreciation to Walter Crews, Area Consultant for Community Programs for the Division of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice within the North Carolina Department of Public Safety for working to provide guidance and policy interpretation to JCPC and program service providers in addition, JCPC expresses gratitude to Gudrun Parmer, Director of the Durham County Criminal Justice Resource Center (CJRC) for ensuring JCPC had support from staff and meeting space.

The assistance, availability and accommodations of Ms. Jefferson, Mr. Walter Crews and Mrs. Parmer and CJRC were invaluable in aiding the members of JCPC in performing our duties.

## **Executive Summary**

The Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC), in fulfillment of the duties and responsibilities as set forth in the General Statutes of the State of North Carolina, has reviewed and updated the County Plan for FY 2018-2019.

The JCPC has identified issues and factors that have an influence and impact upon delinquent youth, at-risk youth, and their families in Durham County. Further, the JCPC has identified strategies and services most likely to reduce/prevent delinquent behavior.

**JCPC Action Plan:** An Action Plan to impact delinquent behavior (included in this document) has been developed. With the goals, measurable objectives and corresponding outcomes, the JCPC proposes to: prevent or reduce delinquent behavior in Durham County youth.

## Goals:

- 1. Prevent and reduce delinquent behavior
- 2. Reduction of complaints
- 3. Parent involvement
- 4. Reduction in violations of community supervision
- 5. Program completion

Major gaps in available service identified by the Durham County JCPC include the development and strengthening of effective and accessible alternatives to suspension programs, gang prevention and intervention programs and programs that increase parental involvement and support. Durham County JCPC is particularly interested in programs that are culturally competent, inclusive and accessible to youth and their families.

<u>Priorities for Funding:</u> Through a risk & needs assessment of Durham County, and a resource assessment, the JCPC has determined that the following services are needed to reduce/prevent delinquency in Durham.

## Residential:

Temporary Shelter Care Runaway Shelter Care

## **Assessment Program:**

Psychological Assessment

## **Restorative Programs:**

Teen Court Restitution Mediation/Conflict Res.

## **Programs:**

## **Clinical Treatment Programs:**

Home Based Family Counseling Crisis Counseling Tutoring/Academic

Enhancement

## **Structured Activities:**

Mentoring Parent/Family Skill Building Interpersonal Skill Building Substance Abuse Treatment

Sexual Offender Treatment

## **Community Day Programs:**

Juvenile Structured Day

Monitoring and Evaluation: Each program funded in the past year by the JCPC has been monitored. The monitoring results and program outcomes evaluations were considered in making funding allocation decisions. The JCPC continues to conduct implementation monitoring of its action plan and its funded programs on a quarterly basis.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nisha Williams
Chair Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council
May 15, 2018

## **ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE**

JCPC had a total of 24 members.

Chairperson	Nisha Williams	Juvenile Defense Attorney
Vice Chair Person	Angela Nunn	Director of Durham Co. Youth Home
Secretary	Jessica Jones	Citizen
Treasurer	Drew Cummings	Office of the County Manager-Chief of Staff
Parliamentarian	Andre' Hinton	Sheriff Department Designee
Chief Court Counselor	Tasha Jones Butts	Division of Juvenile Justice

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. 143B-846(c) and Bylaws, Article III, Officers, a chair, vice chair, secretary, treasurer and parliamentarian are elected from the membership on an annual basis prior to the need of the fiscal year.

Meeting Date	Number of Members in Attendance	Quorum Present Yes/No
July 26, 2017	Meeting Cancelled	N/A
August 22, 2017	13	Υ
September 27, 2017	13	Υ
October 25, 2017	14	Υ
November 15, 2017	15	Υ
December 20, 2017	16	Y
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January 24, 2018	15	Υ
February 28, 2018	15	Y
March 28, 2018	17	Υ
April 25, 2018	20	Υ
May 23, 2018	15	Υ
June 27, 2018	JCPC Community Forum Event	N/A

## FY 2017-2018 Accomplishments

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JCPC works to intervene, respond to and treat the needs of juveniles at-risk of delinquency in Durham County. The FY 2017-2018 accomplishments were as follows:

Allocated \$536,666 from the North Carolina Department of Public Safety Division of Adult Correction & Juvenile Justice to fund ten continuation programs serving delinquent and at-risk youth in Durham County for FY 2017-2018.

