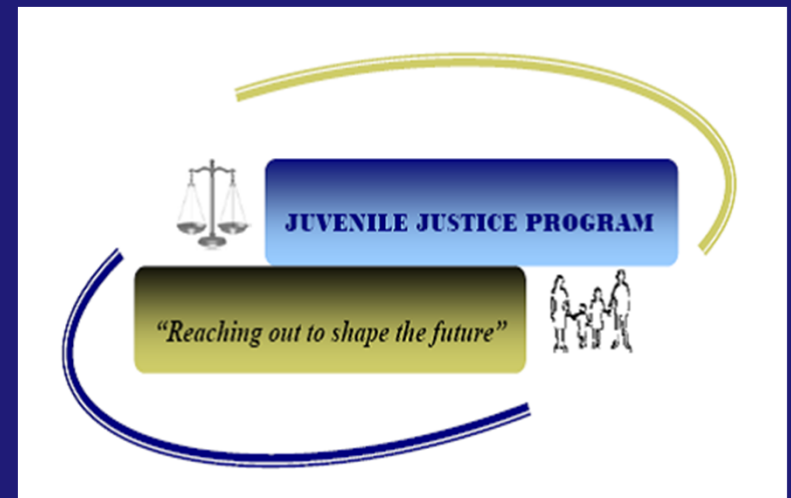




Behavioral Health

Welcome to the Juvenile Justice Programs Overview



Juvenile Justice Programs

Juvenile Justice Programs are a collaboration between Behavioral Health and Probation Departments which combine resources in order to establish a comprehensive and effective continuum of adolescent behavioral health care to meet the needs of the juvenile population with mental illness in or out of custody.



- Under DBH Forensic Services division
- A collaboration between Probation and Behavioral Health Department.
 - JJP Administration
 - Forensic Adolescent Services Team (FAST)
 - Gateway to ARISE
 - Integrated New Family Opportunities (INFO)
 - Juvenile Justice Community Reintegration (JJCR)



Provides behavioral health services to youth who are detained in a San Bernardino County Juvenile Detention and Assessment Center (JDAC) or housed at a Probation Treatment Facility.

Types of services

- Intake/Screening
- Triage
- Assessment
- Medication Support Services
- Crisis Stabilization
- Individualized Treatment Plans
- Multidisciplinary Team Linkage and Reintegration



Facilities and Locations:

- Central Valley – San Bernardino

900 E. Gilbert Street

San Bernardino, CA 92415

Main: (909) 383-1769

Central Control: (909) 387-6901

Watch Commander: (909) 387-6912

- High Desert – Apple Valley

21101 Dale Evans Parkway

Apple Valley, CA 92307

Main: (760) 243-3430

Central Control: (760) 243-3430

Watch Commander: (760) 961-6683



Forensic Adolescent Services Team (FAST)


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Actual Number of Bookings FY 19/20	Average Daily Population FY 19/20	% Open in MH FY19/20	Number of MH Screenings FY 19/20	Number of MH Assessments FY 19/20
1,028	121	64%	928	751



Population	Number of FAST Services FY 19/20
Youth Detained and Children and Family Services Involvement	12,056

Primary Diagnosis

9% ADHD	12% Depressive Disorder
11% Anxiety	23% None/Deferred Diagnosis
34% Conduct/Disruptive	11% Co-Occurring with SUDRS

