



Community Programs

Developing evidence-based services through local
community partnerships

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NC's Comprehensive Strategy for Juvenile Delinquency

Problem Behavior > Noncriminal Misbehavior > Delinquency > Serious, Violent, and Chronic Offending

Prevention

Target Population: At-Risk Youth

Programs for All Youth > Programs for Youth at Greatest Risk > Immediate Intervention > Intermediate Sanctions > Community Confinement > Training Schools > Aftercare

Preventing youth from becoming delinquent by focusing prevention programs on at-risk youth and youth diverted from juvenile court.

Graduated Sanctions

Target Population: Delinquent Youth

Improving the juvenile justice system response to delinquent offenders through a system of graduated sanctions and a continuum of treatment alternatives

JJ Community Programs

- ▶ Juvenile Community Programs consists of the following core components:
 - Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Programs
 - Statewide Residential Contractual Services
 - Statewide Non-Residential Contractual Services

Community Programs

- ▶ Level of Services within the Continuum
 - **Prevention Programming:**
 - At- risk and Diverted youth
 - **Intervention/ Dispositional Option Programming:**
 - Adjudicated delinquent Level I
 - Adjudicated delinquent Level II
 - **Community Commitment Programming:**
 - Adjudicated Level III
 - Reentry

JCPC Community Programs

Community-level (Level I) Sanctions: (First Time Nonviolent Offenders)

- ▶ Interpersonal skill Building
 - ▶ Specialized foster care
 - ▶ Psychological services
 - ▶ Teen court
 - ▶ Victim-offender reconciliation
 - ▶ Restitution -Level one
 - ▶ Home-based family services
 - ▶ Vocational education
 - ▶ Probation *
 - ▶ Residential placement
 - ▶ Adult/volunteer mentoring
 - ▶ Outdoor adventure programs
 - ▶ Crisis counseling
 - ▶ Restorative intervention program
 - ▶ Community service – Level I
 - ▶ Counseling
 - ▶ Parenting skill building
 - ▶ Protective supervision *
 - ▶ Intensive probation *
- * Provided by NC Department of Public Safety, Division of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice/ Court Services

JCPC Community Programs

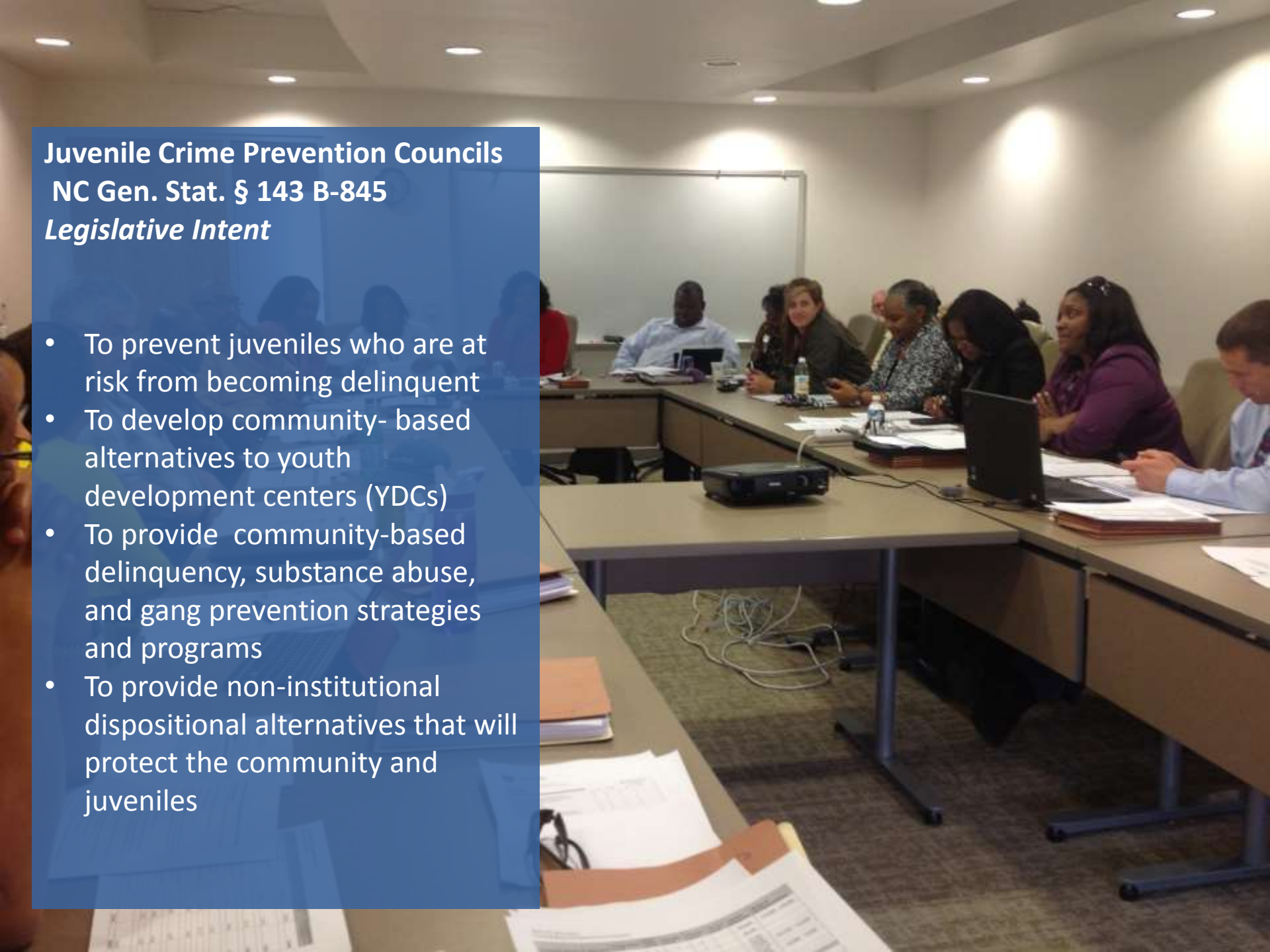
Community-Level (Level II) Sanctions:

