

MONMOUTH COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH SERVICES PLAN UPDATE

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I. INTRODUCTION

This plan update provides each of the 21 New Jersey counties with a coordinated process to plan for State/Community Partnership Grant Program Funds and Family Court Services Program Funds.

A cover letter from the Co-Chairs, on behalf of the County Youth Services Commission indicating their support for this Plan Update as submitted, must accompany one original (single sided) and six (6) copies. The Plan Update must be received at the Juvenile Justice Commission on or before **September 1, 2016 at 3:00 pm.**

Applications should be submitted to:

Juvenile Justice Commission

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II. PLANNING PROCESS- 2017

MONMOUTH COUNTY

Instructions

This section will allow you to describe to the public your county's planning process regarding identifying the needs of youth in your county. Your answers to each of the following questions should describe your county's planning process, **not the results/outcome** of the planning process. Answer all questions using this form.

1. Provide the dates of Youth Services Commission meetings held in 2016:

The 2016 meeting dates for the Monmouth County Youth Services Commission are: March 1, 2015; May 3, 2016; July 5, 2016; September 6, 2016; November 7, 2016 and December 6, 2016.

The Youth Services Commission Planning Committee meeting dates for 2016 are: January 28, 2016; February 25, 2016; March 31, 2016; April 28, 2016; May 26, 2016; June 30, 2016 and July 28, 2016.

2. Use the table below to describe any additional data or information other than that provided by the JJC (i.e. JJC Residential and Commitments Data, Detention Statistics Report, etc.) used in your county's planning process. Attach any additional information you used (i.e., surveys, data, articles, questionnaires).

Point of Continuum	Description	Source	Timeframe/ Year(s)	How was the data used?
<i>Diversion</i>	<i>Ex: Municipal Arrest</i>	<i>State Police, Uniform Crime Report</i>	<i>Jan – Dec 2015</i>	<i>To focus on municipalities that had high arrest for youth.</i>
<i>Disposition</i>	<i>Survey</i>	<i>YSC funded programs</i>	<i>February 2016</i>	<i>To understand from youth perspective what services they need to be successful.</i>
Prevention	Performance Reports on Monmouth County Public Schools	NJ Dept. of Education	2014-2015	To identify districts with various school risk factors related to adolescent problem behavior.
Prevention	2015 child abuse & neglect reports & substantiations in Monmouth County	NJ Div. of Child Protection and Permanency	2015	To determine the extent of child abuse and neglect reports & substantiations in Monmouth County which are

				indicators of family management problems, family conflict and the children's exposure to violence in the home
Prevention	Domestic Violence Incidents	NJ State Police Uniform Crime Report	2013	Indicator of children's exposure to violence in the home
Prevention	Admissions to NJ Drug and Alcohol Treatment Programs	NJ Substance Abuse Monitoring System	2014	To review demographic information on substance abuse admissions and trends. To identify municipalities with the highest number of admissions to treatment for substance abuse.
Prevention	Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse in Monmouth County	Monmouth County	2015-2016	To determine which municipalities in Monmouth County are active in the Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse and are resources in the area of prevention.
Prevention	New Jersey Kids Count 2015 Monmouth County Profile	Advocates for Children of New Jersey	2015	To review the indicators of child well-being and identify trends.
Prevention	Temporary Assistance to Need Families (TANF) and Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP)	Monmouth County Division of Social Services	2016	To determine the municipalities with the highest number of TANF and SNAP cases
Prevention	Labor Force Data	NJ Department of Labor	2015	To identify the municipalities in Monmouth County with the highest unemployment rate (indicator of economic need).
Diversion	2015 Stationhouse Adjustment Data	Monmouth County Police Departments	2015	To review reported SHAs by police department/town, gender, race and outcome.
Diversion	Prosecutor's Office info share system report	Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office	2015	To review 2015 information on the number of separate dockets (complaints) per municipality from the

				Prosecutor's internal info share system.
Diversion	Crime data trends by municipality for 2014 and 2015 2014 Uniform Crime Report data 2014 Monmouth County Municipal Juvenile Arrest data	NJ State Police	2014-2015	To identify the towns with the highest crime index and if the municipality had an increase or decrease from the prior year in either violent or non-violent crime.
Diversion	2015 Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU) statistics	Mental Health Association of Monmouth County	2015	To review the nature and type of cases handled by the FCIU.
Diversion	2015 Mobile Response and Stabilization Services statistics	CPC Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.	2015	To review the nature and type of cases handled by Mobile Response and Stabilization Services.
Diversion	Updated Information on Juvenile Conference Committees (JCCs) in Monmouth County	Monmouth Vicinage- JCC Coordinator	2016	To review the number of Juvenile Conference Committees that exist in Monmouth County as well as the number of volunteers that serve on Juvenile Conference Committees and the types of training that they received on resources and their role.
Diversion	Family Automated Case Tracking System (FACTS) court processing data	Monmouth Vicinage	2015	To review the 2015 diversions by age, gender, race/ethnicity, offense and type
Diversion	Juvenile Arrest Data	NJ State Police Uniform Crime Report	2013	To review juvenile arrest data by gender, race, ethnicity, and offense type.
Detention	2015 Detention Alternative Admissions by gender, race/ethnicity, program type and outcome	Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives	2015	To determine if there were any trends in detention alternatives along the continuum.
Detention	Survey of other counties in New	Monmouth County	2015	To identify staffing levels and funding sources

	Jersey to gather information on their respective detention alternative programs	Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives		supporting detention alternatives in other counties and review the number of youth served and the types of programs.
Detention	Review of Exit Interviews of Youth on Detention Alternatives	Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives	2015	To gain the youth and family perspective and feedback on the detention alternatives and the program staff.
Detention	2015 data on Monmouth County admissions to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility	Monmouth County Sheriff's Office-Contract Administrator	2015	To determine if there were any trends in detention admissions by gender, race/ethnicity, town of residence and length of stay.
Detention	Review of Exit Interviews of Youth who were admitted to Detention	Monmouth County Public Defender's Office-Social Worker	2015	To gain the youth's perspective and feedback on their experience at the detention center and areas that need attention.
Detention	Review of the Number of Visits to Detention	Monmouth County Sheriff's Office-Contract Administrator	2010-2015	To determine trends in the number of visits made by attorneys, professionals, probation and relatives/friends at detention.
Detention	Work plans for the Local Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement and various subcommittees	JJC Research and Reform Specialist & local CJJSI	2015-2016	To integrate the work of our local Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement into the detention/detention alternatives section of the Youth Services Plan Update.
Disposition	Monmouth Vicinage -Court Processing data on juveniles, cases and offenses at three points of the system (docketed, diverted, and adjudicated delinquent).	Monmouth Vicinage-Family Automated Case Tracking System	2015	To review the 2015 juveniles, cases and offenses by age, gender, race/ethnicity and offense and the lead disposition utilized in adjudicated delinquent cases.

Disposition	2015 Juvenile Probation Statistics	Monmouth Vicinage – Probation Division	2015	To review Violations of Probation by municipality and the type of violations filed as well as the total number of juveniles on probation supervision, number of probation officers and average caseload size.
Disposition	Graduated Response Toolkit- New Resources and Insights to Help Youth Succeed on Probation	Center for Children Law and Policy	2016	To review strategies to help youth succeed on probation and gather ideas from other jurisdictions on lessons learned.
Disposition	A point in time snapshot of the juvenile probation supervision caseload by town.	Monmouth Vicinage Probation Division	3-18-16	To determine the municipalities in Monmouth County with the highest number of juveniles on probation supervision.
Re-entry	Regional Re-entry Program	Youth Advocate Programs, Inc.	2016	To share information regarding a new resource for re-entry.
Re-entry	Employment training programs for youth and young adults	Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development	2016	To increase awareness of the available work readiness, career development / exploration and employment training programs in Monmouth County. This is a potential resource for youth in re-entry.
Reducing Racial and Ethnic Disparities	The RED Practice Manual from the Center for Children’s Law and Policy. This publication can be downloaded online http://cclp.org/practicemanual.php	Center for Children’s Law and Policy	2015	Information about this resource document was distributed and contents reviewed.

Comments:

- 3. Update the recommendation sections of the 2015-2017 Plan for all points of the continuum, indicating if any of the needs or service gaps have changed or if the needs or service gaps remain. Also any policy or practice changes you have made at each point in the continuum based on your 2015-2017 Plan recommendations.**

Prevention:

The recommendations included in the Prevention Section of the 2015-2017 Monmouth County Youth Services Plan continue to be valid and relevant. Several delinquency prevention programs are being implemented that target Monmouth County's high need communities which are evidenced based. Life Skills Training is provided to elementary age children in Asbury Park, Keansburg, Long Branch and Neptune Township. After-school and summer programming for pre-teens, ages 9-12, that offers skill development in the area of conflict resolution, problem solving, life skills training, anger management, gang prevention, bullying prevention, self esteem building, empathy and communication and promotes positive youth development were awarded grant funds. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Monmouth and Middlesex Counties is providing a community and school based mentoring program, the Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County is providing the Phoenix Gang Prevention curriculum and Prevention First, Inc. is serving at risk youth at Asbury Park and Neptune Township Middle Schools.

The recommendations included in the prevention section of the 2015-2017 Monmouth County Comprehensive Youth Services Plan were included in the specifications of the programs desired in Monmouth County's request for proposal led through the competitive contracting process. 2017 is the second one year renewal option to that three year competitive contracting process.

In the service category **delinquency prevention** there were 1,089 youth served in 2015. The majority of those youth resided in Asbury Park, Long Branch, Neptune Township and Keansburg. A few youth from other geographic locations also received services through the Big Brothers Big Sisters mentoring program. Delinquency prevention services were delivered in school, after school and in the summer. In 2015, there was a focus on the pre-teen/Middle School age population as well as the elementary school level. The 2015 distribution of the program service dollars (administered by the Monmouth County Office of Youth Services Planning) in the delinquency prevention service category was \$180,000 or 19.38% of the total. The 2015 level of service report was reviewed to determine the race/ethnicity of the youth served through the delinquency prevention programs during 2015. Of the combined 1,089 youth served in the delinquency prevention service category, 199 (18%) were White; 437 (40%) were Black; 402 (37%) were Hispanic and 51 (5%) were "Other".

A wide range of other prevention activities are delivered in Monmouth County that directly impact youth, families, schools and communities. The list of prevention services funded through the New Jersey Department of Children and Families, Division of Family and Community Partnerships in Monmouth County is included in the Inventory of Resources for Monmouth County Youth. Prevention services such as the Home Visitation Initiative, Strengthening Families, School Based Youth Services Programs, Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Initiative, Parent Linking Program, Family Friendly Centers and Family Success Centers are included.

Monmouth County promotes prevention through the coordination of the Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse and countywide activities. Through the Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse and the availability of Drug Enforcement Demand Reduction (DEDR) funds, there are 16 Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse in Monmouth County. Of the 53 municipalities in Monmouth County, there are 22 municipalities participating. The Office of the National Drug Control Policy has provided a drug free communities grant to Prevention First, Inc. who is working with the Prevention Coalition of Monmouth County to reduce underage drug use and promote drug abuse free community norms within the communities of Asbury Park and Long Branch. The New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Mental Health and Addictions funds prevention services in Monmouth County through grants for the Strategic Prevention Framework-Partnerships for Success and the Regional Coalition to Utilize Environmental Strategies to Achieve Population-Level Change.

Asbury Park was selected by the Attorney General's Office to form a community initiative to prevent juvenile crime and promote positive outcomes for youth. The Asbury Park Community Development Initiative is an action oriented coalition that focused its initial attention on findings ways to expand youth employment opportunities, providing mentors for at risk youth in the city and establishing a Police Chaplaincy program. A description of the APCDI current workgroups is included in the Inventory of Resources for Monmouth County Youth.

Other county and United Way funding, support prevention services for youth in Monmouth County in the area of child care resources, mentoring, recreation / after-school programs, special child health services and education.

New Jersey Department of Education has an Office of Student Support Services that supports the positive development of K-12 students, with a focus on health, behavior, school culture and climate, and social-emotional skills. Monmouth County school districts play an important role in keeping our kids safe, healthy and in school. School policies, curriculum guidelines and staff training include a focus on prevention.

Policy and Practice Change in the area of Prevention- Additional language has been integrated into contract agreements and reporting requirements that request the providers have an intentional focus on engaging the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the youth served. There has been an increased focus on strategies to outreach and engage the parent(s)/guardian(s) of youth served through the prevention programs. There had been some level of this in the past but there is now an increased focus on family engagement. Feedback from the youth and their parents on program activities is encouraged. Agencies are asked to collect demographic information on youth served as well as the number of parent(s)/guardian(s) who have participated in some level of the program. Prevention programs are asked to outreach and engage the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the pre-teens participating in the program; to describe strategies conducted during the quarter and the number of parent(s)/guardian(s) reached and to ensure the parent(s)/guardian(s) are informed about the program services offered.

Diversion:

The recommendations included in the diversion section of the 2015-2017 Monmouth County Youth Services Plan continue to appropriate. The service priorities identified in the area of diversion continue to be important to Monmouth County's focus on early intervention. The Diversion stage of the juvenile justice system offers alleged juvenile offenders an opportunity to avoid arrest and/or prosecution by providing alternatives to the formal juvenile justice system process. The goal of Diversion is to provide services and/or informal sanctions to youth who have begun to engage in antisocial and low level delinquent behavior, in an effort to prevent youth from continuing on a delinquency pathway.

It should be noted that some of the recommendations in the diversion section have not been achieved. However the recommendations included are still desired. For example, "To increase law enforcement's use of stationhouse adjustments to prevent youth, particularly minority youth, from progressing further into the juvenile justice system, thereby, reducing disproportionate minority contact" is recommended. In reality, Monmouth County's Stationhouse Adjustment data indicates an actual decrease. In 2015 the use of Stationhouse Adjustments used by Law Enforcement that were reported to the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office decreased from 2014. The prior results from the law enforcement survey outline some of the challenges police encounter in conducting Stationhouse Adjustments.

There appears to be a need for continued work to increase Law Enforcement's awareness, utilization and referral to resources in Monmouth County designed to help children and families in need of services. The Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU) is to accept referrals from law enforcement and work with the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office and the Monmouth County Police Departments to serve as a resource to law enforcement. In reality, referrals from police departments to the Family Crisis Intervention Unit comprised a small number of their total referrals.

The recommendations included in the diversion section of the 2015-2017 Monmouth County Comprehensive Youth Services Plan were included in the specifications of the programs desired in Monmouth County's request for proposal led through the competitive contracting process. 2017 is the second one year renewal option to that three year competitive contracting process.

In the service category **diversion**, the Keys to Innervations (KIV) program received 51 referrals of which 43 completed the entire program in 2015 that consisted of one personal assessment session, 4 two hour group sessions and six hours of service learning. This Stationhouse Adjustment and Family Court diversion program engaged the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the youth in the program. This resource serves as a referral resource for local Police Departments, Juvenile Conference Committees, the Juvenile Referee and Intake Service Conference. A combined total of 317 families received some level of service from the Family Crisis Intervention Unit (190 new families were added to their caseload in 2015 and an additional 127 received information and referral services only). The Wrap Around Program provided in home parent child conflict resolution and juvenile family crisis intervention services for an average of 4 months to 38 new families in 2015 and had 18 families carried over from the prior year. A combined total of 3,283 direct service hours and 3,162 indirect service hours were provided in the diversion service category in 2015. The 2015 distribution of the program service dollars (administered by the Office of Youth Services Planning) in the diversion service category was \$363,500 or 39.13% of the total.

There are 25 Juvenile Conference Committees in Monmouth County. Sixteen (16) Juvenile Conference Committees cover more than one municipality. Howell Township and Freehold each have two (2) Juvenile Conference Committees that serve their municipality. There are 220 total volunteers that serve on Juvenile Conference Committees in Monmouth County. Forty-three (43) of those volunteers are youth members. Training on resources and their role was provided to Juvenile Conference Committees at a roundtable meeting where presenters from available programs spoke. Resource information such as flyers and outside training opportunities are forwarded to the Juvenile Conference Committees via e-mail. Feedback from a JCC Coordinator indicates that there are not any particular resources desired at the JCC level that has been recently expressed however, previous requests were addressed and handled. In the area of diversion, counseling was reported to be helpful and seems to work well. The community service process needs improvement for it is not well streamlined or organized. Juvenile Conference Committee members are well informed through available brochures and trainings. For volunteers that are normally not able to attend meetings and trainings, it was suggested that it would be helpful to have presentations readily available and easily viewable to volunteers through social media (i.e. YouTube, Facebook, etc.) to be able to view them at their convenience.

The recommendations contained in the diversion section of the 2015-2017 Youth Services Plan continue to be a need for us to address and an area of our focus. Additional recommendations for inclusion in the diversion section of the Youth Services Plan are:

- To continue the work of the Education Subcommittee of the state and local CJJSI focused on the diversion of minor school based complaints to Family Court.
- To review the memorandum of understanding between law enforcement and schools and explore strategies and support services in schools that would prevent the school to prison pipeline.
- To promote the CIACC's educational partnership trainings as a forum for information on topics relevant to youth and resources available.

Policy and Practice Change in the area of diversion-

The task of coordinating the Juvenile Conference Committees is in the process of being split between two Senior Probation Officers and one Probation Officer. Once this occurs, there will be more communication between staff and committees which we hope will enhance the strength of the JCC's. Training must take place. The goal is to have the transitions accomplished by 7/5/16.

Detention:

The recommendations included in the detention/detention alternative section of the 2015-2017 Monmouth County Youth Services Plan continue to be applicable and integrate the work plans of the local JDAI Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement.

Monmouth County continues our participation as a Juvenile Detention Alternative Initiative (JDAI) site and has an active local Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement. Monmouth County's Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives continues to implement a continuum of juvenile detention alternatives from House Arrest A, House Arrest B, Home Detention/ Electronic Monitoring, EME and the Shelter. The successful completion rate of youth on detention alternatives continues to be tracked. Through JDAI Innovation Funds, Monmouth County has an Electronic Monitoring Expansion (EME) program, a Family

Engagement in the Juvenile Justice System program and a Community Intervention Coaches program serving youth from Asbury Park and Neptune Township.

In the service category **detention alternative**, the Electronic Monitoring Expansion (EME) program served 36 juveniles and provided 1,764 client days on EME in 2015. The Family Engagement Coordinator attended various community meetings and conducted outreach to parent(s) and various agencies representatives. Family engagement information was shared at Juvenile Conference Committees meetings, Back to School Nights, Probation Parent Orientation sessions and with families at the Court House. A Parent Advisory Group focus session was held and Youth Record Expungement Seminars. The 2015 distribution of the program service dollars (administered by the Office of Youth Services Planning) in the Detention Alternatives service category was \$85,000 (EME and Family Engagement) or 9.15% of the total. The race /ethnicity of youth on detention alternative status and the race /ethnicity of admissions to detention in 2015 was reviewed and is included in the additional data section of this Youth Services Plan Update.

Policy and Practice Change in the area of detention- Monmouth County youth detained at the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility received an exit interview to determine if gaps in programming and service exist. The questions utilized in the exit interview were developed. The social worker from the Office of the Public Defender conducts the exit interviews. The feedback from the youth provides their perspective and voice. Exit interviews are currently being conducted of youth on detention alternative status through the Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives. Expanding exit interviews to include youth leaving detention was added.

The policy and eligibility criteria for youth placed onto the Home Detention Program (HDP)/EME was changed. The prior policy stated, "Juveniles with delinquency complaints in the first degree are not eligible for the Home Detention Program unless consent has been authorized by the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office Family Division Director. Any Juvenile charged with a Black Powder Offense regardless of degree shall not be eligible for either the traditional Home Detention Program or the after-hours Electronic Monitoring Expansion Program". The policy was changed to: "Juveniles with delinquency complaints in the first degree and/or charged with a black powder offense regardless of degree may be eligible for placement on either the traditional Home Detention Program or the after-hours Electronic Monitoring Expansion Program based on the discretion of the Juvenile Judge".

As of January 1, 2016 there are also Order of Arrest warrants being issued to the local police departments instructing the police officers that the juvenile is to be placed on electronic monitoring rather than being placed in detention.

Disposition:

Disposition is the phase of the juvenile justice system where youth adjudicated delinquent are ordered by the court to comply with specific sanctions, supervision, and services as a consequence for their delinquent behavior. The goals of these services are to expand dispositional options available to the Judiciary; to strengthen the supervision of juveniles on probation through the provision of additional resources; and to reduce recidivism of delinquent behavior.

