

Caswell County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Request for Proposals

\$97,534

Anticipated County Allocation

10%

Required Local Match Rate

March 10, 2010

Date Advertised

The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (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 Department of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (DJJDP) in the amount stated above to fund the program types specified below. Such programs will serve delinquent and at-risk youth for the state **fiscal year 2010-2011** beginning on, or after, **July 1, 2010**. The use of DJJDP funds in this county **requires a local match** in the amount specified above.

The JCPC will consider proposals for the following needed Programs:

Parent Skill Building Programming	Psychological Assessment Services	Substance abuse assessment/treatment
Mentoring / Interpersonal skill / prosocial skill building	Home-based counseling services	
Gang prevention/intervention services	Teen Court	
	Restitution and Community Service Program	

Proposed Program Services should target the following Risk Factors for Delinquency or Repeat Delinquency:

Indicators suggest that they are assaultive, lack prosocial skills and are exhibiting behaviors that result in multiple suspensions from schools. Parents report difficulty supervising youth. Seventy six percent of youth have indicators that suggest that they are at risk for committing repeat offenses.

Programs should address the following concerns as reported in the Needs Assessments for Adjudicated Youth:

Peer Domain: Youth are associating with other delinquent peers and peers associated with gangs and are in need of prosocial interpersonal skills.

Individual Domain: Indicators suggest that youth are engaging in behaviors that are risky including substance use/abuse and dangerous sexual practices. Youth are in need of developing prosocial skills and further assessment and treatment services. Indicators suggest that youth are victims of abuse and are in need of supportive services.

Family Domain: Indicators suggest that adjudicated youth live in families with domestic discord, alcohol or substance use by family members, or family members with active criminal and/or gang involvement. Parents possess marginal parenting skill levels.

School Domain: Results indicate that 76% of youth had serious school behaviors that result in frequent suspensions from school.

Applicants are being sought that are able to address the legislatively mandated items below:

1. Program services compatible with research that is shown to be effective with juvenile offenders.
2. Program services are outcome-based.
3. The program has an evaluation component.
4. Program services detect gang participation and divert individuals from gang participation.
5. Programs that can have a demonstrable impact on the following success factors: a. reduce the use of alcohol or controlled substances; b. reduce subsequent complaints; c. reduce violation of terms of community supervision; d. reduce convictions from subsequent offenses; e. fulfill restitution to victims; and f. increase parental accountability.

Local public agencies, 501(c)(3) **non-profit** corporations and local housing authorities are invited to submit applications (Program Agreements) for programs addressing the above elements. Application forms and other necessary information may be obtained from:

Sandra Hudspeth

at

(336) 694-1538

JCPC Chairperson or Designee

Telephone #

*******Program Agreement forms may also be downloaded from the DJJDP web-site*******

<http://www.ncdjjdp.org/jcpc/forms.html>

Deadline for Application is: May 4, 2010 by 5:00 P.M.

Mail or deliver Physical Address: Caswell County Partnership for Children, 1084 NC Highway 86 N, Yanceyville, NC 27379

applications to: Mailing Address: PO Box 664, Yanceyville, NC 27379

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