- Intermediate Community Sanctions for Serious Offenders
 - Structured day program
 - Restitution - Level 2
 - Intensive supervision probation *
 - Substance abuse services
 - Confinement *
 - Community Service – Level 2
 - Residential Treatment
 - House Arrest / Electronic Monitoring*
 - Sex Offender treatment
 - Intensive non-residential treatment

Secure Confinement for Chronic Serious Violent Offenders

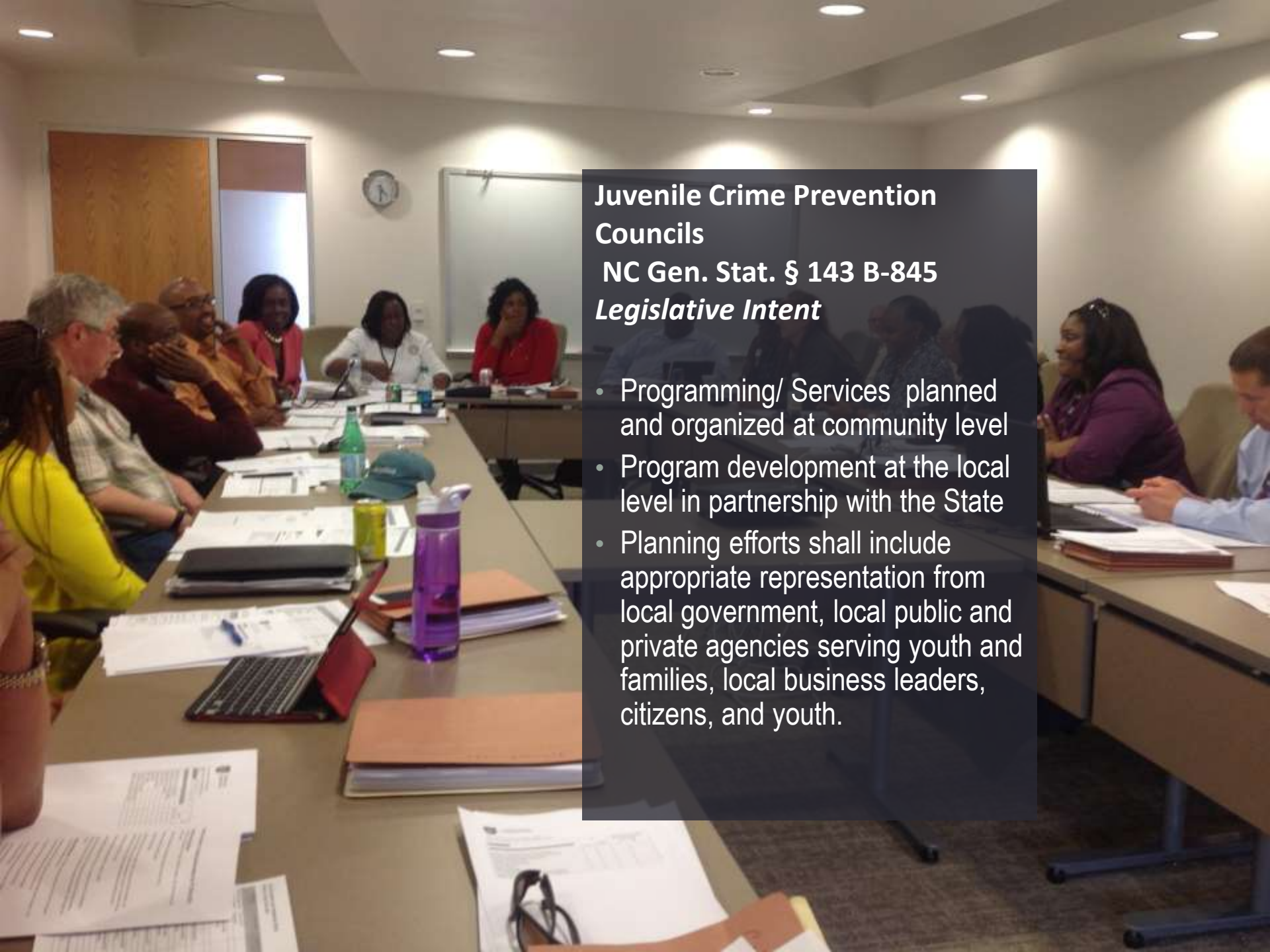
- Youth Development Commitment *
- Aftercare and post release services*
 - Provided by NCDPS, Division of Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice





Juvenile Crime Prevention Councils
NC Gen. Stat. § 143 B-845
Legislative Intent

- To prevent juveniles who are at risk from becoming delinquent
- To develop community- based alternatives to youth development centers (YDCs)
- To provide community-based delinquency, substance abuse, and gang prevention strategies and programs
- To provide non-institutional dispositional alternatives that will protect the community and juveniles



Juvenile Crime Prevention Councils

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Legislative Intent

- Programming/ Services planned and organized at community level
- Program development at the local level in partnership with the State
- Planning efforts shall include appropriate representation from local government, local public and private agencies serving youth and families, local business leaders, citizens, and youth.

The Legislatively Mandated Work of the Local Juvenile Crime Prevention Councils (JCPCs)

Assess risks and needs of at-risk and delinquent youth

Assess resources available in the community

Identify gaps in services

Develop a Request for Proposal to advertise service needs and allocation (funds) available

Deliberate/ make funding recommendations and fund effective, evidence-based programming for youth

Monitor the effectiveness of programming (JCPCs support the use of the Standardized Program Evaluation Protocol ~ SPEP in this process)

Complete an Annual Plan to address delinquency prevention and intervention for the county



JCPC Membership

- ▶ School Superintendent
- ▶ Chief of Police
- ▶ Chief District Court Judge
- ▶ Sheriff
- ▶ Local Mental Health Rep
- ▶ District Attorney
- ▶ County Commissioner
- ▶ Business Person
- ▶ County Manager
- ▶ Substance Abuse Professional
- ▶ Director of DSS
- ▶ Chief Court Counselor
- ▶ Health Dept Director
- ▶ Recreation Professional
- ▶ Faith Community
- ▶ Juvenile Defense Attorney
- ▶ Two under 18
- ▶ United Way or Non-Profit
- ▶ Up to 7 others

North Carolina's Comprehensive Strategy

Prevention

Graduated Sanctions

Target Populations

All Youth	Youth at Greatest Risk	Pre-Adjudicated Youth	Delinquent-Level I/ Prot. Supervision	Delinquent-Level II Youth	Delinquent-Level III Youth	Post Release Youth
	JCPC Funded Programs					
				JCPC Endorsed Level II Programs		
				Functional Family Therapy		
					Alternative to Commitment Programs Served (10 programs)	
				Level II Residential MPGHs		
				Level II Residential (Male)		
				Level II Residential (Female)		
				Assessment and Crisis Centers		
						Transitional Living