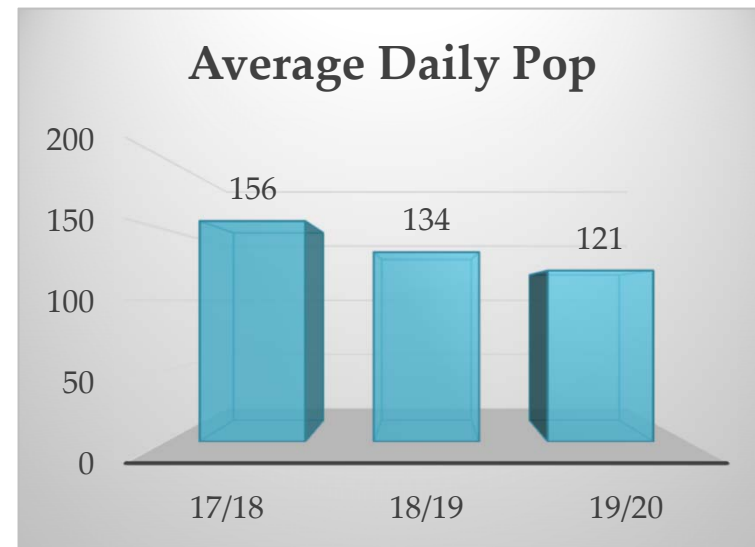
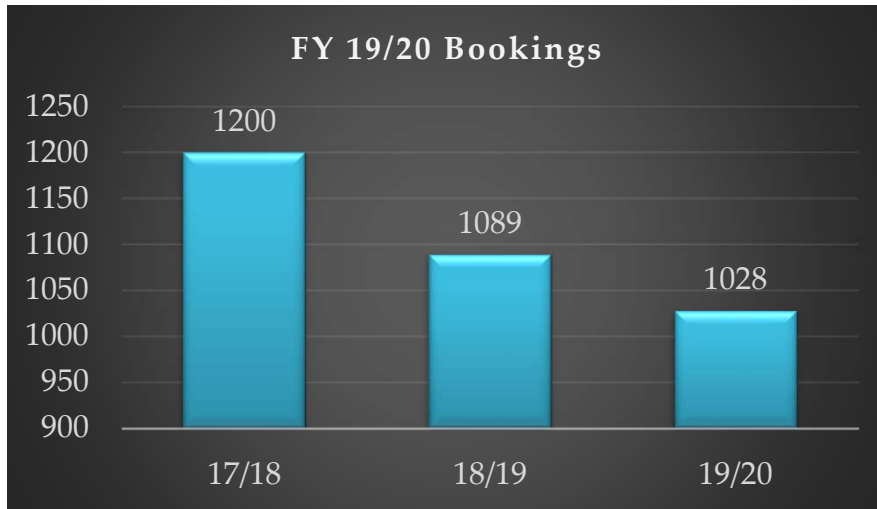


Demographics

<u>Age</u>	<u>Gender Identity</u>	<u>Race/Ethnicity</u>
17% 12-14 years old	 80% Male  20% Female	58% Hispanic
76% 15-17 years old		2% Other
4% 18-19 years old		36% Black
		12% Caucasian
		0.39 Unspecified
		0.58% Unknown



Forensic Adolescent Services Team (FAST)



Goal: Access to Care: Provision of on-site medical behavioral health services to include screening, assessment, crisis and emergency interventions, pharmacy, and preventive treatment services.

A total of 1,028 youth went through the intake process. The health intake screening includes:

- Vision, Dental, and Hearing examinations
- Communicable Disease Screening
- Current and/or past history of illnesses
- Disabilities
- Substance Use
- Medications
- Dietary needs
- Psychiatric history
- Suicidal Ideations
- Injuries
- Pregnancy testing for female youth
- Other special health requirements



Services Provided:

- Mental Health Screenings and Mental Health Assessment/Evaluations
- Crisis intervention including psychiatric hospitalization
- Facilitating weekly Multi-Disciplinary Team meetings
- Preventative treatment services when staffing resources permit

Outputs

- There were a total of 928 mental health screenings.
- 751 mental health assessment/evaluations conducted during FY 19/20.

Outcome FY 19/20

- 92% of youth were evaluated within 14 days of intake

Intermediate Outcome

- Increase linkage to Out-of-Custody programs by 10%

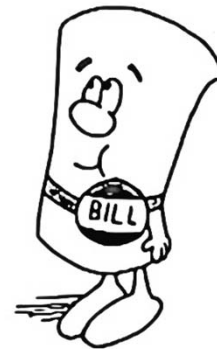


Gateway to ARISE

On September 30, 2020, Governor Gavin Newsom signed Senate Bill 823 into law, which supports the research reflecting that youth experience better outcomes when they remain closer to home.

