Request for Proposals NCDPS JCPC Continuation Funding FY 2025-26

Perquimans \$77,485

December 16, 2024

Date Advertised

The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council having studied the needs of juveniles in the county hereby publishes this Request for Proposals.

The North Carolina Department of Public Safety (NCDPS) anticipates annual funds in the above stated amount will be available for programs serving delinquent and at-risk youth beginning on or after July 1, **2025**. Local match rate for JCPC funds required: **10** %.

Based on identified needed programs and possible gaps in the service continuum, the following marked (X) program types will be considered for funding:

Mentoring Services	Restitution/Community Service	Services Addressing Problem Sexual Behavior
Parent/Family Skill Building	Sentencing and Responsive Circles	Group Home
Interpersonal Skill Building	Psychological Assessments	Temporary Shelter Care
Vocational Skills	Family Counseling	Runaway Shelter Care
Experiential Skills	Home Based Family Counseling	Specialized Foster Care
Tutoring/Academic Enhancement	Individual/Group/Mixed Counseling	Temporary Foster Care
Mediation/Conflict Resolution- including Truancy Mediation, Victim- youth and Family Group Conferencing, Responsive Circles	Substance Abuse Counseling	Juvenile Structured Day

As a result of the Risk and Needs Assessment data in the above-named county, programs that reduce risk, address the needs of juveniles, and increase protective factors will be considered for funding.

Proposed services should address the following concerns as reported in the Youth Assessment Screening Instrument (YASI):

- 67% had moderate risk; the state at 41%. Youth had moderate to high strengths.
- 11% high needs, the state at 6%; high moderate at 22% the state at 14%, 33% moderate, state 21%
- 44% had felony referrals to juvenile justice; the state at 35%.
- 11% were under the age of 12 at first referral; slightly above the state average at 9%.
- 22% had prior weapon offenses; the state at 17%
- 33% had family member(s) with prior criminal history; state at 26%.
- 11% consistently had inadequate parent/custodian supervision; the state at 2%.
- 44% police reports filed by the school; the state at 24%.
- 55% are failing some or most classes; state at 25%.
- 78% had one or more OSS events in the prior two years; state at 66%.
- 44% Had no interest in school activities; state at 31%
- 33% report no friends/no consistent friends; state at 15%
- 22% report some alcohol/substance use; state at 39%.
- 50% reported Under 12 at first use of alcohol/drugs; the state at 11.
- 11% have a physical abuse history; state at 9%.
- 22% reported bullying behavior; state at 10%.
- 11% demonstrated violent behavior using a weapon; the state at 8%
- 44% Demonstrated bullying/threatening behavior; the state at 23%

The web-based program application (NCALLIES) and instructions are available on line at the Department of Public Safety web-site: https://www.ncdps.gov/Index2.cfm?a=000003,002476,002483,002482,002514

Only local public agencies, 501c3 non-profit corporations and local housing authorities will be considered for funding. Private non-profits are required to upload the following forms into NC ALLIES or your application is considered incomplete: 1) No Over Due Tax form (available at the above link) 2) Notarized DPS Conflict of Interest Statement Template (available at the above link), 3) The <u>non-profit's</u> Conflict of Interest Policy; and 4) Proof of 501(c)(3) status.

For additional information regarding the application process:

Shelby White, JCPC Chairperson	252-426-5615
JCPC Chairperson / or Designee	Telephone #

For information about the program application workshop and other technical assistance: TreNeice H. Townes , Area Consultant at <u>252-312-6484</u>.

The deadline for application submission into NCALLIES:

<u>January 31.</u> <u>2025</u> (Email/Mail or deliver) to: <u>Shelby White at 110 N Church St. #2,</u> <u>Hertford, NC 27944 or</u> <u>swhite.perquimanscountync.gov</u>