

# Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council

## Request for Proposals FY 2020-2021

### The Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) is requesting proposals for fiscal year 2020-2021:

The JCPC has studied the risk factors and needs of Juvenile Court involved youth in this county and hereby publishes this Request for Proposals. The JCPC anticipates funds from the NC Department of Public Safety (DPS) in the amount stated below to fund the program types specified. Such programs will serve delinquent and at-risk youth for the State Fiscal Year 2020-2021 beginning on, or after, July 1, 2020. The use of the funds in Durham County requires a local match in the amount specified. For fiscal year 2020-2021, programs submitting proposals should consider the new "Raise the Age Law" effective 12/01/2019 that increased the age of juvenile jurisdiction to include 16 and 17 year old youth.

\$701,101

Anticipated County Allocation

30%

Required Local Match Rate

01/27/2020

Date Advertised

**Please note:** Due to "Raise the Age" the Durham County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) has been allocated **additional funding** for the upcoming fiscal year and is seeking **additional programs** to provide services to justice involved youth.

**The JCPC will consider proposals for the following program types. Programs should be outcome-based, should be compatible with best-practice research, and should have the ability to identify, detect and address gang participation**

Vocational Skill Building

Gang Intervention

Truancy prevention/intervention

Mediation/Conflict Resolution

Restitution/Community Service

Teen Court

Substance Abuse Treatment/Education

Tutoring/Academic assistance

Emergency Shelter

Court Diversion

Mentoring Services

Family Counseling

**Proposed program services should target the following concerns as reported in the Risk Factors and Needs Assessment for the 139 youth who were referred to juvenile court between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019.**

- 82% of youth at intake had mental health needs
- 61% of youth at intake were reported to have serious school behavioral problems
- 56% of youth at intake come from families with marginal supervision
- 54% of youth at intake had need for substance abuse assessment and/or treatment
- 27% of youth at intake were reported to be gang members or associates
- 27% of youth at intake had history of victimization

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

-Local public agencies, 501(c) (3) non-profit corporations and local housing authorities will be considered for funding. New applicants are required to attend an information session held at 326 East Main Street (date)

-In order to apply for FY 2019-2020 JCPC funding, you must register with NCID (instructions on the DPS website), complete and submit a JCPC Program Application online at <http://www.ncdps.gov/Index2.cfm?a=000003.002476.002483.002482.002514> Also available on the website is a Webinar Training Video and other DPS-DJJ Users Guide forms. Private non-profits are also **required** to submit the following forms online or your application will be considered incomplete: **1) No Over Due Tax form (available at the above link), 2) Notarized DPS Conflict of Interest Statement (available at the above link), 3) the agencies Conflict of Interest Policy; and 4) Proof of 501(c) (3) status.**

**-Please note, while a 30% match is required, that matches provided can be inclusive of in-kind contribution**

-All funded programs will be required to attend regular JCPC meetings/events and sponsored trainings.

NOTE: For technical assistance contact the Department of Public Safety, Division of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice Area Office: Eddie Crews, Area Consultant at (919) 214-2348 or email [walter.crews@ncdps.gov](mailto:walter.crews@ncdps.gov)

**FAQ's** and further application assistance can be found on our [website](#). All **new** applicants are required to attend the informational meeting scheduled for Tuesday March 10, 2020 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Criminal Justice Resource Center (326 East Main St. – Durham)

Please contact Kelley Waggy (Sr. Administrative Assistant) at (919) 560-0534 or [kwaggy@dconc.gov](mailto:kwaggy@dconc.gov) for any further questions or concerns.

**Deadline for Application:** March 31, 2020 by 5:00 P.M.