Each program funded in the past year by JCPC has been monitored for compliance with Program Agreements by examining records documenting sound fiscal and program implementation and client tracking information using NC Allies to ensure an accurate account of services. In addition, JCPC reviewed information related to program evaluation, methods to maintain service fidelity and program improvements efforts and strategies.

The monitoring results and program outcomes evaluations were considered in making funding allocation decisions. JCPC continues to conduct implementation monitoring of its Action Plan and its funded programs on a quarterly basis. JCPC also requires funded programs to submit quarterly reports on youth admitted, number of youth served, referral source, referral reason, evidence of program progress and methods on how JCPC can assists the funded program.

Having published a Request for Proposals (RFP) for needed services for a minimum of thirty (30) days, JCPC has screened the submitted proposals and determined which proposals best meet the advertised needed services for Durham County youth. As required by statute, JCPC recommends allocation of \$536,666 for reducing or preventing delinquency and develop strategies to achieve targeted outcomes.

JCPC further recommends that \$12,000 be allocated for the administrative costs of JCPC for FY 2018-2019.

Participated in the 2017 National Night Out Community Cookout hosted by the Beta Phi Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. Adults and youth received information about Durham County Teen Court & Restitution Program, Parenting of Adolescents Program,

Represented by members at the 2017-2018 Fall & Spring Conference of the North Carolina Juvenile Services Association (NCJSA).

Community Relations Committee revised the JCPC Brochure FY 2018-2019 and will disseminate the brochures throughout the community informing citizens about JCPC.

Nominating Committee presented a slate of officers for F.Y. 2018-2019.

At each meeting, a JCPC funded program providers presented their program.

Former Judge Marcia Morey was awarded the 2017 Karen K. Thompson Outstanding Service Award in recognition of her outstanding leadership, service & advocacy to prevent & mitigate juvenile delinquency to enhance the lives of youth in Durham County while serving on the Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council. The Karen K. Thompson Outstanding Service Award is named in memory, honor and service of long-time JCPC treasurer and youth advocate Karen K. Thompson, the first recipient of the award. For over 10 years, Karen provided leadership throughout the funding process and helped train new members; she passed on August 21, 2014.

## **Durham JCPC Let's Talk: A Community Conversation**

On June 27, 2018, the Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) hosted Let's Talk: A Community Conversation at the Hayti Heritage Center from 5pm - 8pm. From 5pm - 6pm the seven (7) programs funded by JCPC networked with attendees in the front room. The room was alive with energy as community members conversed with high school students, families, and community stakeholders. Food was also served from 5pm - 6pm.

Our program was from 6pm – 8pm in the Auditorium. Our program was a mix of spoken word and juvenile justice information. Durham County Commissioner Brenda Howerton opened the program and welcomed the audience members. Our program highlighted three dynamic youth performers Ayanna Albertson, Spoken Word; Jerimiah Henderson, Rap Performance; and Monya Jones, Spoken Word. These performances moved the audience to their feet in standing ovations. In between each performer, we gave out updates on the juvenile justice system in Durham. Our chair and host, Nisha G. Williams highlighted all seven JCPC funded programs and recognized their efforts working together and with Durham Public Schools and the Durham County Student Resource Officers. She discussed the desire of JCPC to educate the community on the Raise the Age legislation that will impact the Juvenile Justice office.

Durham County's Chief Court Counselor Tasha Jones Butts presented to the audience necessary information on the impact that the Raise the Age legislation will have on our current youth population as well as the current statistics on how many actual juvenile complaints and juveniles are received in Durham County Juvenile Justice office. Sergeant Andre Hinton spoke to the audience on the work the Student Resource Officers have been doing to work with school system to avoid charging students with a criminal offense, as a result these young people are avoiding entering the criminal justice system by diverting them to our JCPC programs.

A five-person panel facilitated by Donna Rewalt discussed what systems and institutions are doing to address racial inequities and better the lives of young people in Durham County. The panel had representatives from Durham Public Schools, Dr. D. Kelvin Bullock, Director for Equity Affairs for Durham Public Schools; Alliance Behavioral Healthcare, Community Education and Outreach, James Osborne; Southern Coalition for Social Justice, Co-Director of the Youth Justice Project, Peggy Nicholson; Court System - District Court Judges, the Honorable Shamieka Rhinehart & the Honorable Amanda Maris, as well as N.C. House Representative District 30, Marcia Morey. Their insight and advice added much value to our conversation with the community.