Demographic information on the gender, race/ethnicity and age of the youth adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage in 2015 was obtained and reviewed. Information on court processing is included in the additional data section to this Youth Services Plan Update.

The recommendations included in the disposition section of the 2015-2017 Monmouth County Comprehensive Youth Services Plan were included in the specifications of the programs desired in Monmouth County's request for proposal led through the competitive contracting process. 2017 is the second one year renewal option to that three year competitive contracting process.

In the service category **disposition**, there were 146 youth served in 2015. The range of services varied from life skills training & work readiness through the Community Intervention Coaches Program to individualized services (individual, family, group and IOP counseling) in the area of substance abuse, psychological and anger management issues through the Probation Multi Treatment Program and specialized sex offense specific treatment through the Probation Offender Program. In 2015 there were 1,334.5 direct service hours provided through the CIC program; 521 unit of service through Probation Multi Treatment and 555 units of service through Probation Offender Program. There were 616 adolescent residential alcohol and drug treatment bed days provided to a combined total of 15 youth at the New Hope Foundation in 2015. The 2015 distribution of the program service dollars (administered by the Office of Youth Services Planning) in the disposition service category was \$300,223 or 31.74% of the total.

Policy and Practice Change in the area of disposition-

Reentry:

Reentry generally refers to the period of community-based supervision and services that follows a juvenile's release from a secure facility, residential program, or other structured dispositional placement. Reentry is a mechanism for providing the additional support during this transitional period that is necessary to foster the successful reintegration of juveniles into their communities. For the purposes of this plan update, the use of the term Reentry only applies to committed youth paroled from a Juvenile Justice Commission (JJC) facility and supervised by the JJC's Office of Juvenile Parole and Transitional Services and to juveniles disposed to a JJC program as a condition of probation and supervised by the Department of Probation.

The Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. was awarded a Regional Re-entry Program grant from the NJ Juvenile Justice Commission that will serve the Southern Region which includes Monmouth County. The YSC membership received a copy of YAPs program abstract.

The Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development provides resources to help out-of-school youth, 16-24 years old, find a job, get their GED, get a paid work experience and improve their basic skills. The list of the in school and out of school youth grants, administered by the Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development was distributed and is included in the Inventory of Resources for Monmouth County Youth. Strategies to increase referrals to the Monmouth County Division of Employment and Training to serve youth on probation and youth and young adults in reentry has been emphasized and is an area of local focus.

A New Jersey State Bar Foundation publication entitled, "Turning 18 in New Jersey" highlights the legal rights and responsibilities of new adults. This publication was distributed as a resource for individuals and programs working with young adults. In addition, the publication entitled, "Helping You Transition to Adulthood: Resources for New Jersey's Youth" is available on the Department of Children and Families' website at <http://www.state.nj.us/dcf/adolescent/>

The Monmouth County CIACC has a Preparing for Adulthood Committee. A case review for high risk youth who are aging out of the children's system that need a safety net on the adult side is being developed and explored.

Covenant House New Jersey offers outreach services to homeless and at-risk youth in Asbury Park and the surrounding areas. The outreach workers go out into the community making relationships with young people in crisis and offer them guidance, support and shelter if needed. Covenant House is the largest privately-funded agency in New Jersey that provides food, shelter, immediate crisis care, and an array of other important services to homeless youth between the ages 18-21.

Policy and Practice Change in the area of re-entry-

4. If you are a JDAI site, list topics and discussion points that were shared between the Youth Services Commission and the County Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement and any activities that help facilitated the completion of this Comprehensive Plan Update.

Annual reports on juvenile detention and juvenile detention alternatives were discussed by both the Youth Services Commission (YSC) and the JDAI Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement (CJJSI). Both the Youth Services Commission and the JDAI Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement receive reports and updates on the programs funded through JDAI Innovation Funds and participate in the application process for JDAI Innovation Funds.

Information was shared and discussed at both the JDAI Council on Juvenile Justice System Improvement and the Youth Services Commission regarding the statewide forum hosted by Advocates for Children of New Jersey that was held in October 2015 entitled, "Avoiding the School to Prison Pipeline: Systems Working Together to Enhance Educational Opportunities for At-Risk Students"

Topics and discussion points have included racial disparity in the juvenile justice system and longer lengths of stay for Black youth in juvenile detention and on juvenile detention alternatives compared to White youth. Family engagement has been another area of discussion and joint work.

5. Describe efforts made by the YSC to seek additional funding to supplement the funding received through the Partnership/Family Court Program.

Information is shared with Youth Services Commission members and service providers on grant opportunities. The specifications outlined in the funding announcements are reviewed to determine if it makes sense for the county to pursue the grant or if another organization/agency is better suited to apply. Grant announcements are forwarded to potential applicants. An example of this was a NJ Department of

Children and Families announcement regarding their interest in establishing a Family Success Center in Asbury Park. Information was shared with the City of Asbury Park to bring this grant opportunity to their attention. Several organizations have expressed their interest and attended the technical assistance meeting.

Federal grant opportunities are also explored and when appropriate the announcement is shared with organizations whose mission and services are a match.

The YSC supplements the funding received through the Partnership/Family Court Program by applying for a NJ Division of Child Protection and Permanency Grant that provides adolescent residential alcohol and drug treatment services. In addition, Monmouth County applies for the JDAI Innovations Funds.

Additional Comments:

III. MONITORING RESULTS FOR FUNDED YSC PROGRAMS

Instructions: List the 2016 Youth Services Commission funded programs. Give a brief description of the program and identify their annual level of service. Provide the date and result of the last monitoring, assign an overall rating (Exceptional (E), Satisfactory (S), or Unsatisfactory (U)). Include copies of monitoring reports.

CURRENTLY FUNDED PROGRAMS			
PROGRAM NAME	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION/ TARGET POPULATION	ANNUAL LEVEL OF SERVICE	Date and Monitoring Rating E/S/U (if applicable)
<u>Prevention First, Inc.-Life Skills Training</u>	<p>To provide the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) model program entitled, “Life Skills Training” to a combined total of 1,166 elementary age children from Asbury Park, Keansburg, Long Branch and Neptune Township.</p>	<p>Eight session classroom program, reaching each 4th grade student in each of the four school districts.</p> <p>Twenty (20) youth ages 8-10 will attend one of two summer groups, in two (2) of the four (4) selected communities and will participate in a ten (10) hour summer Life Skills Training small group.</p> <p>Sixty (60) parents / guardians will attend one of eight (8) parent forums .</p> <p>Sixty-two (62) 4th grade teachers, counseling staff and administrators will attend an in-service or grade-level meeting</p>	<p>April 19, 2016 & June 2, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>

<p><u>Big Brothers Big Sisters of Monmouth and Middlesex Counties- Community & School Based Mentoring Program</u></p>	<p>To offer a community and school based mentoring program that includes after-school and summer program activities, quality programming and supervision for pre-teens, ages 9-12. Skill development for pre-teens in the area of conflict resolution, problem solving, life skills training, anger management, gang prevention, bullying prevention, self esteem building, empathy and communication will be integrated into the community and school based mentoring program. The program will promote Positive Youth Development.</p>	<p>Thirty-six (36) unduplicated Monmouth County pre-teens ages 9-12 will participate in the community and school based mentoring program by December 31, 2016. Each pre-teen matched with an adult volunteer will receive a minimum of 100 direct service hours.</p>	<p>April 26, 2016 Satisfactory</p>
<p><u>Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County –Phoenix Gang Prevention</u></p>	<p>To provide secondary delinquency prevention services using the Phoenix Gang Prevention curriculum in the after-school and summer program, for thirty (30) Monmouth County pre-teens ages 9-12.</p>	<p>Thirty (30) unduplicated Monmouth County pre-teens ages 9-12 will participate in the afterschool and summer program at the Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County and receive 50 hours of the Phoenix Gang Prevention Curriculum by December 31, 2016.</p>	<p>June 27, 2016 Satisfactory</p>

<p><u>Prevention First, Inc. - After School and Summer Delinquency Prevention</u></p>	<p>To provide a secondary delinquency prevention after-school and summer program that utilizes the following evidence based and/or best practice programs in the after-school and summer program: Life Skills Training, Safe Dates, We're Not Buying It, and Keys to Innervisions.</p>	<p>To serve a minimum of 40 referred youth (20 from Asbury Park Middle School and 20 from Neptune Township Middle School).</p> <p>The after school program is to include four (4) 15 session cycles – two in each district with 10 unduplicated youth each and two (2) five (5) session summer cycles – one in each district with 10 youth each,</p> <p>To provide a minimum of 502 hours of service (127 direct and 375 indirect) by December 31, 2016.</p>	<p>April 19, 2016 & June 2, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>
<p><u>Prevention First, Inc. - Keys to Innervisions (KIV)</u></p>	<p>To utilize the researched based curricula, Keys to Innervisions (KIV), as a countywide, Stationhouse Adjustment and Family Court Diversion Program. To provide adolescent anger management and alcohol and drug abuse early intervention/education services to a combined total of fifty (50) unduplicated adolescents referred by local Juvenile Conference Committees, Intake Service Conference, the Juvenile Referee and Monmouth County Police Departments. T</p>	<p>50 adolescents</p> <p>individual assessment</p> <p>Four (4) two hour KIV adolescent group sessions with concurrent KIV parent(s)/guardian(s) sessions and a service learning component</p>	<p>March 28, 2016 & June 2, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>

<p><u>Mental Health Association of Monmouth County- Family Crisis Intervention Unit</u></p>	<p>The Mental Health Association of Monmouth County will provide an out of court Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU). The purpose of the unit is to provide a continuous 24-hour on call service designed to attend and stabilize juvenile –family crisis. Juvenile-family crisis is defined as behavior, conduct or a condition of a juvenile, parent or guardian or other family member which presents or results in: 1.) A serious threat to the well- being and physical safety of a juvenile, or 2.) A serious conflict between a parent or guardian and a juvenile regarding rules of conduct which has been manifested by repeated disregard for lawful parental authority by a juvenile or misuse of lawful parental authority by a parent or guardian, or 3.) Unauthorized absence by a juvenile for more than 24 hours from his/her home, or 4.) A pattern of repeated unauthorized absences from school by a juvenile subject to the compulsory education provision of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes (N.J.S.A. 2A:4A-22(g)). Under this statute, juvenile-family crisis cases do not include cases of child abuse, child neglect or domestic violence.</p>	<p>350 families</p>	<p>May 24, 2016 Satisfactory</p>
<p><u>Mental Health Association of Monmouth County –Wrap Around Program</u></p>	<p>To provide the Parent Child Conflict Resolution Program- Juvenile Family Crisis Intervention Resource for Monmouth County families referred by Monmouth Vicinage, Family Division Judiciary and prioritized by the Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU). Services include in-home therapy, case-management and purchase of wrap-around services. Short term, community based crisis intervention services which, include a home based model of service delivery to reduce barriers that keep families from accessing services will be provided. Assessment and early intervention services that offer skill training in family communication, parenting, problem-solving and conflict management will be included.</p>	<p>(48) Forty-eight referred juveniles and their families for an average of (4) four months that includes approximately (40-45) forty to forty-five hours of direct service to each juvenile, in addition to those hours for which wrap-around funds are purchased.</p>	<p>May 24, 2016 Satisfactory</p>

<p><u>Monmouth County</u> <u>Division of Juvenile Detention</u> <u>Alternatives-</u> <u>Electronic Monitoring Expansion</u> <u>Program</u></p>	<p>The Electronic Monitoring Expansion Program expands the juvenile detention alternative continuum in Monmouth County to include GPS units.</p> <p>The Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives staff implementing the Electronic Monitoring Expansion program will facilitate youth and family pro-social, enrichment, and team-building activities.</p> <p>Pro-social activities for youth and families on detention alternatives will include, but not be limited to: job training programs, graduation/encouragement ceremonies, college tours, educational classes, tutoring, school supplies, pro-social family activities</p>	<p>Support towards Social worker-juvenile rehabilitation position</p> <p>On call after hours coverage</p> <p>GPS equipment</p>	<p>June 9, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>
<p><u>Monmouth Vicinage-</u> <u>Family Engagement Program</u></p>	<p>To implement a comprehensive, multi-prong approach to engage families of youth involved in the juvenile justice system. The goal is to effectively engage families in decisions about and services delivered to their children, support parents in their efforts to advocate for their children, and involve families in system reform efforts. Monmouth will continue to facilitate focus groups, surveys, and leadership development seminars with families and juvenile justice stakeholders on family empowerment, strengthening families, and respect for/understanding of families of all backgrounds; and the development of a parent support network where families become leaders in sharing information regarding the system and the legal rights of families. The effort will also promote the connection between youth and families by assisting families with transportation to the Middlesex detention center on visit days and promoting family group decision-making.</p>	<p>Family Engagement Coordinator- contracted consultant</p>	<p>November 4, 2015</p> <p>Satisfactory</p> <p>2016 site visit will be scheduled in the fall</p>

<p><u>Mercy Center, Inc. – Community Coaches Program-</u></p>	<p>The program will train community members as Community Intervention Coaches who can provide intervention and support services for Asbury Park and Neptune youth who are in danger of violating the terms of their probation. The Community Coaches Program will utilize a life skills and character building skills training curriculum with youth from Asbury Park and Neptune Township who are on probation. Topics may include: You and the Law; Verbal Communication; Non Verbal Communication; Critical Problem Solving; Risk Taking; Decision Making; Self Concept; Personal Awareness; Self Control: and How to Get a Job and Hold a Job. The Community Coaches program will provide youth on probation from Asbury Park and Neptune Township with employment readiness/entrepreneurial development training. The Community Coaches program will engage youth on probation and help them to succeed, through the provision of recreational and cultural activities/trips, as well as incentives for their attendance in the life skills training and employment readiness components of the program.</p>	<p>5 youth on Probation at any given time</p>	<p>April 29, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>
<p><u>Monmouth Vicinage-Probation Division- Probation Multi Treatment Program (PMT)</u></p>	<p>The Probation Multi-Treatment Program provides for the purchase of individualized services for Monmouth County juveniles on probation, whose families are indigent, low income or insurance poor and who would otherwise not have access to care. The Probation Multi-Treatment Program's goals are to strengthen the supervision of juveniles on probation through the provision of additional resources, to expand the dispositional options available to the Judiciary and to reduce the recidivism of delinquent behavior. The An array of outpatient services such as, alcohol and drug treatment, family counseling, family support services, anger management, conflict resolution skills training and other specialized services will be included.</p>	<p>30 unduplicated Monmouth County juveniles on probation during the contract timeframe and maintain a maximum caseload of 15 juveniles in the program at any given time.</p> <p>Approximately, 600 direct services hours</p>	<p>June 16, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>

<p><u>Monmouth Vicinage-Probation Division</u> <u>-Probation Offender Program (POP)</u></p>	<p>To provides specialized assessment, evaluation and treatment for sexually abusive juveniles and adjudicated adolescent sex offenders in Monmouth County who are on probation supervision.</p> <p>Consultants, who specialize and are trained in the area of juvenile sex offense treatment, will be utilized to deliver: 20 Intake and 15 Exit Screenings; 200 Individual and 105 Group Sexually Abusive Behavior Specific Sessions; as well as, 32 Individual and 24 Group Substance Abuse Education and Anger Management Specific Sessions; 83 Family Sessions; and 12 Multi Family Parent Education / Support Groups. The program will address substance abuse and anger management issues among the juveniles on probation for sex offenses, through the provision of individual, group and family counseling. The program will provide multi-family group sessions, parenting sessions and/or in home family sessions to help parent(s)/guardian(s) gain a better understanding of the offense and treatment. The program will ensure attendance at all therapy sessions by providing transportation on an as needed basis.</p>	<p>Up to 40 juveniles on probation</p>	<p>June 13, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>
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<p><u>New Hope Foundation, Inc. Adolescent Residential Alcohol and Drug Treatment</u></p>	<p>To provide adolescent residential alcohol and drug treatment services to Monmouth County juveniles with alcohol and drug dependence, who have been adjudicated delinquent and/or who have a demonstrated history of juvenile delinquency, and referred to treatment by the Judiciary.</p> <p>The following services are included: a bio-psychosocial and problem/strength assessment at admission to include: a.) Mental status at prescreening and admission with psychiatric evaluation, or follow-up when called for; b.) Nursing assessment; c.) Nutritional assessment; d.) Educational assessment e.) Lab work (within 24-hours); f.) Physician history and physical (within 48-hours); g.) Master Treatment Plan (within 5 days). Other activities include: Discharge Planning (upon admission, reviewed weekly and results in continuing care plan); Treatment Plan Review; Individual Counseling (at least 1 hour per week); Group Therapy (at least 7 hours per week); Psycho-education (at least 6 hours per week); Family psycho-education (at least 2 hours per week); Family group/ individual/conjoint therapy (at least 1 session per treatment episode when family / significant others can be engaged); Accredited high school educational programming (20 hours per week) and Case Management. Recreation, field trips and 12-Step meetings (on & off-site) - 2 or 3 per week is also included.</p>	<p>To provide a minimum of 879 bed days of adolescent residential alcohol and drug treatment services to a minimum of fifteen (15) unduplicated juveniles referred by the Judiciary of Monmouth Vicinage, Superior Court, Family Division.</p>	<p>June 10, 2016</p> <p>Satisfactory</p>

Comments:

IV. CONTINUUM OF CARE

- A. Definitions: Defines and describes each Point of Intervention on the Continuum.
- B. Instructions for Completing Work Sheet
- C. CY 2016 Continuum of Care - Points of Intervention

POINTS OF INTERVENTION DEFINITIONS

PREVENTION

Delinquency Prevention Programs are strategies and services designed to increase the likelihood that youth will remain free from initial involvement with the formal or informal juvenile justice system. The goal of delinquency prevention is to prevent youth from engaging in anti-social and delinquent behavior and from taking part in other problem behaviors that are pathways to delinquency. Primary Delinquency Prevention programs are those directed at the entire juvenile population without regard to risk of involvement in the juvenile justice system. Secondary Delinquency Prevention programs are those directed at youth who are at higher risk of involvement in the juvenile justice system than the general population. Given this goal, Delinquency Prevention programs developed through the comprehensive planning process should clearly focus on providing services that address the known causes and correlates of delinquency.

Delinquency Prevention data describe trends in juvenile delinquency and in factors that reflect the causes and correlates of delinquent activity. By understanding the nature and extent of delinquent behavior and the factors associated with involvement in delinquency, Counties can better identify the content and scope of prevention programs needed. This information will help Counties make informed decisions regarding the allocation of resources to delinquency prevention, including those disseminated by the Juvenile Justice Commission (e.g., Title II, State/Community Partnership, and Family Court Services).

The Delinquency Prevention data required for this Comprehensive Plan is meant to become the foundation for prevention program planning. However, it should be noted that the typical prevention planning process requires an in-depth analysis of community, family, peer, and education factors that identify problem areas in a particular municipality or County.

This Comprehensive Plan requires only a small portion of the data that could potentially be collected at the County or municipal level. Counties are encouraged to examine all other data not provided by the JJC in its planning process.

DIVERSION

The Diversion stage of the juvenile justice system offers alleged juvenile offenders an opportunity to avoid arrest and/or prosecution by providing alternatives to the formal juvenile justice system process. The goal of Diversion is to provide services and/or informal sanctions to youth who have begun to engage in antisocial and low level delinquent behavior in an effort to prevent youth from continuing on a delinquent pathway. Youth who do not successfully complete a diversion program may ultimately have their case referred for formal processing by the juvenile court. Given this goal, Diversion programs developed through the comprehensive planning process should clearly focus on providing services and/or informal sanctions that address the known causes and correlates of delinquency.

Diversion Process

In New Jersey, juveniles are dealt with informally through one or more of the following: Law Enforcement Station House Adjustments, Family Crisis Intervention Units (FCIU), Family Court Juvenile Conference Committees, or Family Court Intake Service Conferences.

Law enforcement officers might divert a youth suspected of a delinquent act if, in lieu of making an arrest, the officer chooses to dismiss the youth with a warning and reprimand, or to refer the youth to a social service agency. This process is known as a station house adjustment.

Youth who are accused of committing a delinquent act directly tied to family dysfunction may be diverted, with their families, to the Family Crisis Intervention Unit. The FCIU can provide services to youth and their families to resolve the immediate crisis leading to delinquency, thereby preventing the juvenile and his or her family from entering the formal court system.

Diversions within Family Court occur after a complaint has been filed, but prior to the case being formally heard by a judge. At this point, youth may be diverted to either a Juvenile Conference Committee (JCC) or to an Intake Services Conference (ISC). First and second time offenders charged with low level delinquent offenses may be diverted first to the JCC - a committee of volunteers from the community who attempt to settle the complaint. Complaints not resolved at the JCC level are referred to an Intake Service Conference. An ISC is a meeting between the youth and an intake officer who attempts to settle the case. Complaints not resolved at the ISC may be referred to a judge for formal processing.