JJ Community Programs Types

▶ Structured Activities

- Skill-building
- Mentoring

▶ Restorative Justice

- Teen Court
- Community Service
- Restitution

▶ Clinical Treatment

- Sex Offender Treatment
- Home-based Family Counseling

▶ Assessment

- Psychological Assessments

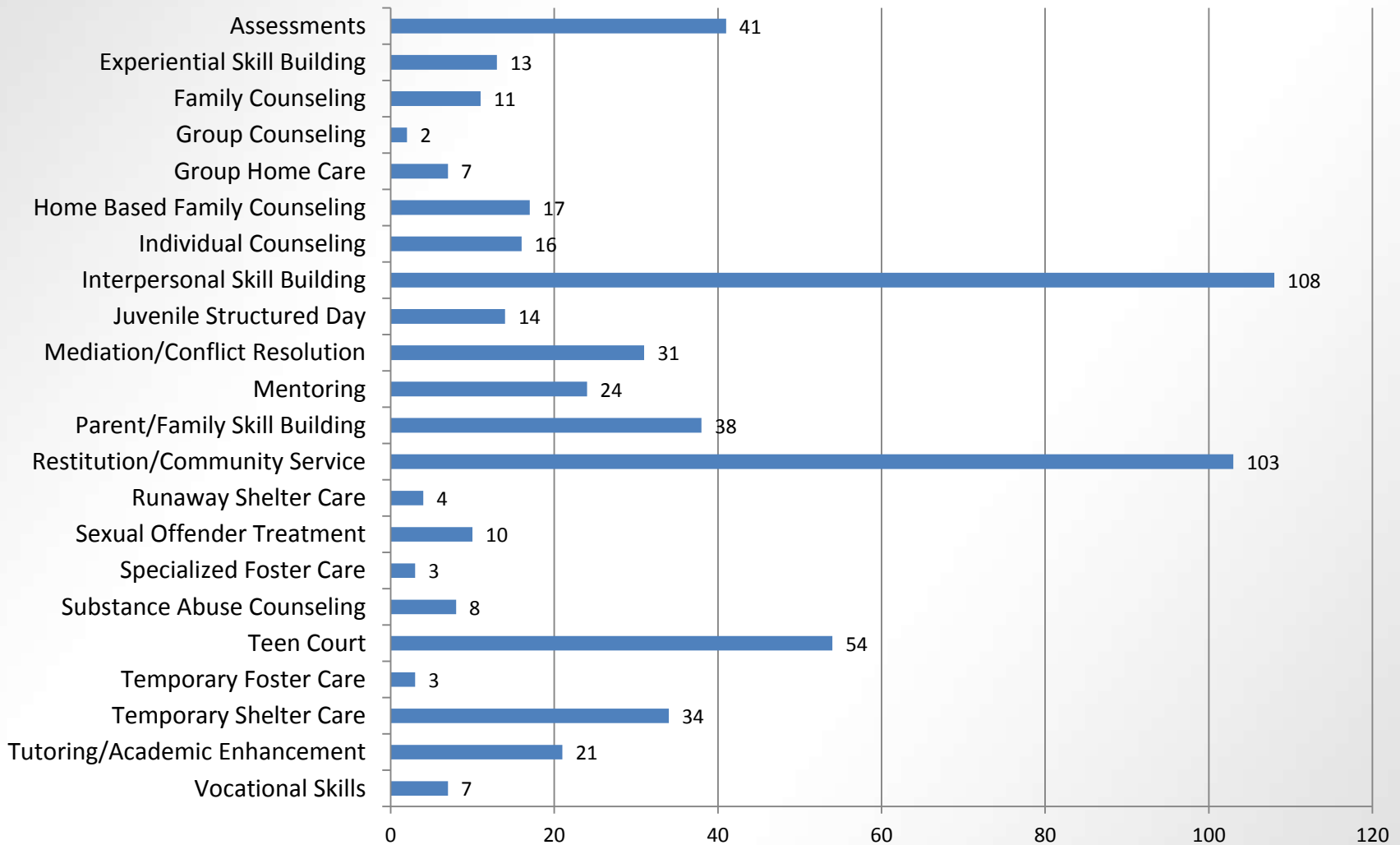
▶ Community Day Programming

- Juvenile Structured Day

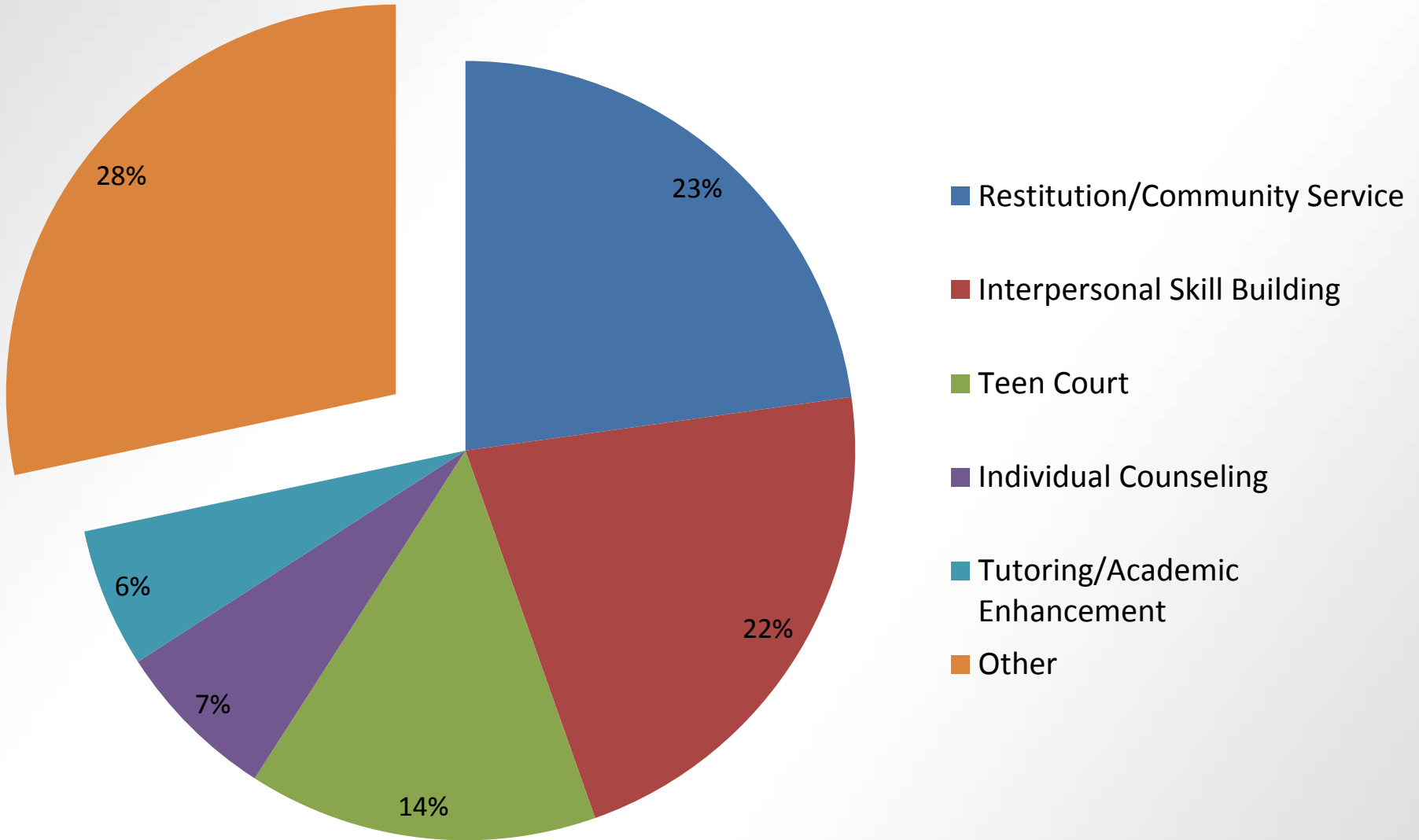
▶ Residential

- Group Home