SB 823 increases local court jurisdiction and age of confinement in local youth facilities to age 25 to align with the current upper age of confinement at the Department of Juvenile Justice.

Effective July 1, 2021, the State began to phase out the Department of Juvenile Justice by halting all transfers of youth from California's counties to the State's three remaining custodial facilities.



The target populations for Gateway to Arise in San Bernardino County are youth who have been realigned by the California Division of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) or who would otherwise have been eligible for commitment to the State Department of Juvenile Justice.

- Minimum of 10-80 youth ranging from 14 years to 25 years old whose most recent committing offenses are listed in Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) 707(b).
- Specialty populations include:
 - Seriously Mentally Ill (SMI)
 - Female offenders
 - Sex Offender



SB 823 Legislative Goals:

- To ensure that justice-involved youth are closer to their families/communities and receive age-appropriate treatment.
- Reduce the transfer of youth into the adult criminal justice system.
- Reduce and then eliminate racial and ethnic disparities.
- Reduce the use of confinement in the juvenile justice system by utilizing community-based responses and interventions.



Integrated New Family Opportunities (INFO) is a National Association of Counties (NACo) and Counsel on Mentally Ill Offenders (COMIO) Award winning program that works with the Juvenile Justice population ages 13-17 and their families. Services provided by INFO increase family stabilization, help families identify community supports, and encourage recovery, wellness and resiliency.

- Uses evidence-based models for reducing the involvement of mentally ill youths in the juvenile justice system.
- Community based services include Functional Family Therapy, Moral Reconciliation Therapy, Intensive Probation Supervision, 24/7 case management and support and peer counseling.



Integrated New Family Opportunities (INFO)

Goal: *To provide and/or obtain services for children/youth and their families that are unserved or underserved.*

Program Name	Actual Number Served FY 2019-20	Estimated Number Served FY 2021-22	Annual Budgeted Funds FY 2021-22	Estimated Annual Cost per Person FY 2021-22
INFO	330	412	\$1,123,161	\$2,726

Program Serves	Symptom Severity	Location of Services	Typical Population Characteristics
Ages 13-17	SED*	Clinic and Field 	Probation or Children and Family Services Involvement 

*SED = Serious emotional disturbance

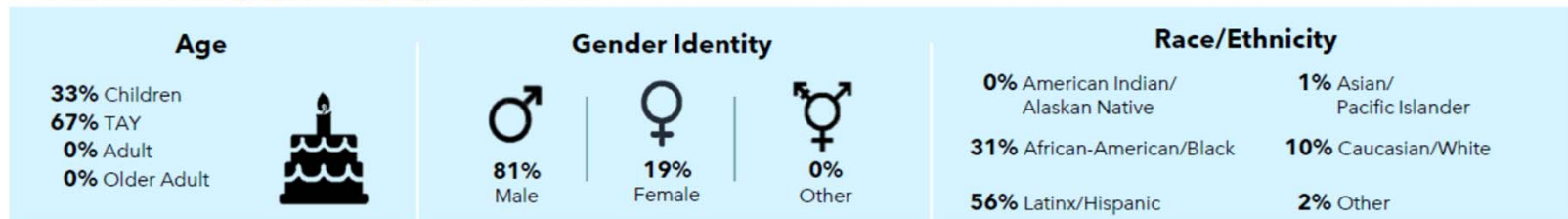
"My INFO experience will last me forever, thank you for the support."

-INFO Consumer

"I know that due to all the things I could talk to my therapist and probation officer about that now I can move forward in life."

-INFO Consumer

Consumer Demographics Highlights FY 2019-20



Integrated New Family Opportunities (INFO)

Positive Results

During FY 2019/20, youth who completed the program served fewer days in detention after the program (*Mean* = 15.84) than those who terminated (*Mean* = 58.82) and those who declined to participate (*Mean* = 36.63).

Youth who completed the program had fewer sustained misdemeanor or felony offenses after the program (*Mean* = .21) than those who terminated (*Mean* = .46) and those who declined to participate (*Mean* = .40).