Diversion Programs

Diversion programs are the structured services and sanctions typically provided to youth and/or their families at any point in the Diversion process. A law enforcement agency or the court might operate a Diversion program directly or the youth might participate in a program operated by a contracted service provider.

Diversion data describe trends in the extent and nature of cases diverted in your county that reflect the causes and correlates of delinquent activity. By understanding the volume of the existing types of diversion cases and the factors associated with involvement in delinquency, counties can more effectively plan the content and scope of Diversion programs. This information will help counties make informed decisions regarding the allocation of resources to Diversion programming, including those disseminated by the Juvenile Justice Commission (e.g., State/Community Partnership, Family Court Services and Title II).

DETENTION

The Detention phase/component of juvenile justice includes detention, the temporary care of juveniles and the provision of Detention Alternative Programs.

Detention

“Detention” is defined as the temporary care of juveniles in physically restricting facilities pending court disposition (N.J.A.C. 13:92-1.2).

An objective of detention is to provide secure custody for those juveniles who are deemed a threat to the physical safety of the community and/or whose confinement is necessary to insure their presence at the next court hearing (N.J.A.C. 13:92-1.3). For the purpose of this plan a limited amount of funding may be

provided to support court ordered evaluations for adjudicated youth who reside in the detention center, if all other resources have been exhausted.

Detention Alternatives

Detention Alternative Programs provide supervision to juveniles who would otherwise be placed in a secure detention facility while awaiting final disposition of their case, expanding the array of pre-disposition placement options available to the judiciary. Detention Alternative Programs/Services are not to be provided in the detention center. These programs are designed to provide short-term (30 – 60 days) supervision sufficient to safely maintain appropriate youth in the community while awaiting the final disposition of their case. As such, these programs help to reduce the overall detention population and relieve detention overcrowding and its related problems where it exists.

Detention data describe the number of juveniles placed in detention, the characteristics of those juveniles, and the types of offenses for which they are detained. By understanding the nature and extent of the detained population and the extent to which detention is used and the characteristics of the youth, planners can better identify the content and scope of Detention Alternative Programs needed in their counties. As such, counties will be better equipped to make informed decisions regarding the allocation of resources to Detention Alternative Programs, including those disseminated by the Juvenile Justice Commission (State/Community Partnership, Family Court Services, Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiatives, and Title II).

DISPOSITION

Disposition is the phase of the juvenile justice system where youth adjudicated delinquent are ordered by the court to comply with specific sanctions, supervision, and services as a consequence for their delinquent behavior. In New Jersey, the range of dispositions available to the court includes but is not limited to restitution/fines, community service, probation, and commitment to the Juvenile Justice Commission. For youth disposed to a term of probation supervision, among the conditions of probation that might be imposed by the court is the completion of a Dispositional Option Program. The structure of these Dispositional Option Programs are varied, but common among these options are intensive supervision programs, day and evening reporting centers, and structured day and residential programs. Given this goal, Disposition programs developed through the comprehensive planning process should clearly focus on providing sanctions, supervision, and services that address the known causes and correlates of delinquency.

When determining the appropriate disposition in a given case, the court faces the complex task of considering multiple goals, including promoting public safety, ensuring offender accountability, and providing juveniles with opportunities for personal growth and skill development through rehabilitative efforts. By developing and enhancing local Dispositional Option Programs, counties can facilitate the achievement of these goals by providing the court with the range of options that matches best the supervision and service needs of youth in their communities. Research and experience indicate that well developed community-based Dispositional Option Programs can effectively reduce the likelihood of continued delinquency, improving the lives of the youth they serve, and the quality and safety of the local community and its citizens.

Disposition data describe the number of youth adjudicated delinquent and disposed by the court, as well as the characteristics of these juveniles that reflect the causes and correlates of delinquent activity. By understanding the nature and extent of the juvenile population facing disposition and the factors associated

with involvement in delinquency, planners can better identify the content and scope of Dispositional Option Programs needed in their counties. As such, counties will be better equipped to make informed decisions regarding the allocation of resources to Dispositional Option Programs, including those resources disseminated by the Juvenile Justice Commission (State/Community Partnership, Family Court Services, Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiatives and Title II).

REENTRY

In the juvenile justice system Reentry generally refers to the period of community-based supervision and services that follows a juvenile's release from a secure facility, residential program, or other structured dispositional placement.

However, for the purposes of this plan, the use of the term Reentry only applies to committed youth paroled from a Juvenile Justice Commission (JJC) facility and supervised by the JJC's Office of Juvenile Parole and Transitional Services and to juveniles disposed to a JJC program as a condition of probation and supervised by the Juvenile Probation Division. Reentry is a mechanism for providing the additional support during this transitional period that is necessary to foster the successful reintegration of juveniles into their communities. Given this goal, Reentry programs developed through the comprehensive planning process should clearly focus on providing services to youth, regardless of their age, that address the known causes and correlates of delinquency.

By developing Reentry services that compliment the supervision provided by the JJC and Probation, Counties can increase the likelihood that juveniles returning to their communities will reintegrate successfully. This type of cooperative effort in the delivery of Reentry services and supervision improves each youth's chance of becoming productive, law-abiding citizens, which in turn enhances the safety and quality of the local communities in which these juveniles reside.

Reentry data describe the number of committed youth and probationers returning to the community from JJC facilities and programs, as well as the demographic and offense characteristics of these juveniles that reflect the causes and correlates of delinquent activity. By understanding the nature and extent of the population released to Reentry and the factors associated with involvement in delinquency, planners can better identify the content and scope of Reentry services and programs needed in their counties. As such, counties will be better equipped to make informed decisions regarding the allocation of resources to Reentry services, including those resources disseminated by the Juvenile Justice Commission (State/Community Partnership, Family Court Services, and Title II).

CY 2016 Existing Services
Continuum of Care - Points of Intervention

CY 2016 Continuum of Care - Points of Intervention

1. List the programs/services your county considers a part of its continuum of care regardless of funding. *List the name of the program and/or agency. Also indicate the annual level of service and funding source in parenthesis.* Additional pages may be utilized.
2. Programs/services should include those funded through the Juvenile Justice Commission (State/Community Partnership & Family Court, JJDP and JDAI) and all other programs/services considered a part of the county's continuum.
3. Level of Restrictiveness – List programs from least restrictive to most restrictive. For example – A Mentoring program is less restrictive than an In-Home Detention Program. If you are a JDAI Site, consider using the continuum of Detention Alternatives developed by your local Council on Juvenile Justice Systems Improvement.

CY 2016 Existing Services
Continuum of Care (Points of Intervention)*
County of Monmouth



1. Prevention First, Inc. - Life Skills Training (LST)
1,166 elementary age children / State Community Partnership
2. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Monmouth and Middlesex Counties-Community and School Based Mentoring/(36) pre-teens ages 9-12 / State Community Partnership
3. Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County-Phoenix Gang Prevention/ Thirty (30) pre-teens ages 9-12 / State Community Partnership
4. Prevention First, Inc.-Secondary Delinquency Prevention After-School Program /40 Middle School students / State Community Partnership
5. School Based Youth Services Programs/3 SBYSP/ NJ Div.of Prevention and Community Partnership
6. Family Success Centers/ 3 Family Success Centers/NJ Div. of Prevention and Community Partnerships
7. Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcohol and Drug Abuse/22 participating municipalities/ Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse (DEDR)
8. Monmouth County Sheriff's Office- Youth Programs/County

1. Prevention First, Inc.-Keys to Innervations/ fifty (50) unduplicated adolescents /State Community Partnership Program
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

1. Mental Health Association of Monmouth County-Family Crisis Intervention Unit /350 families / Family Court Services
2. Mental Health Association of Monmouth County-Parent Child Conflict Resolution Program/ 48 juveniles and their families / State Community Partnership
3. Mobile Response and Stabilization Services/ /NJ Div. of Children's System of Care

Family Court Diversion Programs

Name/LOS/Funding Source

1. Prevention First, Inc.-Keys to Innervations (KIV) / 50 adolescents /State Community Partnership Program
2. Monmouth Vicinage -Juvenile Conference Committee(s)/ volunteers/Judiciary
3. Monmouth Vicinage -Intake Service Conference /Judiciary
4. Juvenile Referee Program-Judiciary
5. Youth Education Shoplifting Program/ National Association for Shoplifting Prevention
6. Fire Fly/ Office of the Fire Marshal
7. Monmouth Vicinage Family Court: Parent Education Program/ Judiciary
8. Monmouth Vicinage Family Court: Partners in Parenting/ Judiciary

Detention Alternative Programs (Pre-Adjudicated Youth)

Name/LOS/Funding Source

1. Monmouth Vicinage- Family Engagement Program/ JDAI IF
2. House Arrest A / County
3. House Arrest B/ County
4. Home Detention Electronic Monitoring Program/County _____
5. Electronic Monitoring Expansion/ JDAI IF
6. Juvenile Shelter/3 beds/ County _____

Least Restrictive

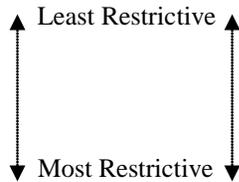
Most Restrictive



Community Based Disposition Options
(Post-Adjudicated Youth)

Name/LOS/Funding Source

1. Juvenile Probation/ Judiciary
2. MonmouthCares, Inc. - Care Management/ NJ Div. of Children's System of Care
3. Monmouth Vicinage- Probation Division- Probation Multi Treatment (PMT) /30 youth / Family Court Service.
4. Mercy Center, Inc. -Community Coaches Program/ 5 youth on Probation at any given time / Family Court Services & JDAI IF
5. Monmouth Vicinage-Probation Division- Probation Offender Program (POP)/40 youth / Family Court Services
6. New Hope Foundation-Adolescent Residential/ 15 youth/ SCPG; FC & DCP&P
7. Juvenile Intense Supervision Program (JISP)



Reentry Programs

Name/LOS/Funding Source

1. Youth Advocate Program, Inc. -Regional Re-entry Program/ 30 youth /JJC
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

***Please refer to the 2016 Inventory of Resources for Monmouth County Youth for a complete listing of existing youth contracts and programs by funding source that are considered part of Monmouth County's continuum.**

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE 2015-2017 MONMOUTH COUNTY
COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH SERVICES PLAN BY SERVICE CATEGORY

Prevention Recommendations

To reduce the number of at-risk minors who become delinquent by involving them in a prevention program.

Skill development for children in the area of conflict resolution, problem solving, and anger management, gang prevention, bullying prevention, self-esteem building, empathy and communication is recommended.

Programs and strategies that intervene at the earliest possible and/or most developmentally appropriate stage as identified through the risk and protective assessment and which serve to incorporate the entire family, increase opportunities for bonding with caring adults, focus on the attainment of age appropriate social skills and employ an integrated approach which targets more than one sphere of influence in a child's life are recommended.

To develop safe environments that include structured activities, quality programming and supervision during the late afternoon and early evening when youth are more likely to engage in delinquency and programs that may include an in school, an after school and summer component.

To support local organizations that develop, implement, or expand local mentoring programs that promote measurable, positive outcomes for at-risk youth and reduce juvenile delinquency, violence, gang participation, school failure, and drop-out rates.

To recommend the use of the new National Mentoring Resource Center, that will offer resource, reference, and training materials to the field and advance the implementation of evidence- and research-based mentoring practices.

To prevent youth from joining gangs, communities must strengthen families and schools, improve community supervision, train teachers and parents to manage disruptive youth and teach students interpersonal skills.

To assist practitioners and communities in implementing evidence-based prevention and intervention programs that can make a difference in the lives of children and communities.

Replication of Best Practice Models in the area of Delinquency Prevention included in the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) Model Programs Guide is recommended.

Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse and other providers of prevention programs are recommended to adopt evidence based programs.

Prevention programs that teach youth and families skills that promote peaceful alternatives to conflict situations, improve family management and reduce the stressors that can escalate into violence are recommended.

Monmouth County's prevention plan needs to incorporate the entire family into the program or strategy. Outreach to engage and involve parent(s) / guardian(s) is recommended.

Diversions Recommendations

Law Enforcement

To increase law enforcement's use of stationhouse adjustments to prevent youth, particularly minority youth, from progressing further into the juvenile justice system, thereby, reducing disproportionate minority contact.

To enforce underage drinking laws through compliance checks of retail alcohol outlets, crackdowns on false identification, programs to deter older youth or adults from providing alcohol to minors, party patrols to prevent drinking at large gatherings, "cops in shops" to keep minors from purchasing alcohol, youth-focused campaigns to enforce impaired driving laws, and investigations to determine the source of alcohol and hold the responsible party accountable for their role in alcohol related incidences. To support public education programs and innovative methods for reaching youth.

To develop County-wide diversion programs so that all municipalities would be able to access the programs on an equal basis.

To increase Law Enforcement's awareness, utilization and referral to resources in Monmouth County designed to help children and families in need of services.

To train professionals who first respond to alleged status offenses about family and community dynamics and other factors that can cause status behaviors, as well as the availability and role of screenings, assessments, and services.

The Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU) is to accept referrals from law enforcement and work with the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office and the Monmouth County Police Departments to serve as a resource to law enforcement. The FCIU is to assume a key role in the training and orientation of police and schools to facilitate access to FCIU services.

To increase the education of both law enforcement and parents/guardians on resources that exist to help youth in need of services and their understanding of the juvenile justice system components in Monmouth County.

To encourage the development of diversion programs that engages parent(s) / guardian(s) and provides information on the resources that exist.

Family Crisis Intervention Unit

To provide a continuous 24-hour on call service designed to attend and stabilize juvenile – family crisis.

Juvenile-family crisis is defined as behavior, conduct or a condition of a juvenile, parent or guardian or other family member which presents or results in: 1.) A serious threat to the well-being and physical safety of a juvenile, or 2.) A serious conflict between a parent or guardian and a juvenile regarding rules of conduct which has been manifested by repeated disregard for lawful parental authority by a juvenile or misuse of lawful parental authority by a parent or guardian, or 3.) Unauthorized absence by a juvenile for more than 24 hours from his/her home, or 4.) A pattern of repeated unauthorized absences from school by a juvenile subject to the compulsory education provision of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes (N.J.S.A. 2A:4A-22(g)).

To reduce serious conflict between parent(s)/guardian(s) and the juvenile thereby improving family functioning; to stabilize family crisis as to avoid an out-of-home placement; and to prevent delinquent behavior of at-risk youth.

To educate families on mental health and/or substance abuse, and on how to effectively manage the problem. As well as, to advocate for families and assist them in navigating through the child behavioral health system.

To encourage the FCIU to work with school districts to implement responses to truancy that match the reasons youth are absent from school and that aim to avoid court involvement, school suspension, or expulsion.

To utilize the FCIU as a mechanism to help disseminate information developed by the National Center for School Engagement on preventing truancy and school dropout.

To support delinquency prevention and intervention programs that focus on minority youth, their families, and communities.

To continue to provide community -based crisis intervention services; which include an intensive in home counseling component for juveniles and families referred by the Family Crisis Intervention Unit.

Family Court Diversion

To encourage providers of diversion programs to reference the Juvenile Diversion Guidebook prepared by the Models for Change Juvenile Diversion Workgroup.

To provide early intervention/education services to juveniles, who have come to the attention of the Family Court, with minor offenses related to conduct disorder, anger management problems and/or alcohol and drug abuse issues.

To have an array of community based programs and service interventions located in different geographic locations of Monmouth County; which serve as a resource to Juvenile Conference Committees, Intake Service Conference and the Juvenile Referee.

To share resource information with Juvenile Conference Committees for inclusion in any trainings developed.

To support delinquency prevention and intervention programs that focus on minority youth, their families, and communities.

To increase law enforcement's use of stationhouse adjustments to prevent youth, particularly minority youth, from progressing further into the juvenile justice system, thereby, reducing disproportionate minority contact.

Detention Alternatives/Detention Recommendations

To utilize the Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative (JDAI) in Monmouth County as a systems change model to address the factors within the juvenile justice system that contribute to Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC).

To continue to work to reduce racial disparity in the juvenile justice system

To improve the success of youth on probation who experience difficulty complying with the basic rules of probation supervision and are at risk of violation for noncompliance.

Youth should be placed in the least restrictive environment to ensure public safety- To continue to utilize the Risk Screening Tool (RST) in Monmouth County for the purpose of placing appropriate youth in detention. Structured screening tools promote consistency, equity and

transparency in decision-making, as they apply objective, legally relevant criteria in a uniform manner across cases, ensuring similar outcomes for similarly situated youth.

To continue an effective continuum of detention alternatives with various degrees and types of supervision for youth whose cases are pending disposition

To strengthen and improve detention alternatives serving high-minority areas

To strengthen and improve detention alternatives and increase the rate of success on the alternative

Strategies to reduce the number of youth, who are negatively discharged from a detention alternative program, for non-compliance with program rules need to be developed.

To gather information relative to the services provided to Monmouth County youth at the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility to determine if gaps in programming and service exist.

To track the utilization of the transportation service to juvenile detention available through the family engagement in the juvenile justice system program

To reduce the lengths of stay of youth in detention and detention alternatives due to case processing delays

Disposition Recommendations

To recommend the adoption of the Principles of Adolescent Substance Use Disorder Treatment: A Research –Based Guide.

To promote access to mental health and substance abuse services.

To provide alcohol and drug treatment and anger management/conflict resolution skills training for juvenile offenders as a dispositional option for the Judiciary

To develop and implement strategies to reduce the stigma associated with needing and receiving mental health, substance abuse and suicide prevention services.

To foster employment opportunities for youth that includes supported work job sites in the community.

To provide work readiness and employment skills training for youth

To respond effectively to the increasingly complex needs of children, encouraging the involvement of parents and enlisting the support of the community.

To pursue a treatment/rehabilitation philosophy that dictates that each youth be assessed individually and receive services tailored to meet that youth's needs.

Resources for adolescent treatment should focus on a system of care that is community based and concentrates on the least restrictive level of care that would help adolescents sustain recovery through community supports.

A variety of offense specific dispositional option programs are recommended that increase supervision of juveniles after school, in the evenings and during the summer.

Juveniles adjudicated delinquent for sex offenses are in need of specialized counseling.

Evidence-based family intervention models; rigorous career preparation and vocational training programs; intensive youth advocate and mentoring programs; cognitive-behavioral skills training and specialized mental health and substance abuse treatment models are recommended.

To develop a special focus on the needs of girls at various points of the juvenile justice system*

To encourage the development of gender responsive programming

**Relative to the recommendation that states a special focus is needed on girls at various points in the juvenile justice system and to develop gender responsive programming, the intent was to be inclusive. Looking at the juvenile justice system through the lens of gender- was a recent theme of an Annie E. Casey Foundation publication. Although girls comprise a much smaller number and percentage at various points in the juvenile justice system compared to boys, their needs are unique and should not be ignored. More analysis and evaluation would be needed to determine if the current program designs are meeting the needs of girls in Monmouth County. There may be issues that girls do not feel comfortable talking about in mixed gender groups such as sexual assault or dating violence.*

To work with youth and family teams and other system of care providers to develop treatment plans for youth and families who are multi-system involved.

To participate in cross training and joint systems review meetings

To exchange information on issues and concerns facing youth and families involved in the juvenile justice system and other youth serving institutions.

To continue to collect and use of data by race and ethnicity, to identify the extent to which minority youth are overrepresented at major decision points in the juvenile justice system in Monmouth County.

To support dispositional option programs that focus on minority youth, their families, and communities.

To increase the availability of youth services in communities with a high number of juvenile contacts and limited resources.

To improve the success of youth on probation who experience difficulty complying with the basic rules of probation supervision and are at risk of violation for noncompliance.

Re-entry Recommendations

Commitment to a juvenile corrections facility should be reserved for youth who have committed serious offenses and pose a clear and demonstrable risk to public safety.

A broad continuum of high-quality services, supervision programs, and dispositional options to supervise and treat youthful offenders in their home communities is needed.

Large institutions should be replaced with small, treatment oriented facilities for the dangerous few.

To further enhance and refine efforts to ensure that JJC's youth are provided with treatment and rehabilitative services that juvenile justice research and literature have identified as evidence-based, best practices or promising approaches.

To increase the support and opportunities for probationers and youth on parole by sharing information on community resources

To enhance interagency partnerships with State and local key stakeholders

To encourage the Office of Parole and Transitional Services to utilize the NJ Department of Children and Families, Office of Adolescent Services whose mission is to support adolescents in the transition to adulthood.