Our event planned for 150 guests and we had 150 people attend our event. Hillside High School brought a bus full of football players to attend the event. We spoke not only to community stakeholders in the audience, but we were also able to communicate vital information that impact Durham youth regarding the Durham criminal justice system directly to young people.

Special thanks to the planning committee, executive committee, and the Criminal Justice Resource Center staff for planning an excellent, informative, well executed and well attended event. Nisha G. Williams, Tasha Jones Butts, Andre Hinton, Jessica Jones, Drew Cummings, Angela Nunn, Amanda Fratrik, Brenda Howerton, Cameron Phillips, Celia Jefferson, and Gudrun Parmer.

Although JCPC meetings are open to the public, the public if often unaware of our monthly meetings so we as a council decided to take JCPC to the community!

My hope for next year is to host another community conversation highlighting the programs on stage as well as have a panel of half youth and half adults who actively work with youth on juvenile justice. 2017-2018 was a wonderful year for Durham's JCPC and I look forward to what we have in the 2018-2019 year as we continue to prepare for Raise the Age.

Nisha G. Williams, Chair of Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council 6.28.18.

- I. Risk Assessment Summary
- II. Needs Assessment Summary
- III. Existing Community Resources Summary
- IV. Gaps and Barriers in the Community Continuum Summary
- V. Proposed Priority Services for Funding

## Part I. Risk Assessment Summary

The Risk and Needs Assessment Committee reviewed data gleaned from the Juvenile Risk Assessment instrument administered by Juvenile Court Counselors after juveniles are referred with a complaint alleging that a delinquent act has occurred and prior to adjudication of the juvenile. The Juvenile Risk Assessment is an instrument used to predict the likelihood of the juvenile being involved in future delinquent behavior. For some youth, some of the individual item ratings may be heavily dependent upon information reported by the juvenile or the parent(s).

## Durham County Risk Factor Observations: Data from FY 2016-2017

(Refer to the attached chart for actual percentages)

- Court-involved Durham juveniles are more likely to have multiple (4 or more) referrals than statewide peers. (R2)
- The most serious prior adjudication for court-involved Durham juveniles is more likely to be a felony or serious misdemeanor than those of statewide peers. (R3)
- Prior assaults committed by court-involved Durham juveniles are more likely to have been committed with a weapon than assaults perpetrated by statewide peers. It is a small percentage (5% of 180 juveniles is only 9 individuals) (R4)
- Court-involved Durham juveniles are far more likely to have run away from home or a placement than their statewide peers. (R5)
- Court-involved Durham juveniles have substance abuse issues requiring assessment or treatment at higher rates than their statewide peers. (R6)
- School behavior problems for court-involved Durham youth are more likely to be serious, especially for the past 2 years. (R7)
- Court-involved Durham juveniles are more than 3 times likely to be a gang member or associate with a gang than their statewide peers. (R8)

The Risk and Needs Assessment Committee also reviewed data gleaned from the Juvenile Needs Assessment instrument administered by Juvenile Court Counselors prior to court disposition of a juvenile. The Juvenile Needs Assessment is an instrument used to examine a youth's needs in the various domains of his life: The Individual Domain, The School Domain, The Peer Domain, and the Community Domain. This instrument was designed to detect service intervention needs as an aid in service planning. As with the Juvenile Risk Assessment, some of the individual item ratings may be heavily dependent upon information reported by the juvenile or the parent(s). For these items (noted by an asterisk), there is a likelihood of under-reporting the incidence of a particular behavior and the actual incidence may be higher than suggested by these figures. In those cases, the figure should be interpreted as a measure of the minimum level of occurrence.

## **Durham County Elevated Needs Observations: FY 2016-2017**

- 27% of youth at intake reported to have level of substance abuse needing treatment (Y4)
- 46% of youth at intake reported to need more mental health assessment (Y8)
- 58% of youth at intake reported to have family member with a criminal history (42%) or were under active court supervision or gang involvement (16%) (F5)

## Part III. Existing Community Resources Summary

Statewide contractual services available for Level II Juvenile Court involved youth in Durham County include the following:

- Eckerd Short Term Residential for males only
- West Care Residential Services for females only
- Dillon Crisis and Assessment Center operated by Methodist Home for Children
- Functional Family Therapy by AMIkids

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## Part IV. Gaps and Barriers in the Continuum of Services Summary

Programs to address community sanctions for juvenile court do not exist outside of programs funded by the Juvenile Crime Prevention Council.