Youth who completed the program were detained fewer after the program (22.4% of the youth) than those who terminated (57.3%) and those who declined to participate (44.5%).

Youth who completed the program recidivated fewer after the program (rate of 15.4%) than those who terminated (29.3%) and those who declined to participate (26.3%).

Additionally, the INFO program increased collateral contacts from 2,782 in FY 2018/19 to 3,244 in FY 2019/20, increasing the number of encounters with family members and informal supports by 16%.

Challenges and Solutions

The greatest challenge in FY 2019/20 was the transitioning to telehealth due to COVID-19 as the INFO implementation model has been historically community-based. This created challenges in acclimating to the “team” approach via telehealth and telecommuting. To address this issue, the INFO program has been teaching the team the roles, responsibilities and legalities necessary to conduct sessions via telehealth methods as well as educating new clinicians virtually on a model developed to be delivered in the home of the consumer.

The INFO program began hosting weekly huddle meetings via WebEx to preserve fidelity to the Functional Family Therapy (FFT) model and keep the communication necessary to support an intact team. In doing this, providers developed the new skill set necessary for the team to facilitate FFT via telehealth.

“I learned communication skills for real life and I was able to get a job as a Construction Apprentice because of it.”
-INFO Consumer

Consumer Demographics Highlights FY 2019-20

Primary Language



85.8% English
4.5% Spanish
9.7% Other



Primary Diagnosis

12% Disruptive
3% Depressive Disorder
8% Other
3% Anxiety Disorders
74% None/Deferred Diagnosis



The Department of Behavioral Health (DBH) Juvenile Justice Program's Juvenile Justice Community Reintegration (JJCR) team collaborates with Probation to serve the behavioral health needs of the detained youth returning to the community from Juvenile Detention and Assessment Centers (JDAC) in San Bernardino County.

- JJCR collaborates with Children and Family Services Department, District Attorney's Office, Public Defenders Office, Juvenile Delinquency Court and family members.
- Multi-disciplinary teams work closely with youth and their families to assist in development of an advocacy plan for each youth that will best meet their treatment needs and provide access to community resources.



Services Include:

- Transitional support
- Assessments
- Case Management
- Referrals and Linkage
- Brief Intervention therapy





- A collaborative effort of the San Bernardino County Juvenile Court, Behavioral Health, District Attorney's Office, Probation Department and Public Defender's Office.
- Identify youths who are on probation and have a significant mental illness.
- The goal is to link these youths with appropriate mental health treatment in the community. This program is operational in the West Valley and Central Valley regions. The program involves frequent court appearances and group, individual and family counseling.

Juvenile Drug Court

- A collaborative effort of San Bernardino County Juvenile Court, District Attorney's Office, Behavioral Health, Probation, Public Defender's Office and Community Treatment Providers.
- An eight-month program which involves frequent court appearances, frequent drug testing, and group, individual and family counseling.