Information will be shared with JJC Parole on the community resources that are available in Monmouth County. The Inventory of Resources for Monmouth County Youth, the Family Guide to Juvenile Justice and the Guide to Monmouth County Resources for Youth Transitioning to Adulthood outline various community resources. Monmouth Resource Net also can be accessed online to find services.

To enhance the effectiveness of pre and post release strategies to maximize the likelihood that youth released from the JJC will achieve their pro-social career and academic goals.

To expand career exploration and employment readiness skills training to youth with the intent to increase post-release employability

To identify existing Independent Living Programs that are federally funded which provide educational opportunities, counseling, support services, training in daily living skills, outreach and a range of other services.

The Guide to Monmouth County Resources for Youth Transitioning to Adulthood was compiled by the Monmouth County Office of Mental Health and the CIACC. Transitional & Supportive Housing Options are listed as well as, resources for help with basic needs, education, employment & training, health and wellness, legal services & youth advocacy. This information can be of assistance to probationers and youth on parole.

To explore factors contributing to the longer length of stay for Monmouth County committed juveniles through a records review of those cases with the assistance of the JJC Research and Reform Specialist.

MONMOUTH COUNTY YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION



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Monmouth County, New Jersey

Source U.S. Census Bureau: State and County Quick Facts. Data

	Monmouth County	New Jersey
Population, 2014 estimate	629,279	8,938,175
Population, 2010 (April 1) estimates base	630,378	8,791,936
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2014	-0.2%	1.7%
Population, 2010	630,380	8,791,894
Persons under 5 years, percent, 2014	5.2%	6.0%
Persons under 18 years, percent, 2014	22.3%	22.5%
Persons 65 years and over, percent, 2014	15.6%	14.7%
Female persons, percent, 2014	51.4%	51.2%

White alone, percent, 2014 (a)	84.7%	73.0%
Black or African American alone, percent, 2014 (a)	7.7%	14.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, 2014 (a)	0.3%	0.6%
Asian alone, percent, 2014 (a)	5.5%	9.4%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, 2014 (a)	0.1%	0.1%
Two or More Races, percent, 2014	1.7%	2.1%
Hispanic or Latino, percent, 2014 (b)	10.5%	19.3%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, 2014	75.7%	56.8%

Living in same house 1 year & over, percent, 2009-2013	91.1%	90.1%
Foreign born persons, percent, 2009-2013	13.2%	21.2%
Language other than English spoken at home, pct age 5+, 2009-2013	17.1%	30.0%
High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25+, 2009-2013	92.2%	88.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25+, 2009-2013	41.4%	35.8%
Veterans, 2009-2013	35,366	437,652
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16+, 2009-2013	33.4	30.4

Housing units, 2014	260,744	3,591,588
Homeownership rate, 2009-2013	75.2%	65.6%
Housing units in multi-unit structures, percent, 2009-2013	24.8%	36.0%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2009-2013	\$389,900	\$327,100
Households, 2009-2013	233,909	3,186,418
Persons per household, 2009-2013	2.66	2.71
Per capita money income in past 12 months (2013 dollars), 2009-2013	\$42,749	\$36,027
Median household income, 2009-2013	\$84,526	\$71,629
Persons below poverty level, percent, 2009-2013	7.0%	10.4%

Business QuickFacts	Monmouth County	New Jersey
Private nonfarm establishments, 2013	18,959	230,281 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, 2013	224,059	3,492,216 ¹
Private nonfarm employment, percent change, 2012-2013	1.4%	1.5% ¹
Nonemployer establishments, 2013	50,713	629,395

Total number of firms, 2007	63,391	781,622
Black-owned firms, percent, 2007	3.1%	7.7%
American Indian- and Alaska Native-owned firms, percent, 2007	S	0.4%
Asian-owned firms, percent, 2007	5.9%	8.7%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander-owned firms, percent, 2007	S	0.1%
Hispanic-owned firms, percent, 2007	3.8%	8.7%
Women-owned firms, percent, 2007	25.7%	27.3%

Manufacturers shipments, 2007 (\$1000)	3,468,419	116,608,094
Merchant wholesaler sales, 2007 (\$1000)	11,058,874	233,413,004
Retail sales, 2007 (\$1000)	11,225,081	124,813,580
Retail sales per capita, 2007	\$17,511	\$14,453
Accommodation and food services sales, 2007 (\$1000)	1,153,458	19,993,613
Building permits, 2014	1,484	28,155
Geography QuickFacts	Monmouth County	New Jersey
Land area in square miles, 2010	468.79	7,354.22
Persons per square mile, 2010	1,344.7	1,195.5
FIPS Code	025	34
Metropolitan or Micropolitan Statistical Area	New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA Metro Area	

Source U.S. Census Bureau: State and County Quick Facts. Data derived from Population Estimates, American Community Survey, Census of Population and Housing, State and County Housing Unit Estimates, County Business Patterns, Non-employer Statistics, Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Building Permits

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Children Living Below the Federal Poverty Level

Data Provided by: Advocates for Children of New Jersey

Monmouth County Children Living Below the Federal Poverty Level by Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Number	13,807	12,410	13,440	13,542	14,184
Percent	8.9%	8.3%	9.2%	9.0%	10.0%

[2015 New Jersey Kids Count- Monmouth County Profiles](http://www.acnj.org)
www.acnj.org

MONMOUTH COUNTY - DEMOGRAPHICS

- 2013 TOTAL POPULATION -629,672
- 2013 CHILD POPULATION -144,247

MONMOUTH COUNTY –FAMILY ECONOMICS

- 2013 PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN LIVING BELOW THE POVERTY LINE –10
- 2013 MEDIAN INCOME OF FAMILIES AND CHILDREN-\$106,180
- 2014 PERCENTAGE UNEMPLOYED-5.3
- 2013 PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLDS SPENDING MORE THAN 30% OF INCOME ON RENT-54
- 2014-15 PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN RECEIVING FREE OR REDUCED-PRICE SCHOOL BREAKFAST-31

MONMOUTH COUNTY –HEALTH AND SAFETY

- 2011 PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN RECEIVING EARLY PRENATAL CARE-83%
- 2011 PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO GIRLS 10-19- 4
- 2011 INFANT MORTALITY (RATE PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS) -2
- 2013 CHILD ABUSE/NEGLECT INVESTIGATIONS (RATE PER 1.000 CHILDREN UNDER 18) -41
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- 2012 JUVENILE ARRESTS (RATE PER 1.000 CHILDREN UNDER 18)-15

MONMOUTH COUNTY –EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION

- 2013 PERCENTAGE OF FAMILY INCOME SPENT ON LICENSED CHILD CARE FOR A FAMILY WITH ONE INFANT AND ONE PRESCHOOLER-21
- 2013-14 PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS PASSING 4TH GRADE TESTS-80
- 2013-14 PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS PASSING 8TH GRADE TESTS-84
- 2013-14 PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS PASSING 11TH GRADE TESTS-90

COMPARISON OF CRIME IN MONMOUTH COUNTY
TOP MUNICIPALITIES

	YEAR	NEPTUNE TWP.	ASBURY PARK	LONG BRANCH	OCEAN TWP.	FREEHOLD TWP.	HOWELL TWP.	MIDDLE- TOWN TWP.
CRIME INDEX TOTAL	2015	1,344	970	770	606	624	532	522
	2014	1,533	1,023	844	779	699	610	601
	2013	1,394	1,106	966	785	800	605	675
	2012	1,524	1,252	931	586	890	679	776
VIOLENT CRIME	2015	154	231	96	19	21	46	25
	2014	135	209	97	47	31	37	24
	2013	174	264	124	50	30	41	43
	2012	152	247	124	39	36	41	45
NON- VIOLENT CRIME	2015	1,190	739	674	587	603	486	497
	2014	1,398	814	747	732	668	573	577
	2013	1,220	842	842	735	770	564	632
	2012	1,372	1,005	807	547	854	638	731

Crime Index – The total of the seven major offenses used to measure the extent, fluctuation and distribution of crime in a geographical area. The following crimes make up the index: Murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny-theft, and motor vehicle theft; these offenses are referred to as Index offenses.

Violent Crime – Murder, rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

Non-Violent Crime – Burglary, larceny-theft, and motor vehicle theft.

**Source- NJ Department of Law and Public Safety-Uniform Crime Reporting Unit-Crime Trend Feedback
(Year 2015 - preliminary information)*

Preliminary Crime Trend Feedback 2014 vs. 2015

The vast majority (40) of the police departments serving Monmouth County municipalities showed a decrease in the total crime index in 2015 compared to 2014.

11 Police Departments indicate an increase in the total crime index from 2014 to 2015

<u>TOWN</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>PERCENT CHANGE</u>
Brielle	27	29	7.4%
Eatontown	499	503	0.8%
Englishtown	25	39	56%
Freehold Boro	167	176	5.4%
Hazlet Twp.	253	254	0.4%
Interlaken	12	13	8.3%
Keansburg	238	272	14.3%
Manalapan Twp.	252	311	23.4%
Oceanport	66	75	13.6%
Sea Girt	24	29	20.8%
Shrewsbury	70	71	1.4%

20 Police Departments indicate an increase in violent crime from 2014 to 2015

<u>TOWN</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>PERCENT CHANGE</u>
Aberdeen Twp.	14	17	21.4%
Asbury Park	209	231	10.5%
Belmar	13	19	46.2%
Brielle	1	2	100%
Deal	2	3	50%
Eatontown	25	41	64%
Freehold Boro	28	36	28.6%
Hazlet Twp.	4	5	25%
Holmdel	6	11	83.3%
Howell Twp.	37	46	24.3%
Manalapan Twp.	15	27	80%
Manasquan	3	7	133.3%
Marlboro Twp.	12	19	58.3%
Middletown	24	25	4.2%
Neptune Twp.	135	154	14.1%
Red Bank	24	27	12.5%
Sea Bright	1	2	100%
Tinton Falls	3	6	100%
Union Beach	2	4	100%
Wall Twp.	10	16	60%

10 Police Departments indicate an increase in non-violent crime from 2014 to 2015

<u>TOWN</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>PERCENT CHANGE</u>
Brielle	26	27	3.8%
Englishtown	19	38	100%
Fair Haven	22	23	4.5%
Freehold Boro	139	140	.7%
Interlaken	12	13	8.3%
Keansburg	212	248	17%
Manalapan Twp.	237	284	19.8%
Oceanport	59	69	16.9%
Sea Girt	20	25	25%
Shrewsbury	68	70	2.9%

Source: NJ State Police- Crime Trend Feedback

Monmouth County Juvenile Arrests by Year (Source: UCR, 2003 -2014)

Offenses	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Murder	1	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Rape	3	3	1	2	4	-	7	-	3	2	1	2
Robbery	60	75	75	86	71	86	98	38	47	28	28	29
Aggravated Assault	130	141	118	86	74	100	105	69	66	46	39	35
Burglary	94	131	111	184	133	135	142	78	55	59	55	53
Larceny-Theft	533	561	593	606	637	640	657	637	456	380	251	252
Motor Vehicle Theft	13	14	16	14	12	17	38	17	11	6	3	4
Subtotal: Index Offenses	834	925	916	978	931	980	1,048	839	638	521	378	375
Simple Assault	383	324	315	355	322	313	213	149	129	86	86	94
Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving,	59	85	72	80	62	65	79	43	26	26	18	17
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	315	344	252	396	278	374	271	195	94	103	47	64
Weapons: Carrying, Possessing, etc.	113	156	177	145	129	102	79	89	89	35	56	52
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	24	25	32	16	20	25	19	25	10	5	3	13
Drug Violations	503	518	490	618	499	476	516	414	482	475	385	336
Liquor Laws	304	337	439	573	549	437	338	236	268	195	135	207
Disorderly Conduct	499	557	521	548	363	459	317	219	204	161	122	116
Runaways	70	158	135	142	133	118	163	134	146	119	28	67
All Other Offenses except traffic	615	547	602	589	572	506	497	391	339	280	186	180
Curfew & Loitering Laws	137	162	356	385	326	395	300	297	166	128	42	
Total Offenses	3,931	4,220	4,398	4,932	4,284	4,328	3,921	3,092	2,668	2,177	1,519	1,599

Non-index offenses only include the offenses where over 100 juveniles were arrested, and sex offenses and stolen property.

Monmouth County Juvenile Arrests by Offense Category
Comparison of 2009 and 2011
Uniform Crime Reports

Offense Category	2009 Number of Juvenile Arrests	2009 % of Total Juvenile Arrests	2011 Number of Juvenile Arrests	2011 % of Total Juvenile Arrests	% Change Between 2009 and 2011	Difference in # of Juvenile Arrests 2009 and 2011
Violent	424	10.81%	245	9.18%	-42.21%	-179
Weapons	79	2%	89	3.33%	12.65%	+10
Property	1,127	28.74%	662	24.81%	-41.25%	-465
Drug/Alcohol	892	22.74%	794	29.76%	-10.98%	-98
Special Needs	41	1.04%	23	.86%	-43.90%	-18
Public Order & Status Offenses	782	19.94%	516	19.34%	-34.01%	-266
All Other Offenses	497	12.67%	339	12.7%	-31.79%	-158
Total Juvenile Arrests	3,921	100%	2,668	100%	-31.95%	-1,253

Offense Category

Violent - Murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, manslaughter, simple assault

Weapons - Weapons only

Property -Burglary, larceny-theft, motor vehicle theft, forgery & counterfeiting, fraud, embezzlement, stolen property, criminal/malicious mischief

Drug/Alcohol - Drug abuse violations, driving under the influence, liquor laws

Special Needs - Arson, prostitution and commercialized vice, sex offenses (except forcible rape & prostitution), offenses against family and children

Public Order & Status Offenses - Gambling, disorderly conduct, vagrancy, curfew & loitering law violations, and runaways

All Other Offenses- All other offenses (except traffic)

**Monmouth County Juvenile Arrests
by Gender, Race, & Ethnic Origin**

Year	Male	Female	White	Black	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Asian or Pacific Islander	Hispanics	Non-Hispanics
2014	1,172 73%	427 27%	1,005 63%	584 37%	1 .06%	9 .56%	129 8%	1,470 92%
2013	1,140 75%	379 25%	983 64.71%	522 34.36%	3 .19%	11 .72%	112 7.37%	1,407 92.62%
2012	1,556 71%	621 29%	1,414 64.95%	747 34.31%	0	16 .73%	167 7.67%	2,010 92.32%
2011	1,922 72%	746 28%	1,661 62%	987 37%	4	16	169 6%	2,499 94%
2010	2,171 70%	921 30%	1,954 63.2%	1,112 36%	5 .1%	21 .7%	229 7%	2,863 93%
2009	2,854 73%	1,067 27%	2,426 62%	1,479 38%	2 -	14 -	283 7%	3,638 93%
2008	3,125 72%	1,203 28%	2,876 66%	1,425 33%	-	27 1%	265 6%	4,063 94%
2007	3,086 72%	1,198 28%	2,822 66%	1,422 33%	2 .1%	38 .9%	320 7.5%	3,964 92.5%
2006	3,605 73%	1,327 27%	3,337 68%	1,556 31%	2 -	37 .8%	357 7%	4,575 93%
2005	3,195 73%	1,203 27%	2,878 65%	1,503 34%	1 -	16 .4%	251 6%	4,147 94%
2004	3,222 76%	998 24%	2,663 63%	1,527 36%	3 .3%	27 .7%	225 5%	3,995 95%
2003	2,885	1,046	2,636	1,256	4	35	244	3,687

**POLICE DISPOSITIONS OF MONMOUTH COUNTY JUVENILES
TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY YEAR**

YEAR	Handled Within Department and released	Referred to Juvenile Court or Probation	Referred to Welfare Agency	Referred to other Police Agency	Referred to Criminal or Adult Court	Total Police Disposition of Juveniles
2014	362 22.6%	1,227 76.7%	- 0.0	- 0.0	10 0.6%	1,599
2013	377 24.8%	1,131 74.5%	1 0.1%	- 0.0%	10 0.7%	1,519
2012	665 30.5%	1,488 68.35%	1	1	22 1.0%	2,177
2011	725 27.2%	1,901 71.3%	2 0.1%	2 0.1%	38 1.4%	2,668
2010	937	2,123	-	1	31	3,092
2009	1,202	2,673	4	13	29	3,921
2008	1,498	2,783	4	8	35	4,328
2007	1,417	2,819	6	22	20	4,284
2006	1,505	3,341	8	14	64	4,932
2005	1,093	3,155	3	13	134	4,398
2004	982	3,195	7	5	31	4,220
2003	908	2,977	7	4	35	3,931

Monmouth County Juvenile Arrests / Ranking in the State of New Jersey

According to the 2014 Uniform Crime Report, Monmouth County ranked 5th in New Jersey (following Camden, Essex, Passaic and Bergen) with the highest number of Juvenile Arrests.

YEAR	MONMOUTH COUNTY JUVENILE ARRESTS	NEW JERSEY JUVENILE ARRESTS	RANKING
2014	1,599	24,136	5 th
2013	1,519	24,554	6 th
2012	2,177	29,961	5 th
2011	2,668	33,893	4 th

Number of Juvenile Arrests by Municipality

MUNICIPALITY	Year 2008	Year 2009	Year 2010	Year 2011	Year 2012	Year 2013	Year 2014
Aberdeen Twp.	54	60	53	37	24	21	23
Allenhurst	11	3	7	15	11	14	19
Allentown	11	8	7	14	5	4	3
Asbury Park City	352	298	299	160	90	90	105
Atlantic Highlands	48	40	23	17	9	2	1
Avon-By-The-Sea	-	-	4	7	2		1
Belmar	6	18	12	7	40	10	10
Bradley Beach	39	29	17	49	25	27	27
Brielle	30	69	12	22	6	16	6
Colts Neck Twp.	15	24	21	17	16	12	25
Deal	25	35	15	17	13	10	3
Eatontown	277	255	178	98	79	75	68
Englishtown	14	15	19	25	24	13	13
Fair Haven	37	40	25	44	16	26	9
Farmingdale	2	6	2	1	1		4
Freehold Borough	42	57	40	26	27	32	27
Freehold Twp.	197	191	203	147	111	96	62
Hazlet Twp.	76	28	28	22	18	23	26
Highlands	28	24	23	15	14	17	34
Holmdel Twp.	118	120	113	102	49	79	84
Howell Twp.	121	120	124	99	111	57	68
Interlaken	1	1	3	7	3	3	
Keansburg	335	189	209	109	62	28	36
Keyport	83	45	10	32	32	19	24
Lake Como Boro	-	-	7	8	8	6	2
Little Silver	158	130	58	26	11	24	19
Loch Arbour Village	-	4	-	9	1	1	1
Long Branch City	183	128	120	138	94	79	46
Manalapan Twp.	84	63	62	43	23	23	20
Manasquan	39	15	35	18	48	31	29
Marlboro Twp.	146	96	101	55	65	37	38
Matawan	20	38	10	5	15	16	6
Middletown Twp.	280	216	163	175	145	94	62
Millstone Twp.	9	6	22	6	11	8	1
Monmouth Beach	8	13	18	18	8	-	7
Neptune Twp.	494	632	419	512	406	195	284
Neptune City	44	37	35	30	44	35	43
Ocean Twp.	229	230	113	120	117	43	83
Oceanport	39	49	20	29	7	5	13
Red Bank	125	79	61	76	82	27	28
Roosevelt	1	1	3	1	-		
Rumson	45	30	12	17	15	14	70
Sea Bright	50	13	27	11	18	14	13
Sea Girt	18	27	15	9	36	4	9
Shrewsbury Borough	59	39	35	12	10	17	10
Shrewsbury Twp.	-	-	2	1	-	1	1
Spring Lake Boro	43	14	15	10	26	10	12
Spring Lake Heights	18	32	13	24	16	21	8
Tinton Falls	74	68	87	60	31	35	33
Union Beach	45	32	16	28	11	9	4
Upper Freehold Twp.	5	6	4	4	10	10	6
Wall Twp.	141	195	115	111	103	74	61
W. Long Branch	47	50	54	18	15	11	10
Monmouth County	4,328	3,921	3,092	2,668	2,177	1,519	1,599

2014 Juvenile Arrests in Monmouth County - Overview

Prepared by the Monmouth County Office of Youth Services Planning

Source: 2014 Municipal Juvenile Arrest Data - Uniform Crime Report

In 2014, there were 1,599 juvenile arrests in Monmouth County. The race data of the juvenile arrests indicates: 1,005 (63%) were White; 584 (37%) were Black, 9 (.56%) were Asian and 1 (.06) were American Indian or Alaskan Native. The ethnicity data of the juvenile arrests indicates 129 (8%) were Hispanic and 1,470 (92%) were Non Hispanic.