## Part V. Proposed Priority Services for Funding

The committee compared the services needed to address the elevated Juvenile Risk Factors and Juvenile Needs with services currently available in the community. Services which are currently available in the community and sufficient to meet the needs of court involved youth or those youth most at risk for court involvement are not considered as a priority for JCPC funding.

The Committee proposes that the following services in ranked order be approved as the funding priorities for FY 2018-2019.

- 1. Community Service/Restitution
- 2. Teen Court
- 3. Mentoring

- Counseling
   Skill Building Programs
   Home Based Family Counseling
   Mediation/Conflict Resolution
- 7. Structured Day
- 8. Tutoring/Academic Enhancement9. Substance Abuse Treatment

## Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Request for Proposals

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## Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Funding Decisions Summary

Program Funded	Reason for Funding (Check all that apply)
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Durham County Teen Court	Meets funding priority Compatible with research Cost efficient Addresses reductions of complaints, violations of supervision & convictions Has evaluation component Addresses parental accountability Addresses use of alcohol/controlled substances Addresses restitution to victims Addresses gang participation  Other Addresses parents minor complaints from the Juvenile Court System
Durham County Community Service and Restitution	Would increase funding to this service if funds were available
El Futero - Mixed Counseling	Meets funding priority Compatible with research Cost efficient Addresses reductions of complaints, violations of supervision & convictions Has evaluation component Addresses parental accountability Haddresses use of alcohol/controlled substances Addresses restitution to victims Addresses gang participation  Other Mould increase funding to this service if funds were available
Rebound - Juvenile Structured Day	le with research X Cost efficient Addresses reductions of complaints, violations of supervision & convictions ability Addresses use of alcohol/controlled substances Addresses restitution to victims Addresses gang need for short term suspended youth if funds were available
Juvenile Literacy Center - Tutoring/Academic Enhancement	Addresses reductions of ontrolled substances
Parenting of Adolescents - Home Based Family Counseling	Meets funding priority S Compatible with research S Cost efficient S Addresses reductions of complaints, violations of supervision & convictions M Has evaluation component M Addresses parental accountability M Addresses use of alcohol/controlled substances Addresses restitution to victims M Addresses gang participation Other Other Mould increase funding to this service if funds were available
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## 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

Manager, Kerry Brock, 919-688-7101 x632kbrock@elfuturonc.org

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 gmarsh@crc-mediation.org

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, Nicole Moore, 919-403-8249 x229 nmoore@exchangefamilycenter.org

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, Tara Blackley, 919-560-7713 tblackley@dconc.gov

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 ProudProg@aol.com

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 slates@mindspring.com

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 Director, Michael Friedman 984-377-7239 mfriedman@reboundnc.org

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.

## FAMILY ADVOCACY NETWORK

Executive Director, Outpatient Svc. Carol McClelland, 919-942-8083 x244 <a href="mailto:carol.m@fhrecovery.org">carol.m@fhrecovery.org</a>
Family Advocates work 1:1 and in group settings with parents of at-risk
youth who have mental health/substance abuse conditions. Goal is to strengthen parenting
skills, reduce parent/youth conflicts, set goals and teach parents skills to reduce or eliminate
risk factors. FAN is a best practice program model utilizing evidence based curricula with
clients. FAN has a lengthy history serving Orange County families and this grant will provide
new opportunities to serve Durham County families.

## **DURHAM JUVENILE LITERACY CENTER**

Executive Director, Laura Walters, 919-787-5559 <a href="www.lwalters@triangleliteracy.org">www.lwalters@triangleliteracy.org</a>
The Durham Juvenile Literacy Center provides individual and small group tutoring for court-involved youth to address basic literacy deficiencies and align with North Carolina Common Core standards to prepare youth with skills necessary for college and/or career. Tutoring sessions are twice per week for up to two hours each with a focus on developing basic literacy skills, life skills and improving academic performance.

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