

Duplin County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Request for Proposals

\$169,150

Anticipated County Allocation

10%

Required Local Match Rate

January 5, 2018

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 NC Department of Public Safety, Division of Juvenile Justice, 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 2018-2019** beginning on, or after, **July 1, 2018**. The use of these funds in this county requires a local match in the amount specified above.

The JCPC will consider proposals for the following needed programs:

Conflict Resolution-School Based to address and resolve interpersonal conflict particularly in the schools.

Psychological Assessments: Conducts assessment services to provide diagnosis and treatment intervention recommendations to juvenile court services for youth.

Teen Court: Diverts juvenile cases, for certain offenses, for a hearing by a jury of the juvenile's peers, in which may assign the juvenile to counseling, restitution, curfews, community service, or other rehabilitative measures.

Restitution/Community Service:

Provides youth an opportunity to be accountable for their actions by completing community service hours in their community and/or, paying restitution to victims of their crimes.

Temporary Shelter Service: Residential services that provides group home care and shelter, up to 90 days, for juveniles temporarily removed from the juveniles home during a family crisis.

Skill Building: Services could include programming for Life Skills classes, parent/family skill building classes and/or interpersonal skill building classes.

Juvenile Structured Day: Provides well supervised and highly structured programming to youth that may be short/long-term suspended from school or have behaviors that might otherwise result in placement in detention.

Mentoring: Provides opportunities for adult volunteers to be matched with delinquent or at-risk youth on a one-on-one basis to provide support, friendship, advice, and/or assistance to the juvenile such as sports, movies, helping with homework, etc.

Proposed program services should target the following risk factors for delinquency or repeat delinquency:

Youth who are repeat delinquent offenders and are higher risk for committing delinquent offenses; Moderate to serious behavior problems at school; substance abuse; peer relationship problems; inadequate family supervision.

Programs should address the following concerns as reported in the Needs Assessments for adjudicated youth:

Peer Domain: Peer relationship problems

Individual Domain: Substance abuse; mental health problems

Family Domain: Domestic conflict; marginal parental supervision; family criminality

School Domain: Moderate to serious behavior problems at school

Applicants are being sought that are able to address items below:

1. Program services compatible with research that are 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 individual, if applicable.

Local public agencies, 501(c)(3) non-profit corporations and local housing authorities are invited to submit applications to provide services addressing the above elements.

In order to apply for FY 2018-2019 JCPC funding, you must complete and submit your application online by accessing NC ALLIES. Please read and follow all instructions online at:

<https://www.ncdps.gov/index2.cfm?a=000003,002476,002483,002482,002514> . Also available on the website is a Webinar Training Video and other DPS Users Guide forms.

After submitting the application electronically, print and submit hard copies as indicated below. Private non-profits are also required to upload the following forms online or your application is considered incomplete: 1) No Over Due Tax Form (available at the above link), 2) the agency Conflict of Interest Policy, 3) Notarized DPS Conflict of Interest Form (available at the above link), and 4) Proof of 501(c)(3) status.

All applications must be printed and submitted by the deadline below to be considered for funding.

NOTE: For further information, or technical assistance about applying for JCPC funds in this County, contact the DPS Area Consultant, Denise Briggs at 919-324-6391.

Deadline for Application is:

February 6, 2018

by

5:00

P.M.