The top ten municipalities in Monmouth County in 2014 with the highest number of juvenile arrests were Neptune Twp. (284), Asbury Park (105), Holmdel Township (84), Ocean Township (83), Rumson (70), Eatontown (68), Howell Township (68), Freehold Township (62), Middletown Twp. (62) and Wall Township (61).

Neptune Township's juvenile arrests reflected 17.7% of Monmouth County's total juvenile arrests in 2014. Asbury Park's juvenile arrests reflected 6.5% of Monmouth County's total juvenile arrests in 2014.

Of the White juvenile arrests in 2014 in Monmouth County, Holmdel Twp. had the highest number at 78, followed by Rumson (70), Middletown Twp. (56), Howell Twp. (53), Freehold Township (52), Ocean Twp. (52) and Wall Township (52). In Holmdel Township in 2014, 45 or 58% of the White juvenile arrests were for liquor law offenses. In Rumson in 2014, 61 or 87% of the White juvenile arrests were for liquor law offenses.

Of the Black juvenile arrests in 2014 in Monmouth County, Neptune Township had the highest number at 245. Asbury Park had the second highest number of Black juvenile arrests in 2014 at 89. In Neptune Township in 2014, 46 or 18.7% of the Black juvenile arrests were for larceny-theft. In Asbury Park in 2014, 25 or 28% of the Black juvenile arrests were for disorderly conduct.

The top 3 municipalities with the highest number of Hispanic juvenile arrests in 2014 were Long Branch (14), Asbury Park (13), and Ocean Township (12).

The gender of the juvenile arrests in 2014 indicates 1,172 (73%) were male and 427 (27%) were female. The municipalities with the highest number of female juvenile arrests in 2014 were Neptune Twp (67), Eatontown (34), Holmdel (33), Rumson (31), Asbury Park (27) and Howell Twp. (20). Four towns had more female juvenile arrests than male juvenile arrests (Aberdeen Twp., Farmingdale, Shrewsbury Twp. and Upper Freehold).

The top municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for larceny-theft in 2014 were Neptune Twp. (55), Eatontown (46), Freehold Township (25), and Ocean Township (20).

The top municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for weapons in 2014 included Neptune Township (18), Asbury Park (8) and Long Branch (5).

The top municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for simple assault in 2014 were Neptune Township (24), Tinton Falls (12), Long Branch (7) and Howell Township (6).

The top municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for drug violations in 2014 include: Wall Township (30), Holmdel Township (25), Howell Township (25), Marlboro Township (24) and Neptune Township (24).

The top municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for liquor law violations in 2014 were Rumson (61), Holmdel Township (46) and Colts Neck (19).

The top municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for disorderly conduct in 2014 were Asbury Park (28), Neptune Township (15) and Tinton Falls (13).

The municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for curfew violations in 2014 were Highlands (18), Keansburg (10) and Neptune Township (9).

In 2014, Neptune Township comprised the highest total in the runaway category with 61 indicated.

2013 Juvenile Arrests in Monmouth County - Overview

Prepared by the Monmouth County Office of Youth Services Planning

Source: 2013 Municipal Juvenile Arrest Data - Uniform Crime Report

In 2013, there were 1,519 juvenile arrests in Monmouth County. The race data of the juvenile arrests indicates: 983 (65%) were White; 522 (34%) were Black, 11 (.72%) were Asian and 3 (.2) were Indian. The ethnicity data of the juvenile arrests indicates 112 (7.4%) were Hispanic and 1,407 (92.6%) were Non Hispanic.

The top eight municipalities in Monmouth County in 2013 with the highest number of juvenile arrests were Neptune Twp. (195), Freehold Township (96), Middletown Twp. (94), Asbury Park (90), Long Branch (79), Holmdel Township (79), Eatontown (75) and Wall Township (74).

Neptune Township's juvenile arrests reflected 12.83% of Monmouth County's total juvenile arrests in 2013. Asbury Park's juvenile arrests reflected 5.92% of Monmouth County's total juvenile arrests in 2013.

Of the White juvenile arrests in 2013 in Monmouth County, Middletown Township had the highest number at 92, followed by Freehold Township (77), Holmdel Township (76) and Wall Township (67).

Of the Black juvenile arrests in 2013 in Monmouth County, Neptune Township had the highest number at 171. Asbury Park had the second highest number of Black juvenile arrests in 2013 at 81.

The top 3 municipalities with the highest number of Hispanic juvenile arrests in 2013 were Long Branch (22); Freehold Township (17) and Neptune Twp. (11).

The gender of the juvenile arrests in 2013 indicates 1,140 (75%) were male and 379 (25%) were female. The municipalities with the highest number of female juvenile arrests in 2013 were Eatontown (47), Neptune Twp (42), Freehold Township (31), and Holmdel Township (27). Four towns had more female juvenile arrests than male juvenile arrests (Eatontown, Ocean Township, Upper Freehold and Millstone Township).

The top two municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for larceny-theft in 2013 were Freehold Township (54) and Eatontown (48).

The top four municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for weapons in 2013 included Neptune Township (12), Howell Township (8), Asbury Park (7) and Little Silver (6).

The top three municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for simple assault in 2013 were Neptune Township (21), Howell Township (7) and Keyport (6).

The top four municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests with drug violations in 2013 include: Middletown Township (42), Wall Township (28), Neptune Township (27) and Howell Township (23).

The top four municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for liquor law violations in 2013 were Holmdel Township (34), Middletown Township (14), Sea Bright (12) and Manasquan (9).

The top three municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for disorderly conduct in 2013 were Neptune Township (31), Asbury Park (13) and Marlboro Township (10).

The four municipalities with the highest number of juvenile arrests for curfew violations in 2013 were Ocean Township (8), Neptune Twp. (7), Asbury Park (6) and Spring Lake Heights (6).

In 2013, Neptune Township comprised the highest total in the runaway category with 23 indicated.

Monmouth County Station House Adjustments

Source: Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office

In 2015, there were a total of 136 Station House Adjustments conducted by Monmouth County Law Enforcement that were reported to the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office. The top three police departments in Monmouth County with the highest number of Station House Adjustments in 2015 were: Eatontown (22), Freehold Twp. (15) and Rumson (12). The gender of the 136 Station House Adjustments reported in 2015 indicates 92 (68%) were male and 44 (32%) were female.

In 2014, there were a total of 151* Station House Adjustments conducted by Monmouth County Law Enforcement that were reported to the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office. The top three police departments in Monmouth County with the highest number of Station House Adjustments in 2014 were: Eatontown (23), Wall (28) and Long Branch (12). The gender of the 151 Station House Adjustments reported in 2014 indicates 108 (71.5%) were male and 43 (28.5%) female.

In 2013, there were a total of 237 Station House Adjustments conducted by Monmouth County Law Enforcement that were reported to the Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office. The top three police departments in Monmouth County with the highest number of Station House Adjustments in 2013 were: Eatontown (29); Brielle (21) and Long Branch (20).

Monmouth County Station House Adjustments by Race/Ethnicity and Year

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
White	496 (75%)	344 (66.8%)	259 (81.70%)	233 (73.5%)	177 (74.68%)	105 (69.5%)	95 (69.85%)
Black	140 (21%)	136 (26.4%)	42 (13.24%)	52 (16.4%)	42 (17.72%)	27 (17.88%)	23 (16.91%)
Hispanic	21 (3%)	32 (6.2%)	15 (4.73%)	21 (6.6%)	18 (7.60%)	9 (5.96%)	16 (11.76%)
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	3 (.5%)	0		0	3 (1.98%)	1 (.73%)
Other	2	0	1 (.31%)	9 (2.8%)	0	1 (.66%)	1 (.73%)
Total	661 (100%)	515 (100%)	317 (100%)	317 (100%)	237 (100%)	151* (100%)	136 (100%)

Monmouth County Station House Adjustments by Town

MUNICIPALITY # of Station House Adjustments By Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Aberdeen Twp.	0	2	4	2	0	0	1
Allenhurst	1	6	0	0	1	0	3
Allentown	8	0	4	0	0	4	0
Asbury Park City	26	27	18	15	3	2	1
Atlantic Highlands	9	7	5	4	6	1	0
Avon-By-The-Sea	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Belmar	3	3	0	3	1	0	1
Bradley Beach	10	0	13	10	6	8	9
Brielle	38	1	14	3	21	1	1
Colts Neck Twp.	7	8	0	7	0	4	0
Deal	8	3	8	2	7	1	2
Eatontown	149	88	22	36	29	23	22
Englishtown	0	1	1	0	0		4
Fair Haven	15	10	18	4	9	0	0
Farmingdale	0	0	0	0	0		
Fort Monmouth	1	0	0	0	0		
Freehold Borough	2	33	14	1	10	6	0
Freehold Twp.	20	70	45	21	17	3	15
Hazlet Twp.	17	2	4	3	1	5	6
Highlands	5	6	2	1	3	2	1
Holmdel Twp.	26	22	18	18	13	5	0
Howell Twp.	2	4	2	6	2	2	0
Interlaken	0	2	0	0	0		0
Keansburg	2	0	3	0	1	0	0
Keyport	8	5	3	1	0	1	0
Lake Como	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Little Silver	37	24	1	0	0	0	0
Loch Arbour	0	0	0	0	0		
Long Branch City	16	8	1	8	20	12	7
Manalapan Twp.	2	1	0	4	4	3	1
Manasquan	7	18	12	19	7		3
Marlboro Twp.	16	3	1	0	0	1	1
Matawan	7	3	0	0	0	0	4
Middletown Twp.	30	43	12	9	8	0	4
Millstone Twp.	2	0	0	0	0		
Monmouth Beach	8	9	10	2	0	4	0
Monmouth Univ	0	0	2	0	3		3
Neptune City	4	1	8	14	1	0	6
Neptune Twp.	4	0	0	0	8		0
Ocean Twp.	30	28	20	13	12	4	5
Oceanport	4	7	6	4	2	2	0
Red Bank	23	21	5	29	6		0

MUNICIPALITY # of Station House Adjustments By Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Roosevelt	0	0	0	0	0		
Rumson	18	5	2	15	3	6	12
Sea Bright	0	0	1	5	10		0
Sea Girt	9	2	4	19	5	1	6
Shrewsbury Boro.	2	0	3	0	1	0	
Shrewsbury Twp.	0	0	0	0	0		3
Spring Lake	12	2	0	11	11	4	0
Spring Lake Hgts.	10	1	8	10	0		6
Tinton Falls	15	2	7	0	3	4	0
Union Beach	4	0	0	4	0	8	2
Upper Freehold	0	0	0	0	0		
Wall Twp.	28	16	8	8	0	28	8
W. Long Branch	24	9	4	6	2	6	3
NJSP Hamilton		2	0				
Monmouth County Total	661	515	317	317	237	151	136

Monmouth County Station House Adjustment Outcomes

Of the 136 Station House Adjustments conducted in 2015 by Monmouth County Law Enforcement, 124 (91%) were successfully completed and 12 (10%) committed a new offense or did not complete the terms of the stationhouse adjustment.

Of the 151 Station House Adjustments conducted in 2014, 149 (99%) were successfully completed and 2 did not complete or committed another crime.

Of the 237 Station House Adjustments conducted in 2013 by Monmouth County Law Enforcement, 230 (97%) were successfully completed and 7 (3%) committed new offense or did not complete the terms of the Station House Adjustment.

Of the 317 Station House Adjustments conducted in 2012 by Monmouth County Law Enforcement, 311 (98%) were successfully completed and 6 (2%) committed new offense or did not complete the terms of the Station House Adjustment.

MONMOUTH COUNTY
POLICE EMPLOYEE DATA

The 2014 Uniform Crime Report indicates that Monmouth County had a combined total of 1,677 full-time municipal police employees. This represents 18 fewer municipal police employees from 2013. Of the 1,677 total municipal police employees in 2014, 1,346 were male, 79 were female and 252 were civilians.

Monmouth County had a combined total of 889 full-time county police employees in 2014 which was comprised of 77 from the Prosecutor's Office and 429 from the Sheriff's Office. This represents 30 more county police employees from 2013. Of the total full-time county police employees in 2014, 446 were male, 60 were female and 383 were civilians.

The 2013 Uniform Crime Report indicates that Monmouth County had a combined total of 1,695 full-time municipal police employees. This represents 55 more municipal police employees from 2012. Of the 1,695 total municipal police employees in 2013, 1,317 were male, 145 were female and 233 were civilians.

Monmouth County had a combined total of 859 full-time county police employees in 2013 which was comprised of 270 from the Prosecutor's Office and 589 from the Sheriff's Office. This represents 29 more county police employees from 2012. Of the total full-time county police employees in 2013, 441 were male, 59 were female and 359 were civilians.

The 2012 Uniform Crime Report indicates that Monmouth County had a combined total of 1,640 full-time municipal police employees. This represents 22 fewer municipal police employees from 2011. Of the 1,640 total municipal police employees in 2012, 1,326 were male, 71 were female and 243 were civilians.

Monmouth County had a combined total of 830 full-time county police employees in 2012 which was comprised of 263 from the Prosecutor's Office and 567 from the Sheriff's Office. This represents 56 fewer county police employees from 2011. Of the total full-time county police employees in 2012, 421 were male, 64 were female and 345 were civilians.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2010	1,388	74	287	1,749
2011	1,318	70	274	1,662
2012	1,326	71	243	1,640
2013	1,317	145	233	1,695
2014	1346	79	252	1,677

MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENTS
TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES BY YEAR

Aberdeen Township

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	33	2	7	42
2009	33	2	7	42
2010	32	2	7	41
2011	32	2	7	41
2012	32	1	7	40
2013	33	1	6	40
2014	33	2	7	42

Allenhurst

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	9	-	4	13
2009	9	-	4	13
2010	9	-	4	13
2011	9	-	4	13
2012	9	-	4	13
2013	9	1	3	13
2014	9		4	13

Allentown

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	4	-	1	5
2009	4	-	1	5
2010	4	-	1	5
2011	5	-	-	5
2012	5	-	1	6
2013	5	-	-	5
2014	5	-	1	6

Asbury Park

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	79	10	13	102
2009	79	10	12	101
2010	82	11	10	103
2011	77	10	11	98
2012	75	10	4	89
2013	74	10	4	88
2014	74	9	5	88

Atlantic Highlands

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	15	-	5	20
2009	14	1	5	20
2010	14	-	5	19
2011	14	-	5	19
2012	14	-	5	19
2013	14	-	1	15
2014	15	-	5	20

Avon By the Sea

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	12	-	3	15
2009	11	-	-	11
2010	11	-	-	11
2011	11	-	-	11
2012	11	-	-	11
2013	11	-	-	11
2014	11	-	-	11

Belmar

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	20	1	6	27
2009	19	1	6	26
2010	20	1	3	24
2011	18	1	6	25
2012	18	1	6	25
2013	16	1	7	24
2014	19	1	6	26

Bradley Beach

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	17	1	4	22
2009	15	1	4	20
2010	14	1	4	19
2011	15	1	4	20
2012	15	1	4	20
2013	15	1	4	20
2014	16	1	4	21

Brielle

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	15	-	-	15
2009	13	-	-	13
2010	14	-	-	14
2011	15	-	-	15
2012	14	-	-	14
2013	14	-	-	14
2014	13	-	1	14

Colts Neck Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	22	-	1	23
2009	22	-	1	23
2010	20	-	1	21
2011	19	-	1	20
2012	20	-	3	23
2013	20	-	1	21
2014	20	-	1	21

Deal

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	16	-	4	20
2009	16	-	4	20
2010	17	-	4	21
2011	17	-	4	21
2012	18	-	4	22
2013	17	-	4	21
2014	20	-	3	23

Eatontown

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	36	1	10	47
2009	35	2	10	47
2010	35	2	10	47
2011	33	2	11	46
2012	34	2	9	45
2013	34	2	9	45
2014	35	2	9	46

Englishtown

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	8	-	-	8
2009	8	-	-	8
2010	6	-	-	6
2011	6	-	-	6
2012	7	-	-	7
2013	7	-	-	7
2014	6	1	0	7

Fair Haven

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	12	1	4	17
2009	12	1	-	13
2010	12	1	-	13
2011	12	1	-	13

2012	12	1	-	13
2013	12	1	-	13
2014	12	1	-	13

Farmingdale

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2014	-	-	-	0

Freehold Boro

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	30	3	7	40
2009	28	3	8	39
2010	28	3	6	37
2011	25	2	7	34
2012	26	2	3	31
2013	27	2	3	32
2014	26	2	3	31

Freehold Township

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	69	1	16	86
2009	69	1	6	76
2010	67	-	4	71
2011	61	-	4	65
2012	61	-	4	65
2013	62	-	4	66
2014	63	-	4	67

Hazlet Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	41	3	7	51
2009	40	3	5	48
2010	39	3	6	48
2011	35	3	6	44
2012	33	3	7	43
2013	35	4	7	46
2014	37	3	6	46

Highlands

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	14	-	4	18
2009	14	-	4	18
2010	14	-	4	18
2011	13	-	3	16
2012	13	-	3	16
2013	13	-	3	16
2014	13	-	3	16

Holmdel Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	42	1	10	53
2009	43	1	10	54
2010	40	1	9	50
2011	38	1	8	47
2012	35	1	8	44
2013	37	1	8	46
2014	39	1	8	48

Howell Township

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	91	7	17	115
2009	88	7	17	112
2010	86	6	17	109
2011	79	4	17	100
2012	79	4	17	100
2013	74	4	15	93
2014	77	5	16	98

Interlaken

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	4	1	-	5
2009	5	1	-	6
2010	-	-	-	0
2011	-	-	-	0
2012	-	-	-	0
2013	-	-	-	0
2014	-	-	-	0

Keansburg

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	31	3	10	44
2009	31	3	8	42
2010	30	3	6	39
2011	28	3	5	36
2012	27	3	6	36
2013	31	3	7	41
2014	30	3	8	41

Keyport

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	18	1	6	25
2009	18	1	6	25
2010	17	1	6	24
2011	15	1	3	19
2012	15	1	4	20
2013	14	1	4	19
2014	15	2	6	23

Lake Como

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	11	-	-	11
2009	11	-	-	11
2010	10	-	-	10
2011	10	-	-	10
2012	10	-	-	10
2013	10	-	-	10
2014	9	-	-	9

Little Silver

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	16	-	5	21
2009	16	-	5	21
2010	16	-	5	21
2011	15	1	4	20
2012	16	1	3	20
2013	15	1	3	19
2014	16	0	3	19

Loch Arbour Village

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2014	-	-	-	0

Long Branch

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	93	7	22	122
2009	93	7	19	119
2010	88	7	20	115
2011	74	6	20	100
2012	72	6	19	97
2013	71	6	18	95
2014	78	5	20	103

Manalapan Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	62	4	15	81
2009	60	4	15	79
2010	57	4	13	74
2011	49	4	13	66
2012	48	4	5	57
2013	49	4	4	57
2014	49	4	3	56

Manasquan

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	18	-	6	24
2009	18	-	6	24
2010	17	-	6	23
2011	16	-	6	22
2012	17	-	5	22
2013	16	1	4	21
2014	16	1	5	22

Marlboro Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	66	6	19	91
2009	66	6	19	91
2010	65	6	19	90
2011	61	6	16	83
2012	61	6	20	87
2013	60	5	23	88
2014	62	5	22	89

Matawan

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	22	1	2	25
2009	22	1	2	25
2010	22	1	2	25
2011	20	1	1	22
2012	20	1	2	23
2013	18	1	1	20
2014	20	1	1	22

Middletown Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	97	6	28	131
2009	101	6	28	135
2010	99	6	26	131
2011	94	6	27	127
2012	99	6	28	133
2013	99	5	27	131
2014	99	8	27	134

Millstone Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	-	-	-	0
2009	-	-	-	0
2010	-	-	-	0
2011	-	-	-	0
2012	-	-	-	0
2013	-	-	-	0
2014	-	-	-	0

Monmouth Beach

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	10	-	1	11
2009	9	-	-	9
2010	9	-	-	9
2011	9	-	-	9
2012	9	-	-	9
2013	9	-	-	9
2014	9	-	-	9

Neptune City

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	15	1	4	20
2009	15	1	4	20
2010	16	1	6	23
2011	16	1	2	19
2012	17	1	1	19
2013	17	1	1	19
2014	16	1	3	20

Neptune Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	72	2	18	92
2009	73	2	19	94
2010	63	2	19	84
2011	69	2	16	87
2012	70	3	10	83
2013	70	75*	10	155
2014	68	5	11	84

Ocean Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	60	3	13	76
2009	60	3	13	76
2010	59	2	14	75
2011	58	2	12	72
2012	57	2	12	71
2013	55	2	8	65
2014	56	3	14	73

Oceanport

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	14	1	5	20
2009	14	1	4	19
2010	14	-	3	17
2011	14	-	1	15
2012	14	-	1	15

2013	13	1	1	15
2014	13	1	1	15

Red Bank

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	39	3	6	48
2009	39	3	6	48
2010	37	3	6	46
2011	34	3	7	44
2012	37	3	6	46
2013	34	3	7	44
2014	36	4	7	47

Roosevelt

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2014	-	-	-	0

Rumson

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	17	-	5	22
2009	21	-	1	22
2010	16	-	5	21
2011	15	-	4	19
2012	16	-	4	20
2013	16	-	4	20
2014	16	-	3	19

Sea Bright Boro

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	11	-	1	12
2009	10	-	1	11
2010	11	-	1	12
2011	11	1	-	12
2012	11	1	-	12
2013	11	-	1	12
2014	11	-	1	12

Sea Girt Boro

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	11	-	3	14
2009	12	-	2	14
2010	12	-	2	14
2011	11	-	2	13
2012	11	-	-	11
2013	11	-	-	11
2014	11	-	-	11

Shrewsbury Boro

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	14	2	5	21
2009	14	2	5	21
2010	14	2	5	21
2011	12	2	5	19
2012	14	2	5	21
2013	13	2	5	20
2014	14	2	5	21

Shrewsbury Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2014	-	-	-	0

Spring Lake Boro

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	14	-	4	18
2009	14	-	4	18
2010	13	-	3	16
2011	13	-	5	18
2012	13	-	-	13
2013	13	-	-	13
2014	13	-	-	13

Spring Lake Heights

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	13	-	-	13
2009	13	-	-	13
2010	12	-	-	12
2011	12	-	-	12
2012	12	-	-	12
2013	12	-	-	12
2014	12	-	-	12

Tinton Falls

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	38	2	1	41
2009	39	2	1	42
2010	32	2	1	35
2011	36	1	2	39
2012	34	1	2	37
2013	37	1	1	39
2014	37	1	1	39

Union Beach

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	14	1	3	18
2009	13	1	4	18
2010	13	1	4	18
2011	13	1	4	18
2012	13	1	4	18
2013	11	1	4	16
2014	14	1	4	19

Upper Freehold Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2014	-	-	-	0

Wall Twp.