- Temporary Shelter
- Specialized Foster Care

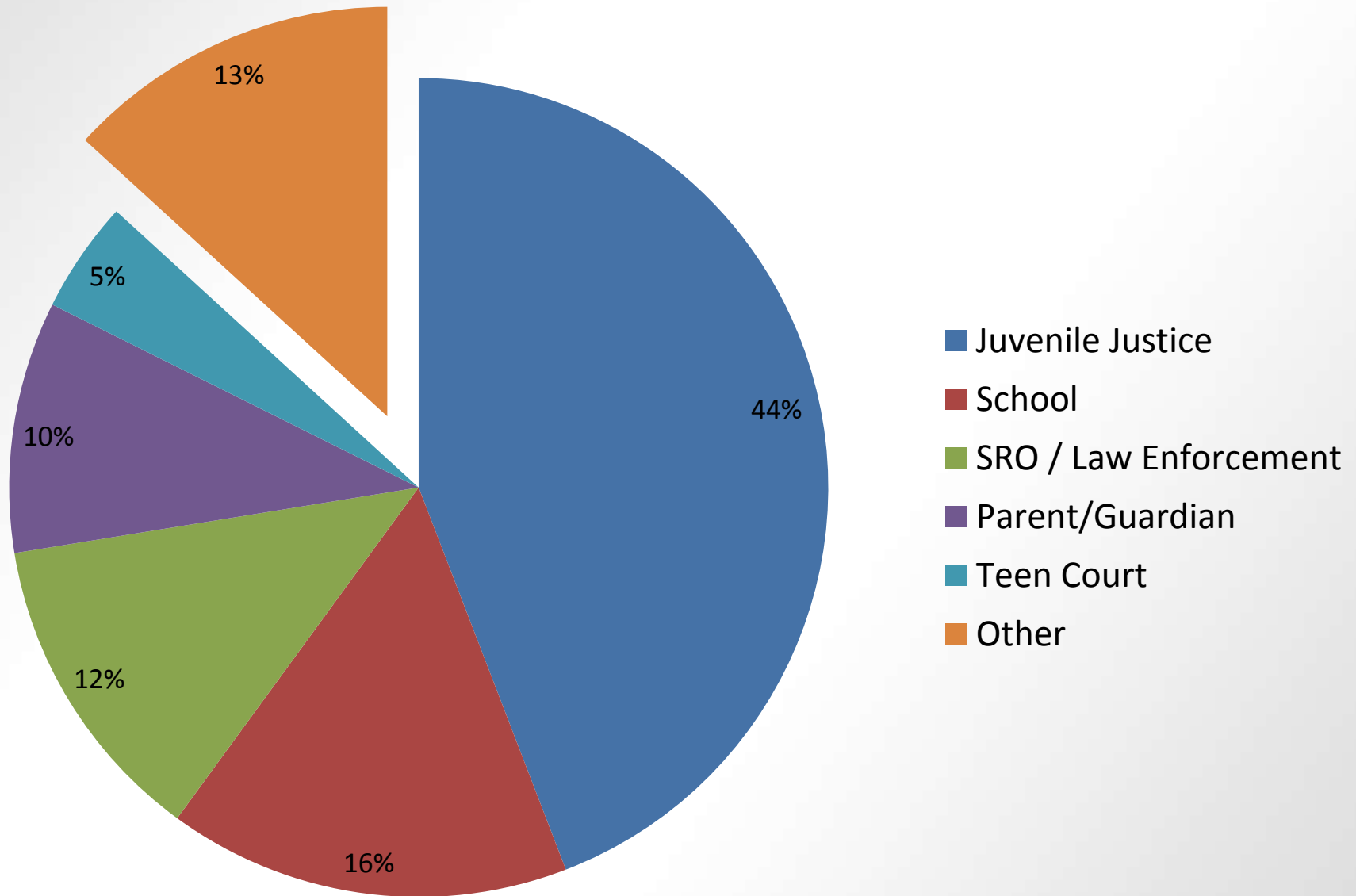
FY 15-16 JCPC Components - Count by Program Type



CY 2015: JCPC Youth Served by Program Type



CY 2015 JCPC Youth Served by Referral Source



Community Programs

- ▶ In Fiscal Year 14-15 JCPC programs served 22,470 youth
- ▶ JCPC Level II Endorsed programs served 304 youth
- ▶ Statewide Residential Contractual Services served 410 youth
- ▶ Statewide Non-Residential Contractual Services served 605 youth

- ▶ Overall, JJ Community Programs served well over 23,000 youth and families each year through a variety of community-based services.
- ▶ Continue to use evidence-based programming, both locally through JCPC funded programs and through state-wide contracted residential and community-based services.

Continue to provide the right service
at the right time for the right youth!