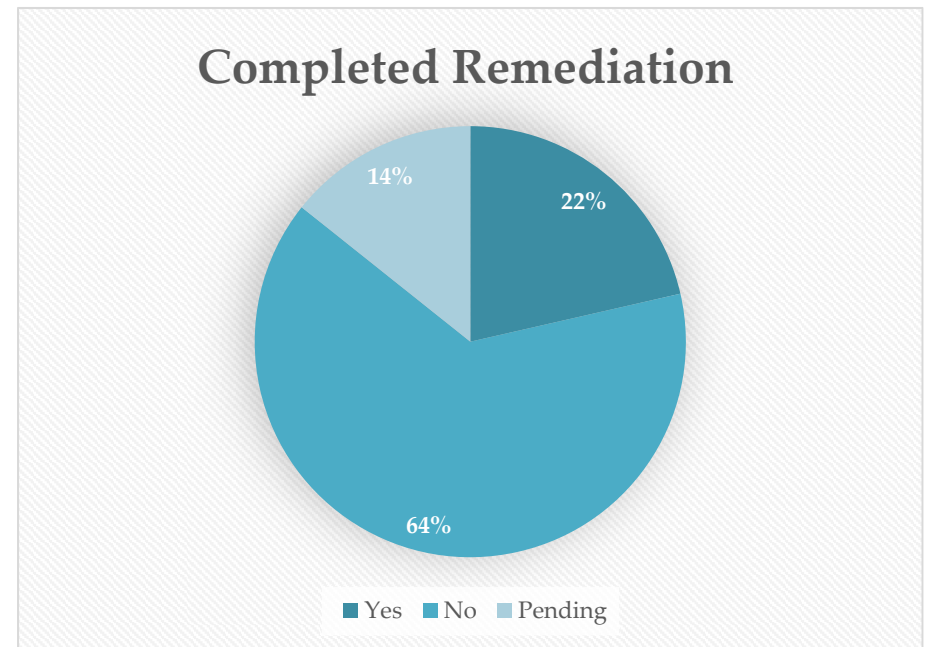
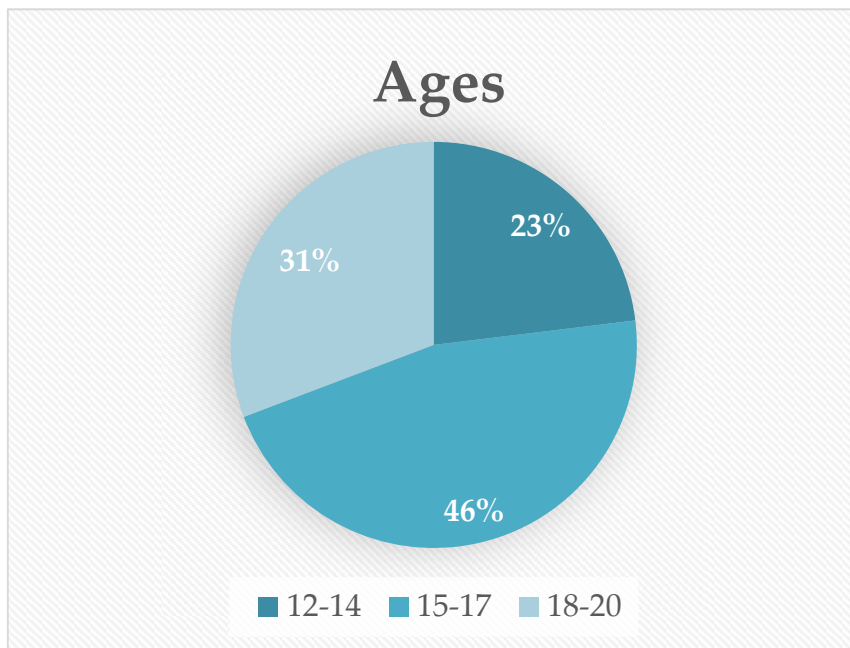


Mental Health Court assists in the timely resolution of juvenile delinquency cases where the issue of legal competency has been raised and in those matters where the mental health or developmental disability of the minor has created significant treatment or placement issues.

JJCR Staff assist with coordinating mental health services for youth and as required by AB1214 provide competency remediation services as directed by the court.



Competency Remediation Snapshot



Juvenile Justice Community Reintegration (JJCR)

Goal: To provide case management and intervention services designed to empower and build resiliency factors for families with behavioral health youth involved in the juvenile justice system.

Target outcomes	Actual Outcome 18-19
75% of youth connected to one appointment or activity	85%
Increased resiliency based on data obtained from (CANS).	90.75%
Increase functioning impairment in general areas of life (e.g., health/self-care/housing, occupation/education, legal, interpersonal/social, and well-being) (CANS).	86.89%



of Youth Served FY 18-19
106

Intermediate Outcomes

87% of youth connected to one appointment or activity

90% Increase functioning impairment in general areas of life (e.g., health/self-care/housing, occupation/education, legal, interpersonal/social, and well-being) (CANS).

40% of youth will be assess using CANS Assessment



Intermediate Process Outcomes

Increase access to youth on probation in need of services

Increase youth and family engagement

Questions?

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