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	73	-	16	89
2009	67	-	17	84
2010	64	-	15	79
2011	60	-	15	75
2012	64	1	13	78
2013	64	2	15	81
2014	64	2	17	83

West Long Branch Boro

YEAR	MALE	FEMALE	CIVILIAN	TOTAL POLICE EMPLOYEES
2008	19	2	5	26
2009	19	2	5	26
2010	18	2	5	25
2011	19	2	6	27
2012	18	2	4	24
2013	19	2	6	27
2014	19	2	4	25

JUVENILE / FAMILY CRISIS INTERVENTION UNIT

Monmouth County Family Crisis Intervention Unit Source: Mental Health Association of Monmouth County

YEAR	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
# OF CASES	392	393	348	251	331	283	274	275	351	317

Overview of the Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU) in 2015

- The FCIU had 27 families carried over from 2014.
- The FCIU added 190 new juveniles/families in 2015
- The gender of the juveniles added indicates: 111 (58%) were male and 79 (42%) female.
- The race/ethnicity of the juveniles added indicates: 86 (45%) as White, 38(20%) as Black, 23 (12%) as Hispanic and 43 (23%) Other.
- An additional 127 families received information and referral services only.
- A total of 317 families received some level of service from the FCIU in 2015.
- 217 FCIU face to face conferences were held
- Serious conflict between a parent or guardian & a juvenile was the reason most frequently indicated in 81 (43%) of the new cases added, which was followed by truancy at 30 (16%) and mental illness at 27 (14%).
- 4 juvenile/family crisis petitions and 0 out of home placement petitions were filed by the FCIU.
- The FCIU provided 837.75 direct service hours in 2015 (family contact in person and over the phone)
- The FCIU provided 2,227.25 indirect service hours in 2015 (any contact with collaborating agencies/persons that included following up with referral linkages and clients)

Overview of the Family Crisis Intervention Unit in 2014

- The FCIU added 190 new juveniles/families in 2014. Of the new cases added, the gender of the youth indicates 103 (54%) were male and 87 (46%) were female. The race / ethnicity of the youth indicates that 105 (55%) were White; 20 (10.5%) were Black, 22 (11.5%) were Hispanic and 43 (23%) were Other.
- An additional 161 families received information and referral services.
- A total of 351 families received some level of service from the FCIU in 2014.
- 171 FCIU face to face conferences were held.
- Serious conflict between a parent or guardian & a juvenile was the reason most frequently indicated in 106 (56%) of the new cases added, which was followed by truancy 37 (34%)
- The referral sources to the FCIU have been schools- 79; Family Court -25; Mobile Response -23, DCP&P- 23; Family (friend or family referral)- 15; Other Social Service Agency- 8; Police -7; Truancy Court- 3; Peform Care-2; MHA website -1; Private Therapist-1 and UCM-1
- 18 juvenile/family crisis petitions and 6 out of home placement petitions were filed by the FCIU in 2014.
- In 2014, FCIU provided 903.75 direct service hours and 1,679.75 indirect service hours that included following up with referral linkages and clients.

Mental Health Association of Monmouth County Family Crisis Intervention Unit	2012	2013	2014	2015
<u>I. Juvenile/Families Served</u>				
1. Beginning Pending	31	35	42	27
2. Juveniles/Families Added	215	240	190	190
(a) Serious threat to well-being & physical safety of juvenile	16	19	4	8
(b) Serious conflict between a parent or guardian & a juvenile	86	117	106	81
(c) Unauthorized absence by a juvenile for more than 24 hours from his/her home	9	3	3	11
(d) Truancy	29	43	37	30
(e) Disorderly persons or petty disorderly persons offense diverted to CIU	17	1	4	3
(f) Mental Illness	38	25	12	27
(g) Substance abuse	19	11	9	9
(h) school issues with behavior and or performance	15	5	1	9
(i) custody issues	0	0	1	0
(J) Delinquency issues	3	2	1	1
(k) Other	9	14	11	10
(g) Total Cases Added (add items (a) through (J) from above).	226	240	190	190
NUMBER OF FAMILIES SERVED FOR THE YEAR	274	275		
3. Juveniles/Families Disposed	214	217	198	185
4. Total Active Pending	35	42	27	32
<u>II. Information and/or Referral</u>				
1. Contacts during the month resulting in information and/or referral only	19	19	161	127
2. Total juvenile/families added and info/referral cases	209	363	351	317
<u>III. Juvenile/Families Disposed</u>				
1. Counseling sessions - DISPOSED only				
(a) Telephone contacts only	99	117	130	121
(b) 1 - 2 face-to-face counseling sessions	98	60	37	42
(c) 3 - 5 face-to-face counseling sessions	15	28	18	13
(d) 6 or more face-to-face counseling sessions	2	1	13	10
(e) Total cases DISPOSED	214	217	198	185
2. Referrals – DISPOSED only				
(a) Juveniles disposed where no family member was ever referred to an outside agency	86	40	55	43
(b) Juveniles disposed where a family member was referred to an outside agency	128	177	143	142
(c) Total	214	217	198	185
3. Petitions – DISPOSED only				
(a) Juveniles discharged where one or more Juvenile/Family Crisis or Out-of-Home	18	32	21	3
(b) Juveniles discharged where no Juvenile/Family Crisis or Out-of-Home Placement petitions was ever filed during the course of the case	196	165	177	182
(c) Total (This total should be the same as the total reported in Section 1.3.)	214	197	198	182
<u>IV. Placements</u>				
(a) Number of voluntary placements of juveniles.	0	1	1	1
(b) Number of involuntary placements	5	22	12	3
<u>V. Petitions</u>				
1. Juvenile / Family Crisis petitions filed	12	20	18	4
2. Out-of-Home Placement petitions filed	5	16	6	0
3. Total	17	36	26	4

Mobile Response and Stabilization Services

Source: CPC Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.

YEAR	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
# OF CALLS	561	726	954	857	1,118	1,374	1,358

2015 Overview of Mobile Response and Stabilization Services

CPC Mobile Response and Stabilization received a total of **1,358** calls in **2015**, of which **1,317 (97%)** involved a face to face response.

Referrals to CPC Mobile Response & Stabilization in **2015** came from: Schools **313 (24%)**; Family/Friend **434 (33%)**; DCP&P **191 (15%)**; Screening **96 (7%)**; Police **25 (2%)**; Emergency Room **48 (4%)**; and Other **191 (15%)**.

The risk behaviors presented included: School Problems **108 (8%)**; Parent Child Conflict **184 (14%)**; Emotional/Psychological **399 (30%)**; Physical Aggression **219 (17%)**; Suicidal Ideation/Threat **136 (10%)**; Runaway **14 (1%)**; and Other **182 (14%)**.

Crisis Stabilization Services were provided in **1314 (99.77%)** of the calls and a 72 hour response only was provided in **3 (.23%)**.

CPC Mobile Response & Stabilization made referrals to: In-Home Therapy **840 (64%)**; Mental Health OP Services **466 (35%)**; In-Home Behavioral Assistance **57 (4%)**; and Family Support Organization **1,317 (100%)**.

2014 Overview of Mobile Response and Stabilization Services

CPC Mobile Response and Stabilization received a total of **1,374** calls in **2014**, of which **1,328 (97%)** involved a face to face response.

Referrals to CPC Mobile Response & Stabilization in **2014** came from: Schools **315 (24%)**; Family/Friend **344 (26%)**; DCP&P **217 (16%)**; Screening **120 (9%)**; Police **19 (1%)**; Emergency Room **36 (3%)**; and Other **131 (10%)**.

The risk behaviors presented included: School Problems **88 (7%)**; Parent Child Conflict **218 (16%)**; Emotional/Psychological **341 (26%)**; Physical Aggression **219 (16%)**; Suicidal Ideation/Threat **36 (3%)**; Runaway **20 (2%)**; and Other **295 (22%)**.

Crisis Stabilization Services were provided in **1321 (99%)** of the calls and a 72 hour response only was provided in **7 (1%)**.

CPC Mobile Response & Stabilization made referrals to: In-Home Therapy **721 (54%)**; Mental Health OP Services **365 (27%)**; In-Home Behavioral Assistance **58 (4%)**; and Family Support Organization **1,328 (100%)**.

2015 Overview of Monmouth Vicinage –Court Processing

Source: Family Automated Case Tracking System (FACTS)

An overall decrease in case processing is shown in 2015 compared to 2014 at three points of the system (docketed, diverted and adjudicated delinquent) by juveniles, cases and offenses.

In 2015, there were 924 juveniles docketed, 382 juveniles diverted and 555 juveniles adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage. In 2014, there were 1,042 juveniles docketed, 417 juveniles diverted and 608 juveniles adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage. In 2015 compared to 2014, there were 118 fewer juveniles docketed; 35 fewer juveniles diverted and 53 fewer juveniles adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage.

In 2015, there were 1,218 cases docketed, 396 cases diverted and 838 cases adjudicated delinquent. In 2014, there were 1,324 cases docketed, 428 cases diverted and 895 cases adjudicated delinquent. In 2015 compared to 2014, there were 106 fewer cases docketed, 32 fewer cases diverted and 57 fewer cases adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage.

In 2015, there were 2,306 offenses docketed, 585 offenses diverted and 1,794 offenses adjudicated delinquent. In 2014, there were 2,652 offenses docketed, 624 offenses diverted and 1,941 offenses adjudicated delinquent. In 2015 compared to 2014 there were 346 fewer offenses docketed, 39 fewer offenses diverted and 147 fewer offenses adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage.

In 2015, juveniles 17 years of age comprised the largest number and percentage of juveniles docketed, diverted and adjudicated delinquent followed by juveniles in the 15-16 years of age category.

In 2015, Family Court dockets indicate that 666 (72.08%) were male and 258 (27.92%) were female. In 2014, Family Court dockets indicate that 752 (72.17%) were male and 290 (27.83%) were female.

In 2015, Family Court diversions indicate that 263 (68.85%) were male and 119 (31.15%) were female. In 2014, Family Court diversions indicate that 285 (68.35%) were male and 132 (31.65%) were female.

In 2015, males comprised 393 (70.81%) of the juveniles adjudicated delinquent and females comprised 162 (29.19%). In 2014, males comprised 472 (77.63%) of the juveniles adjudicated delinquent and females comprised 136 (22.37%). There was a higher number and percentage of females adjudicated delinquent in 2015 compared to 2014.

The race / ethnicity of the 2015 docketed juveniles indicates 492 (53.30%) were White; 314 (34.02%) were Black and 106 (11.48%) were Hispanic. The race / ethnicity of the 2014 docketed juveniles indicates 554 (53.22%) were White; 377 (36.22%) were Black and 84 (8.07%) were Hispanic. In 2015 compared to 2014 there were 62 fewer White and 63 fewer Black juveniles docketed, however the number of Hispanic juveniles docketed increased by 22.

The race / ethnicity of the 2015 diverted juveniles indicates 227 (59.58%) were White; 106 (27.82%) were Black; and 44 (11.55%) were Hispanic. The race / ethnicity of the 2014 diverted juveniles indicates 262 (62.98%) were White; 113 (27.16%) were Black; and 29 (6.97%) were Hispanic. In 2015 compared to 2014 there were 35 fewer White and 7 fewer Black juveniles diverted, however the number of Hispanic juveniles diverted increased by 15.

The race/ethnicity of the 2015 adjudicated delinquent juveniles indicates 230 (41.59%) were White; 250 (45.59%) were Black and 63 (11.39%) were Hispanic. The race/ethnicity of the 2014 adjudicated delinquent juveniles indicates 305 (50.58%) were White; 242 (40.13%) were Black; and 43 (7.13%) were Hispanic. Black juveniles comprised the highest number and percentage adjudicated delinquent in 2015 by race/ethnicity. In 2015 compared to 2014, there were 75 fewer White juveniles adjudicated delinquent and an increase of 8 Black juveniles and 20 Hispanic juveniles adjudicated delinquent.

The offense category consistently with the highest number docketed, diverted and adjudicated delinquent by Monmouth Vicinage in 2015, 2014 and 2013 was possession of 50G or less of marijuana or 5G or less of hashish.

Monmouth Vicinage –Court Processing

Family Automated Case Tracking System

Number of Juveniles, Cases & Offenses at Three Points in Court Processing (2010 - 2015)

<u>Juveniles</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Docketed	1,943	1,689	1,363	1,118	1,042	924
Diverted	733	755	519	405	417	382
Adjudicated Delinquent	1,092	929	834	769	608	555
<u>Cases</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Docketed	2,635	2,192	1,717	1,384	1,324	1,218
Diverted	752	784	532	416	428	396
Adjudicated Delinquent	1,546	1,356	1,172	1,063	895	838
<u>Offenses</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Docketed	5,083	4,051	3,341	2,679	2,652	2,306
Diverted	947	1,076	729	582	624	585
Adjudicated Delinquent	1,922	2,848	2,596	2,349	1,941	1,794

Ages of Juveniles at Three Points in the System

Ages	Docketed Number Percentage 2015	Docketed Number Percentage 2014	Docketed Number Percentage 2013	Docketed Number Percentage 2012	Docketed Number Percentage 2011
6-10	4 .43%	4 .38%	6 .54%	13 .95%	9 .53%
11-12	44 4.76%	51 4.89%	47 4.20%	52 3.82%	78 4.62%
13 –14	138 14.94%	141 13.53%	178 15.92%	188 13.79%	255 15.11%
15- 16	347 37.55%	419 40.21%	464 41.50%	576 42.26%	698 41.35%
17	391 42.32%	427 40.98%	423 37.84%	534 39.18%	648 38.39%
Total	924	1,042	1,118	1,363	1,688
Out of Range	0	0	0	0	1 .06
Grand Total	924	1,042	1,118	1,363	1,689

Ages	Diversions Number Percentage 2015	Diversions Number Percentage 2014	Diversions Number Percentage 2013	Diversions Number Percentage 2012	Diversions Number Percentage 2011
6-10	0 .00%	2 .48%	5 1.23%	4 .77%	6 .80%
11-12	22 5.76%	17 4.08%	21 5.19%	27 5.20%	36 4.77%
13 –14	61 15.97%	51 12.23%	77 19.01%	100 19.27%	121 16.05%
15- 16	141 36.91%	170 40.77%	179 44.20%	206 39.69%	305 40.45%
17	158 41.36%	177 42.45%	123 30.37%	182 35.07%	286 37.93%
Total	382	417	405	519	754
Out of Range	0	0	0	0	1
Grand Total	382	417	405	519	755

Ages	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2015	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2014	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2013	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2012	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2011
6-10	5 .90%	1 .16%	6 .78%	6 .77%	2 .24%
11-12	23 4.14%	34 5.59%	33 4.29%	22 2.82%	36 4.33%

13 –14	79 14.23%	90 14.80%	107 13.91%	103 13.22%	132 15.88
15- 16	217 39.10%	248 40.79%	316 41.09%	345 44.29%	385 46.33%
17	231 41.62%	234 38.65%	307 39.92%	303 38.90%	276 33.21%
Total	555	608	769	779	831
Out of Range	0	0	0	55	98 10.55%
Grand Total	555	608	769	834	929

Gender of Juveniles at Three Points in the System

Gender	Docketed Number Percentage 2015	Docketed Number Percentage 2014	Docketed Number Percentage 2013	Docketed Number Percentage 2012	Docketed Number Percentage 2011
Males	666 72.08%	752 72.17%	813 72.72%	982 72.05%	1,233 73%
Females	258 27.92%	290 27.83%	305 27.28%	381 27.95%	456 27%
Total	924	1,042	1,118	1,363	1,689

Gender	Diversions Number Percentage 2015	Diversions Number Percentage 2014	Diversions Number Percentage 2013	Diversions Number Percentage 2012	Diversions Number Percentage 2011
Males	263 68.85%	295 68.35%	264 65.19%	331 63.78%	521 69.01%
Females	119 31.15%	132 31.65%	141 34.81%	188 36.22%	234 30.99%
Total	382	417	405	519	755

Gender	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2015	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2014	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2013	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2012	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2011
Males	393 70.81%	472 77.63%	588 76.46%	639 76.62%	715 76.96%
Females	162 29.19%	136 22.37%	181 23.54%	195 23.38%	214 23.04%
Total	555	608	769	834	929

Race/Ethnicity of Juveniles at Three Points in the System

Race / Ethnicity	Docketed Number Percentage 2015	Docketed Number Percentage 2014	Docketed Number Percentage 2013	Docketed Number Percentage 2012	Docketed Number Percentage 2011
White	492 53.30%	554 53.22%	661 59.39%	808 60.16%	1,029 61.18%
Black	314 34.02	377 36.22%	349 31.36%	401 29.86%	522 31.03%
Hispanic	106 11.48%	84 8.07%	74 6.65%	98 7.30%	90 5.35%
Asian or Pacific Islander	6 .65%	11 1.06%	12 1.08%	19 1.41%	18 1.07%
American Indian	0 0%	1 .10%	0 0%	1 .07%	3 .18%
Alskn Native	0 0%	2 .19%	0 0%	2 .15%	1 .06%
Other	5 .54%	12 1.15%	17 1.53%	14 1.04%	19 1.13%
Total	923	1,041	1,113	1,343	1,682
Not Indicated	1 .11%	1 .10%	5	20 1.47%	7
Grand Total	924	1,042	1,118	1,363	1,689

Race / Ethnicity	Diversions Number Percentage 2015	Diversions Number Percentage 2014	Diversions Number Percentage 2013	Diversions Number Percentage 2012	Diversions Number Percentage 2011
White	227 59.58%	262 62.98%	254 63.18%	336 66.4%	508 67.82%
Black	106 27.82%	113 27.16%	104 25.87%	124 24.51%	174 23.23%
Hispanic	44 11.55%	29 6.97%	28 6.97%	32 6.32%	43 5.74%
Asian or Pacific Islander	2 .52%	5 1.20%	8 1.99%	8 1.58%	11 1.47%
American Indian	0 .00%	1 .24%	0 0%	0 0%	2 .27%
Alskn Native	0 .00%	1 .24%	0 0%	1 .20%	1 .13%
Other	2 .52%	5 1.20%	8 1.99%	5 .99%	10 1.34%
Total	381	416	402	506	749
Not Indicated	1 .26%	1	3 .74%	13 2.50%	6 .79%
Grand Total	382	417	405	519	755

Race / Ethnicity	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2015	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2014	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2013	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2012	Adjudicated Delinquent Number Percentage 2011
White	230 41.59%	305 50.58%	463 60.44%	467 56.74%	533 57.44%
Black	250 45.21%	242 40.13%	249 32.51%	298 36.21%	345 37.18%
Hispanic	63 11.39%	43 7.13%	38 4.96%	37 4.50%	35 3.77%
Asian or Pacific Islander	5 .90%	5 .83%	5 .65%	11 1.34%	6 .65%
American Indian	1 .18%	0 0%	1 .13%	1 .12%	1 .11%
Alskn Native	1 .18%	1 .17%	0 0%	2 .24%	0 0%
Other	3 .54%	7 1.16%	10 1.31%	7 .85%	8 .86%
Total	553	603	766	823	928
Not Indicated	2 .36%	5 .82%	3 .39%	11 1.32%	1 .11%
Grand Total	555	608	769	834	929

**Top Ten New Juvenile Complaints Docketed For Monmouth County
January 1-2015 -December 31, 2015**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
326	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A (4)	D
204	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
138	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A(1)	D
95	Possession of a Weapon Other than a Firearm	2C:39-5D	4
85	Burglary-Entering a Research Facility or Structure	2C:18-2A (1)	3
84	Shoplifting Less Than \$200	2C:20-11C (4)	D
81	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D
80	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public /MV	2C:33-15A	D
62	Criminal Mischief--\$500 to \$2,000 (4 th) /Under \$500 (DP)	2C:17-3B(2)	D
50	Defiant Trespasser	2C:18-3B	P

The lead degree* (of a single charge within a case) for the 1,218 new filings cases in 2015 indicates: 13 (1.07%) 1st Degree; 41(3.37%) 2nd Degree; 201 (16.50%) 3rd Degree; 163 (13.38%) 4th Degree; 716 (58.78%) Disorderly Persons; and 84 (6.90%) Petty Disorderly Persons

The statute category grouping* for the 2,306 new filings offenses in 2015 indicates the following six category groupings with the highest # and %: Drugs and Alcohol -612 (26.54%); Theft/Fraud/Forgery-324 (14.05%); Public Order or Decency-256 (11.10%); Property Offenses-241(10.45%); Assaults-214 (9.28%) and Weapons-187 (8.11%).

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**Top Ten New Juvenile Complaints Docketed For Monmouth County
January 1-2014 -December 31, 2014**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
288	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A (4)	D
208	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
120	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A(1)	D
118	Shoplifting Less Than \$200	2C:20-11C (4)	D
107	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public /MV	2C:33-15A	D
88	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A (1)	P
74	Possession of a Weapon Other than a Firearm	2C:39-5D	4
65	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D
63	Criminal Mischief--\$500 to \$2,000 (4 th) /Under \$500 (DP)	2C:17-3B(2)	D
45	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	3

**Top Ten New Juvenile Complaints Docketed For Monmouth County
January 1-2013 -December 31, 2013**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
320	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A (4)	D
263	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
127	Simple Assault-Purposely / Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A (1)	D
104	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public / MV	2C:33-15A	D
95	Shoplifting Less Than \$200	2C:20-11C (4)	D
83	Criminal Mischief - \$500 to \$2,000 (4 th) / Under \$500 (DP)	2C:17-3B (2)	D
72	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A (1)	P
60	Harassment-Verbal Conduct/Communication	2C:33-4A	P
58	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D
54	Defiant Trespasser	2C:18-3B	P

Use of Diversion Mechanisms

Top Ten Charges- Diversions in Monmouth County January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
156	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A (4)	D
114	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
40	Shoplifting Less than \$200	2C:20-11C (4)	D
38	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public /MV	2C:33-15A	D
35	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A(1)	D
18	Criminal Mischief-\$500 to \$2000 (4 th) / Under \$500 (DP)	2C:17-3B (2)	D
16	Criminal Trespass-Home /Structure / School/Research Facility	2C:18-3A	4
15	Obstructing the Administration of Law	2C:29-1A	D
13	Defiant Trespasser	2C:18-3B	P
12	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition / Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D

During 1/1/15-12/31/15, Monmouth Vicinage diverted a total of 396 cases.

The lead degree* (of a single charge within a case) for the 396 total diverted cases in 2015 indicates: 0 (0%) 1st Degree; 0 (0%) 2nd Degree; 4 (1.01%) 3rd Degree; 50 (12.63%) 4th Degree; 318 (80.30%) Disorderly Persons; and 24 (6.06%) Petty Disorderly Persons

The statute category grouping* for the 585 total diverted offenses in 2015 indicates the following six category groupings with the highest # and %: Drugs and Alcohol -274 (46.84%); Theft/Fraud/Forgery-82 (14.02%); Public Order or Decency-70 (11.97%); Property Offenses-60 (10.26%); Assaults-36 (6.15%) and Admin. of Law and Order- 31 (5.30%).

Of the 396 total cases diverted in 2015, the diversion mechanism* indicates: 351 (88.64%) were through Juvenile Conference Committees (JCC) and 45 (11.36%) were through Intake Service Conference (ISC).

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Use of Diversion Mechanisms

**Top Ten Charges- Diversions in Monmouth County
January 1, 2014 – December 31, 2014**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
147	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A (4)	D
106	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
62	Shoplifting Less than \$200	2C:20-11C (4)	D
54	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public /MV	2C:33-15A	D
29	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A(1)	D
25	Defiant Trespasser	2C:18-3B	P
17	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A(1)	P
15	Creates a Hazardous or Physically Dangerous Condition	2C:33-2A (2)	P
13	Any Local Ordinance (DP/PDP/No Degree Indicated)	00:00	D
13	Theft by Unlawful taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D

During 1/1/14-12/31/14, Monmouth Vicinage diverted a total of 428 cases. In 2014, the Juvenile Conference Committee (JCC) was the diversion mechanism utilized in 392 (91.59%) of the cases followed by Intake Service Conference (ISC) 36 (8.41%) of the cases diverted.

**Top Ten Charges- Diversions in Monmouth County
January 1, 2013 – December 31, 2013**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
120	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A(4)	D
95	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
53	Shoplifting Less than \$200	2C:20-11C(4)	D
40	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public/MV	2C:33-15A	D
36	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A (1)	D
28	Criminal Mischief-\$500 to \$2000 (4 th) / Under \$500 (DP)	2C:17-3B (2)	D
21	Defiant Trespasser	2C:18-3B	P
16	Shoplifting/Under-Ring	2C:20-11B (5)	D
14	Harassment-Verbal Conduct/Communication	2C:33-4A	P
12	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A (1)	P

During 1/1/13-12/31/13, Monmouth Vicinage diverted a total of 416 cases.

**Top Ten Charges for Adjudicated Delinquent Cases in Monmouth County
January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
140	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A(4)	D
89	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A(1)	D
87	Use of Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
82	Possession of a Weapon other than a Firearm	2C:39-5D	4
76	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D
60	Burglary-Entering a Research Facility or Structure	2C:18-2A (1)	3
53	Shoplifting Less than \$200	2C:20-11C(4)	D
46	Defiant Trespasser	2C:18-3B	P
42	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A (1)	P
34	Possession of a Weapon Other than a Firearm	2C:39-4D	3

The lead degree* (of a single charge within a case) for the 838 total adjudicated delinquent cases in 2015 indicates: 15 (1.79%) 1st Degree; 43 (5.13%) 2nd Degree; 184 (21.96%) 3rd Degree; 124 (14.80%) 4th Degree; 395 (47.14%) Disorderly Persons; 76 (9.07%) Petty Disorderly Persons and 1 (.12%) Not Indicated.

The statute category grouping* for the 1,794 total adjudicated delinquent offenses in 2015 indicates the following six category groupings with the highest # and %: Drugs and Alcohol -309 (17.22%); Theft/Fraud/Forgery-270 (15.05%); Public Order or Decency-220 (12.26%); Weapons-174 (9.70%); Assaults-169 (9.42%) and Property Offenses-167 (9.31%).

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**Top Ten Charges for Adjudicated Delinquent Cases in Monmouth County
January 1, 2014 – December 31, 2014**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
166	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or 5G or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A(4)	D
122	Use of Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
93	Simple Assault-Purposely/Knowingly Causes Bodily Injury	2C:12-1A(1)	D
73	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A(1)	P
65	Criminal Mischief-\$500-\$2,000 (4 th)/Under \$500 (DP)	2C:17-3B(2)	D
62	Possession of a Weapon other than a Firearm	2C:39-5D	4
56	Shoplifting Less than \$200	2C:20-11C(4)	D
50	Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition-Movable Property	2C:20-3A	D
47	Possession of Weapon Other Than Firearm	2C:39-4D	3
38	Criminal Trespass-Home/Structure/School/Research Facility	2C:18-3A	4
38	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public/MV	2C:33-15A	D

**Top Ten Charges for Adjudicated Delinquent Cases in Monmouth County
January 1, 2013 – December 31, 2013**

# of Charges	<u>Offense Title</u>	Statute	Degree
211	Possession of 50G or Less of Marijuana or Less of Hashish	2C:35-10A (4)	D
190	Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia	2C:36-2	D
70	Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverage in Public/MV	2C:33-15A	D
65	Engages in Fighting or Threatening or in Violent Behavior	2C:33-2A (1)	P
57	Any CDS Classified in Schedules I, II, III or IV	2C:35-10A (1)	3
54	Loitering for the Purpose of Possessing/Selling CDS	2C:33-2.1	D
47	Possessing CDS in a Motor Vehicle	39:4-49.1	D
44	Conspiracy	2C:5-2	3
43	Harassment-Verbal Conduct/Communication	2C:33-4A	P
42	Possession of a Weapon Other than a Firearm	2C:39-5D	4

Monmouth Vicinage
Lead Disposition for Juvenile Adjudicated Delinquent Cases

FACTS Lead Disposition Category Number	Lead Disposition Categories	# of Cases 2015	# of Cases 2014	# of Cases 2013	# of Cases 2012	# of Cases 2011	# of Cases 2010
00	Waivers		11		4	21	
1	JJC Incarceration	4	12	10	32* code error	17	26
12	JJC –Incarceration (Suspended)	1		9	6	12	4
3	JJC-Residential		2	4	2		
4	DCP&P Residential		4	7		4	1
11	DCP&P (Unspecified)		1		1		
6	Other Residential	2	1	20	7	14	
7	Non-Residential Program JJC	5				8	
10	Other Remedial Non-Residential		4		1	2	3
13	Probation	394	294	358	373	488	738
14	Probation (Suspended)			3	2	2	
15	Restitution	4	21	18	14	18	26
16	Community Service	2	7	11	34	54	109
18	Fine	5	13	11	20	18	52
19	Deferred Disposition (formal continuance)	161	132	210	259	277	444
20	Other Conditional	6		4	8	8	11
21	Continue with Prior Disposition				1	1	1
23	Suspended (Conditional)						
26	Anti-Shoplifting Program				1	1	
32			1				
37	Court Tours					1	
50	Diversion from the Bench -JCC	1	1	2	47	54	27
51	Diversion from the Bench-ISC	1			9	16	4
64	Charge Dismissed				256	291	
67		2					
70	Bench Warrant	2	2	7	6	2	9
86	Other	7	5	25	23	42	58
99	Catch All (includes Non -Residential Day, JISP or Violation of JISP and Release from In-Home Detention or from Detention Center)	5	2		4	5	7
	Total cases	604	502	699	1,110	1,356	1,546

Monmouth Vicinage- Probation Division	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total # of Juveniles Supervised and Monitored	627	441	317	429	355	377
# and % on Probation Supervision	325 (52%)	298 (68%)	216 (68%)	274 (64%)	277 (78%)	307 (81%)
# and % on Deferred Disposition	302 (48%)	143 (32%)	101 (32%)	155 (36%)	80 (22%)	70 (19%)
Average Officer Caseload	69.6	44	31.7	61.2	39.4	53.8
Number of Juvenile Probation Officers	9	10	10	7	9	7
Total Number of Violations of Probation filed	256	191	122	97	64	83
Violation of the standard conditions of probation	169 (66%)	140 (73%)	77 (63.1%)	73 (75%)	51 (79%)	52 (63%)
Violation due to a new offense	50 (19.5%)	34 (18%)	32 (26.2%)	15 (15%)	9 (14%)	19 (23%)
Program violation	37 (14.5%)	17 (9%)	13 (10.6%)	9 (10%)	4 (7%)	12 (14%)

Number of Violations of Probation by Municipality by Year

Municipality # of VOPs	2013	2014	2015
Aberdeen Twp.	1	2	3
Allenhurst			
Allentown	0	1	0
Asbury Park City	8	9	16
Atlantic Highlands	2	1	0
Avon-By-The-Sea			
Belmar	1	1	1
Bradley Beach	0	0	1
Brielle	0	1	0
Colts Neck Twp.	3	0	0
Deal	2	0	0
Eatontown	2	1	4
Englishtown	1	0	0
Fair Haven			
Farmingdale	2	0	0
Fort Monmouth			
Freehold Borough	8	5	5
Freehold Twp.			
Hazlet Twp.	2	1	2
Highlands	2	0	0
Holmdel Twp.	1	0	1
Howell Twp.	3	1	2
Interlaken			
Keansburg	7	2	3
Keyport			
Lake Como			
Little Silver			
Loch Arbour			
Long Branch City	13	0	6
Manalapan Twp.	4	4	0
Manasquan			
Marlboro Twp.	1	3	0
Matawan	3	1	4
Middletown Twp.	1	5	4
Millstone Twp.	1	0	1
Monmouth Beach			
Neptune City	1	0	1
Neptune Twp.	21	17	19
Ocean Twp.	1	5	5
Oceanport			
Red Bank	1	1	0
Roosevelt			
Rumson			
Sea Bright			
Sea Girt			
Shrewsbury Boro.			
Shrewsbury Twp.			

Municipality # of VOPs	2013	2014	2015
Spring Lake			
Spring Lake Hgts.	1	0	0
Tinton Falls	0	0	1
Union Beach	2	0	0
Upper Freehold			
Wall Twp.	0	3	1
W. Long Branch			
Brick (Ocean County)	1	0	2
Monroe (Middlesex)	0	0	1
Monmouth County Total	97	64	83

- The Gender of the 83 Violations of Probation (VOP) in 2015 indicates: 69 (83%) Male and 14 (17%) Female
- The Race/Ethnicity of the 69 Male Juveniles with a VOP in 2015 indicates: 38 (55%) as African American; 19 (28%) as Caucasian; 11(16%) as Hispanic and 1 (1%) as Asian.
- The Race/Ethnicity of the 14 Female Juveniles with a VOP in 2015 indicates: 7 (50%) as African American; 5 (36%) as Caucasian and 2(14%) as Hispanic Females
- The Ages of the 83 Juveniles with a VOP in 2015 indicates: 30 (36%) were 17 years of age; 23 (28%) were 18 years of age; 15 (18%) were 16 years of age; 6 (7%) were 15 years of age; 5 (6%) were 19 years of age and there was one juvenile in each of the following ages (12 years of age, 13 years of age, 14 years of age and 20 years of age). The ages ranged between 12 and 20 years old.

[Monmouth Vicinage-Probation Division](#)

In 2015, there were 377 juvenile cases monitored by the Probation Division Staff. Of those juveniles, 307 (81%) were on probation supervision, while 70 (19%) were Deferred Dispositions. There were a total of 83 Violations of probation filed during 2015. Of the 83 VOP's, 52 (63%) involved violation of the standard conditions of probation, 19 (23%) were new offenses and 12 (14%) were program violations.

In 2014, there were 355 juvenile cases monitored by the Probation Division Staff. Of those juveniles, 277 (78%) were on probation supervision, while 80 (22%) were Deferred Dispositions. There were a total of 64 Violations of probation filed during 2014. Of the 64 VOP's, 51 (79%) involved violation of the standard conditions of probation, 9 (14%) were new offenses and 4 (7%) were program violations.

In 2013, there were 429 juvenile cases monitored by the Probation Division Staff. Of those juveniles, 274 (64%) were on probation supervision, while 155 (36%) were Deferred Dispositions. There were a total of 97 Violations of probation filed during 2013. Of the 97 VOP's, 73 (75%) involved violation of the standard conditions of probation, 15 (15%) were new offenses and 9 (10%) were program violations.

*For those juveniles with deferred dispositions, specific court ordered conditions are put in place, which they must satisfy. The juvenile does not have to report to probation but the case is monitored. If the juvenile meets the conditions, the charges are dismissed.

[Monmouth County Juvenile Detention Alternatives](#)

Source: Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives

[Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives](#) operates a Home Detention/Electronic Monitoring Program that serves juveniles referred by the Monmouth Vicinage, Family Division Judiciary. The County of Monmouth funds the Home Detention Program. The Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives oversees all youth placed in the continuum of detention alternatives (as listed below). They ensure that the youth appears in court, as well as address program non-compliance. In addition, the Detention Alternative Unit will link youth up with services, as needed.

[House Arrest](#) is a detention alternative utilized at the Judge's discretion. It allows a juvenile to be released from the detention center to a parent or guardian under specific restrictions. It also offers an option to the Judge when a juvenile appears before them on a serious charge, who is not retained, to allow the juvenile to remain at home without posing a threat to the community. The juvenile is not allowed to leave the home without a parent or guardian except to attend school or work. The local Police Department is notified of the juvenile's specific House Arrest conditions. The juvenile and his/her family are informed any violation of the House Arrest conditions will result in the juvenile's arrest and possible return to the Youth Detention Center.

➤ [House Arrest A:](#)

Supervision is primarily the responsibility of the youth's parent/caregiver. DA staff will have bi-weekly face to face contacts and weekly phone contact for House Arrest A. Youth may leave the house to go to school, work, and all other approved activities with the company of a parent/caregiver. There is not program capacity in terms of the number of youth served. The expected average LOS on House Arrest A is 45-60 days.

➤ **House Arrest B:**

House Arrest A plus daily random phone contacts and weekly face to face contacts conducted by the Department of Human Services/Division of Juvenile Detention Alternative staff throughout the day. Up to 4 random calls per day -If youth is compliant, phone calls may be reduced over time.

Home Detention Program (HDP) is a detention alternative program utilized at the Judge's discretion. It affords the juvenile to be released from the detention center, under the supervision of the Home Detention Program Officer, to return home on an electronic monitor. The juvenile is monitored 24 hours a day through an electronic monitoring bracelet. The juvenile is given "windows" of time which are pre-documented as specific timeframes he/she will be out of the home to attend school, organized sports, church etc.. The juvenile must be in their home at all other times. Special requests may be made to the HDP Officer for additional windows for family related functions. These additional timeframes are at the discretion of the HDP Officer. The juvenile's behavior, attitude and level of supervision while exercising the "window" will all be deciding factors. A violation of the Home Detention Program could result in the immediate return of the juvenile to the detention center based on the severity of the violation.

Electronic Monitoring (EM) Expansion –GPS/Wireless EM

The goal of the Electronic Monitoring (EM) Expansion program is to provide electronic supervision that allows juveniles to remain in the community as opposed to being incarcerated in the youth detention center. Members of the Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives rotate after hours on call to provide 24 hour a day 7 day per week coverage to respond to municipal police departments to install GPS/Wireless ankle units for juveniles deemed eligible by the court in lieu of secure detention. The Family Court Intake Officer utilizes the Risk Screening Tool to determine eligibility. Initially the youth is placed on a GPS unit and is required to attend a court hearing on the next business day. At that time, the courts will determine if the GPS bracelet should remain on, or changed out for the traditional Home Detention bracelet. The courts can also decide to place the youth on a different Detention Alternative Program.

Home Detention / Electronic Monitoring Program

YEAR	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Participants	44	41	18	25	26	27
Successful Terminations	33	32 (86%)	14 (78%)	22 (92%)	21 (91%)	20 (80%)
Non-successful Terminations	6	5 (14%)	4 (22%)	2 (8%)	2 (9%)	5 (20%)
Still Active At Year End	5	4	0	1	3	2
Gender						
Male	41 (93%)	36 (88%)	11 (73%)	23 (92%)	24 (92%)	27 (100%)
Female	3 (7%)	5 (12%)	4 (27%)	2 (8%)	2 (8%)	0 (0%)
<i>Total</i>	44 (100%)	41(100%)	15(100%)	25 (100%)	26(100%)	27 (100%)
Race/Ethnicity						
African American	21 (48%)	25 (61%)	13 (87%)	16 (64%)	21 (81%)	12 (44%)
White	20 (45%)	11 (27%)	2 (13%)	6 (24%)	3 (11%)	7 (26%)
Hispanic	2 (5%)	4 (10%)	0 (0%)	3 (12%)	2 (8%)	8 (30%)
Other	1 (2%)	1(2%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)

Electronic Monitoring Expansion – Wireless/GPS

The Electronic Monitoring Expansion Wireless/GPS Program started in 2010.

<u>Electronic Monitoring Expansion –</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
TOTAL ADMISSIONS	9	22	34	21	21	29
TOTAL DEPARTURES	9	20	34	23	14	31
RACE/ETHNICITY						
AFRICAN AMERICAN	7 (78%)	13 (59%)	21(62%)	10 (48%)	12 (57%)	16 (55%)
CAUCASIAN	2 (22%)	6 (27%)	11(32%)	7 (33%)	8 (38%)	6 (21%)
HISPANIC	0 (0%)	2 (9%)	2 (6%)	4 (19%)	1 (5%)	6 (21%)
OTHER	0 (0%)	1 (5%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1(3%)
GENDER						
MALE	9 (100%)	19 (86%)	24 (71%)	20 (95%)	20 (95%)	28 (97%)
FEMALE	0 (0%)	3 (14%)	10 (29%)	1 (5%)	1 (5%)	1 (3%)
SUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	9 (100%)	20 (100%)	33 (97%)	21 (91%)	14 (100%)	26 (84%)
UNSUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1(3%)	2 (9%)	0 (0%)	5 (3%)
AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION	5.60	1.1	4.1	2.0	3.8	6.0
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	10 Days	19.9 Days	36.9 Days	36 Days	57 Days	49 Days

<u>House Arrest A</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
TOTAL ADMISSIONS	12	26	12	20	9	23
TOTAL DEPARTURES	15	24	11	23	8	21
RACE/ETHNICITY						
AFRICAN AMERICAN	5 (42%)	12 (46%)	6 (50%)	8 (40%)	7 (78%)	20 (87%)
CAUCASIAN	7 (58%)	12 (46%)	5 (42%)	7 (35%)	0 (0%)	2 (9%)
HISPANIC	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1 (8%)	4 (20%)	2 (22%)	1 (4%)
OTHER	0 (0%)	2 (8%)	0 (0%)	1 (5%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
GENDER						
MALE	9 (75%)	24 (92%)	10 (83%)	19 (95%)	7 (78%)	22 (96%)
FEMALE	3 (25%)	2 (8%)	2 (17%)	1 (5%)	2 (22%)	1 (4%)
SUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	11 (73%)	21 (87%)	10 (91%)	20 (87%)	8 (100%)	20 (95%)
UNSUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	4 (27%)	3 (13%)	1 (9%)	3 (13%)	0 (0%)	1 (5%)
AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION	2.0	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.1	2
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	36.26 DAYS	22.5 DAYS	10.6 DAYS	36 DAYS	48 DAYS	35 DAYS

House Arrest B

<u>House Arrest B</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
TOTAL ADMISSIONS	38	29	14	10	18	7
TOTAL DEPARTURES	38	29	15	11	17	6
RACE/ETHNICITY						
AFRICAN AMERICAN	19 (50%)	16 (55.3%)	9 (64%)	7 (70%)	10 (56%)	2 (29%)
CAUCASIAN	15 (39%)	12 (41.3%)	5 (36%)	3 (30%)	6 (33%)	3 (42%)
HISPANIC	3 (8%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	2 (11%)	2 (29%)
OTHER	1 (3%)	1 (3.4%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
GENDER						
MALE	33 (87%)	25 (86%)	8 (57%)	10 (100%)	16 (89%)	6 (86%)
FEMALE	5 (13%)	4 (14%)	6 (43%)	0 (0%)	2 (11%)	1 (14%)
SUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	35 (92%)	27 (93%)	13 (87%)	10 (91%)	17 (100%)	5 (83%)
UNSUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	3 (8%)	2 (7%)	2 (13%)	1 (9%)	0 (0%)	1 (17%)
AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION	4.8	3.0	1.2	1.0	2.3	2
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	37 DAYS	42.9 DAYS	22.1 DAYS	34 DAYS	45 DAYS	55 DAYS

Juvenile Shelter

The Shelter became available as a Detention Alternative Program in May 2012.

<u>Shelter</u>	2012	2013	2014	2015
TOTAL ADMISSIONS	7	17	19	11
TOTAL DEPARTURES	5	19	18	10
RACE/ETHNICITY				
AFRICAN AMERICAN	3 (43%)	11 (65%)	9 (47%)	6 (55%)
CAUCASIAN	4 (57%)	3 (17%)	4 (21%)	2 (18%)
HISPANIC	0 (0%)	2 (12%)	5 (26%)	3 (27%)
OTHER	0 (0%)	1 (6%)	1 (6%)	0 (0%)
GENDER				
MALE	5 (71%)	11 (65%)	14 (74%)	6 (55%)
FEMALE	2 (29%)	6 (35%)	5 (26%)	5 (45%)
SUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	5 (100%)	17 (89%)	16 (89%)	10 (100%)
UNSUCCESSFUL COMPLETIONS	0 (0%)	2 (11%)	2 (11%)	0 (0%)
AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION	.53	.4	1.5	1
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	27.7 DAYS	30 DAYS	27 DAYS	29 DAYS

Monmouth County Admissions to Juvenile Detention

Source: Monmouth County Sheriff's Department

Overview comparison of 2015 admissions to 2014

There were 72 admissions of Monmouth County juveniles to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Center in 2015. This represents 40 fewer Monmouth County juvenile admissions to secure juvenile detention than in 2014.

The average length of stay in juvenile detention for Monmouth County juveniles in 2015 was 42.9 days, which represents an increase of 20.6 days from 2014.

The number of child care days provided to Monmouth County juveniles at the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility in 2015 was 3,093. This represents an increase of 594 child care days from what was provided in 2014.

The total average daily population of Monmouth County juveniles detained at the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention facility in 2015 was 8.5. This reflects an increase of .07 juveniles in the total average daily population from 2014.

The total number of Monmouth County Black juvenile admissions to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention facility in 2015 was 36; which represents a decrease of 40 admissions from 2014.

The total number of Monmouth County White juvenile admissions to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention facility in 2015 was 19; which represents a decrease of 2 admissions from 2014.

The total number of Monmouth County Hispanic juvenile admissions to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility in 2015 was 13; which represents a decrease of 2 admissions from 2014.

In 2015, the gender of the Monmouth County admissions to the juvenile detention indicates that 66 or 91% are male and 6 or 9% are female. There were 40 less Monmouth County males admitted to juvenile detention in 2015 compared to 2014 and the same amount of female admissions.

The municipalities with the highest number of admissions of Monmouth County juveniles to the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility in 2015 were Asbury Park (13); Neptune Township (17) and Keansburg (9). Asbury Park had 7 fewer admissions to juvenile detention in 2015 compared to 2014. Neptune Township had 17 fewer admissions to juvenile detention in 2015 as compared to 2014. Long Branch has historically been in the top 3 for admissions by municipality until 2015 when it was surpassed by Keansburg.

*In 2015, there were no Monmouth County juveniles on a short term commitment status at the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention

Youth Detention Center

Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Admissions	286	271	181	135	101	100	112	72
Average Length of Stay	30.6	34.5	37.33	29.2	30.5	41.8	22.3	42.9
# of Child Care Days	10,213	9,363	6,757	4,471 +121*	3,090 +209	4,185 +86	2,499 +43	3,093
Minimum Average Daily Population	23	18 December	9 December	8.5 December May	2 December	5 Jan. April Dec	3 May June	5 July Aug
Total Average Daily Population	29	25.32	18.6	12.2	8.5	10.8	7.8	8.5
Maximum Average Daily Population	40 August	35.07 May	26 February	16.4 February	16 Sept. August	22 August	16 January	13 April May

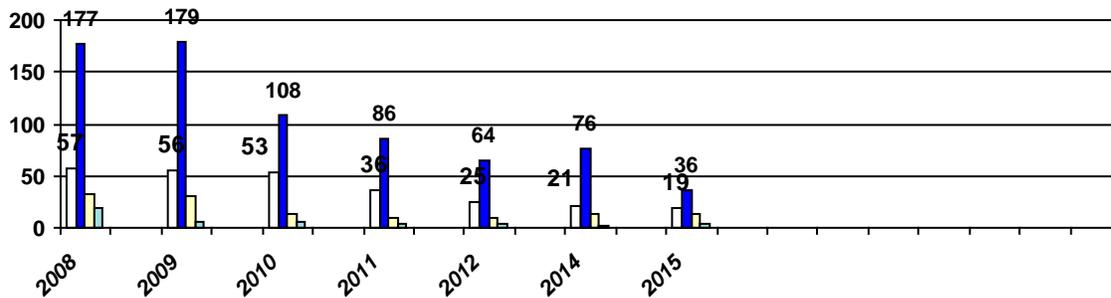
Please note that the 2010 data presented includes the combined total for Monmouth County youth detained at the Monmouth County Youth Detention Center (1/1/10- 6/30/10) and the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility (7/1/10- 12/31/10).

The Racial / Ethnic Composition of Monmouth County Admissions to Juvenile Detention

Please note that the 2010 data presented includes the combined total for Monmouth County youth detained at the Monmouth County Youth Detention Center (1/1/10-6/30/10) and the Middlesex County Juvenile Detention Facility (7/1/10- 12/31/10).

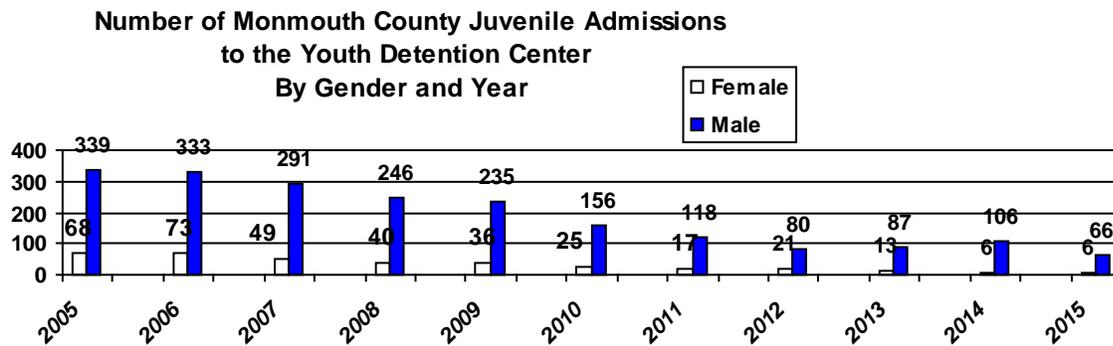
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Black	177 = 62%	179 = 66%	108=60%	86 =64%	64=63.3%	53=53%	76=68%	36=50%
White	57 = 20%	56 = 21%	53=29%	36 =27%	25=24.7%	28=28%	21=19%	19=26.3%
Hispanic	33 = 11%	31 = 11%	14=8%	10 =7%	9=8.9%	14=14%	14=12%	13=18.2%
Other	19 = 7%	5 = 2%	6=3%	3 = 2%	3=2.9%	5=5%	1=1%	4=5.5%

Number of Monmouth County Admissions to the Juvenile Detention Center by Racial/ Ethnic Composition and Year



The Gender of the Monmouth County Admissions to Juvenile Detention

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
MALES	246=86%	235=87%	156=86%	118=87%	80=79.2	87=87%	106=95%	66=91%
FEMALES	40 =14%	36 = 13%	25=14%	17 =13%	21=20.8	13=13%	6=5%	6=9%



Admissions to the Youth Detention Center by Municipality

MUNICIPALITY	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Aberdeen Twp.	3	0	0	0	2	1	2
Allenhurst	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allentown	2	2	0	2	0	0	0
Asbury Park City	82	50	38	20	22	30	13
Atlantic Highlands	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Avon-By-The-Sea	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Belmar	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Bradley Beach	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Brielle	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Colts Neck Twp.	0	0	1	3	2	0	0
Deal	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eatontown	4	6	2	2	0	0	3
Englishtown	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Fair Haven	0	0	1	1	1	0	1
Farmingdale	6	1	1	0	0	0	0
Freehold Borough	1	4	3	2	4	4	1
Freehold Twp.	12	2	0	3	1	1	1
Hazlet Twp.	1	3	3	0	1	0	0
Highlands	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Holmdel Twp.	4	0	4	1	0	0	0
Howell Twp.	13	6	3	1	1	2	1
Interlaken	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Keansburg	8	11	9	6	9	6	9
Keyport	1	2	2	1	1	1	0
Lake Como	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Little Silver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loch Arbour	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Branch City	32	20	21	9	17	6	5
Manalapan Twp.	5	6	1	0	3	2	0
Manasquan	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Marlboro Twp.	6	5	0	1	0	3	0
Matawan	2	3	4	0	3	0	1
Middletown Twp.	6	8	5	0	3	4	4
Millstone Twp.	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Monmouth Beach	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neptune City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neptune Twp.	30	19	22	28	17	34	17
Ocean Twp.	9	6	6	5	3	4	2
Oceanport	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Red Bank	9	6	0	1	1	1	0
Roosevelt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rumson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sea Bright	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sea Girt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shrewsbury Boro.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Shrewsbury Twp.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spring Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spring Lake Hgts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tinton Falls	0	2	2	1	0	0	1
Union Beach	0	1	0	1	1	0	2
Upper Freehold	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wall Twp.	3	1	1	1	1	2	2
W. Long Branch	0	1	0	0	2	2	0
<i>Out of County</i>	24	11	4	10	1	5	5
TOTAL	271	181	135	101	100	112	72

**Number and Percentage of total Admissions
to the Youth Detention Center by Home Address
Top Three Municipalities**

	Asbury Park	Long Branch	Neptune Twp.	3-Town Total	County Total
2009	82 (30%)	32 (12%)	30 (11%)	144 (53%)	271 (100%)
2010	50 (28%)	20 (11%)	19 (10%)	89 (49%)	181 (100%)
2011	38 (28%)	21 (16%)	22 (16%)	81 (60%)	135 (100%)
2012	20 (20%)	9 (9%)	28 (28%)	57 (56%)	101 (100%)
2013	22 (22%)	17 (17%)	17 (17%)	56 (56%)	100 (100%)
2014	30 (27%)	6 (5%)	34 (30%)	70 (62%)	112 (100%)
	Asbury Park	Keansburg	Neptune Twp.	3-Town Total	County Total
2015	13 (18%)	9 (12.5%)	17 (23.6%)	39 (54%)	72 (100%)

Asbury Park, Long Branch and Neptune Township have consistently had the highest number of admissions to the Youth Detention Center. These three municipalities represent 62% of the total admissions to the Youth Detention Center in 2014. It should be noted that in 2014 both Keansburg and Long Branch each had 6 admissions to the Juvenile Detention Center. In 2015 Keansburg surpassed Long Branch with a higher number of admissions to the Juvenile Detention Center. (Keansburg had 9 admissions in 2015 compared to 5 in Long Branch). This indicates a historic change from prior years.

Monmouth County Public School Enrollment

Source: New Jersey Department of Education

Monmouth County's Total 2015-2016 School Enrollment was 98,778.5

- The public school enrollment consisted of 50,557.5 (51%) males and 48,221(49%) females.
- The race/ethnicity data indicates: 67,304.5 or 68% White; 8,363.5 or 8.5% Black; 15,098.5 or 15.3% Hispanic; 86 or .08 % Native American; 6,109 or 6.2% Asian; 172 or.17% Hawaiian Native; and 1,645 or 1.7% Two or More Races.
- Monmouth County ranked 4th out of the 21 counties with the highest school enrollment in New Jersey following Bergen, Middlesex and Essex counties.
- Of the total school enrollment, 20,913 were indicated as receiving the free lunch program and 3,426 the reduced lunch program.

Monmouth County's Total 2014-2015 School Enrollment was 99,532.5

- The public school enrollment consisted of 50,829.5 (51%) males and 48,703 (49%) females.
- The race/ethnicity data indicates: 68,949 or 69% White; 8,707.5 or 8.7% Black; 14,163.5or 14% Hispanic; 110 or .11% Native American; 6,025 or 6% Asian; 183 Hawaiian Native; and 1,394 or 1.4% Two or More Races.
- Monmouth County ranked 4th out of the 21 counties with the highest school enrollment in New Jersey following Bergen, Middlesex and Essex counties.
- Of the total school enrollment, 20,291.5 were indicated as receiving the free lunch program and 3,789.5 the reduced lunch program.

Monmouth County's Total 2013-2014 School Enrollment was 100,401.5

- The public school enrollment consisted of 51,354 (51%) males and 49,047(49%) females.
- The race/ethnicity data indicates: 70,448 or 70% White; 8,897 or 8.8% Black; 13,528 or 13.47% Hispanic; 109 or .10% Native American; 6,021 or 6% Asian; 177 Hawaiian Native; and 1,221 or 1.21% Two or More Races.
- Monmouth County ranked 4th out of the 21 counties with the highest school enrollment in New Jersey following Bergen, Middlesex and Essex counties.
- Of the total school enrollment, 20,087.5 were indicated as receiving the free lunch program and 3,651 the reduced lunch program.

Monmouth County's Total 2012-2013 School Enrollment was 101,588.

- The public school enrollment consisted of 52,033 (51%) males and 49,555 (49%) females.
- The race/ethnicity data indicates: 72,269 or 71% White; 9,168.5 or 9% Black; 12,851.5 or 13% Hispanic; 102 Native American; 5,998 or 6% Asian; 184 Hawaiian Native; and 1,015 or 1% Two or More Races.
- Monmouth County ranked 4th out of the 21 counties with the highest school enrollment in New Jersey.
- Of the total school enrollment, 18,522 were indicated as receiving the free lunch program and 3,648 the reduced lunch program.

School Year	2015-16	2014-15	2013-14	2012-13	2011-12	2010-11	2009-10
Monmouth County	98,778.5	99,532.5	100,401.5	101,588	101,036	103,965.5	105,552.5

New Jersey Department of Education	Monmouth County High Schools	Graduation Rate
District	School	2015
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	66.04%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	93.42%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough	91.34%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.	93.25%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	96.88%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	97.89%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	97.51%
Freehold Regional	District Total	95.29%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	96.27%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	93.33%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	97.75%
Keansburg	Keansburg	87.76%
Keyport	Keyport High	85.98%
Long Branch	Long Branch	92.19%
Manasquan	Manasquan	93.62%
Matawan-Aberdeen Regional	Matawan Regional High	91.14%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North	94.32%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South	93.46%
Middletown Township	District Total	93.90%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Academy of Law & Public Safety	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High	98.41%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	96.61%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	District Total	96.81%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional	94.26%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	80.73%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	94.14%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional	96.01%
Rumson-Fair Haven Regional	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	98.40%
Shore Regional	Shore Reg. High	98.15%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	95.76%
Wall Township	Wall High	93.73%

Source: New Jersey Department of Education- 2015 Adjusted Cohort 4 year Graduation Rates

Enrollment by Program Participants	2013-2014	<u>Economically Disadvantaged Students</u>		
		District	School	Count of Students
	Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	302	87%
	Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	125	8.4%
	Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough High	350	22.4%
	Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp. High	232	11%
	Freehold Regional	Howell High	175	7.8%
	Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	142	7.4%
	Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	89	4.5%
	Hazlet Township	Raritan High	121	12.4%
	Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	84	26.6%
	Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	25	2.5%
	Keansburg	Keansburg High	277	73.2%
	Keyport	Keyport High	223	53.6%
	Long Branch	Long Branch High	855	73.1%
	Manasquan	Manasquan High	113	11.6%
	Matawan-Aberdeen	Matawan Regional High	294	28.4%
	Middletown Township	Middletown High North	251	17.5%
	Middletown Township	Middletown High South	119	8.4%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Allied Health & Science	20	7.1%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Academy of Law and Public Safety	12	20.7%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Biotechnology High	8	2.6%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Career Center	135	40.3%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Communications High	9	2.8%
	Monmouth County Vocational	High Tech High School	3	1.1%
	Monmouth County Vocational	M.A.S.T.	18	6.2%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Voc Tech High School	61	30.9
	Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Reg. High	161	16.8%
	Neptune Township	Neptune High	651	48.2%
	Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	277	22.8%
	Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional High	295	25.1%
	Rumson-Fair Haven	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	5	0.5%
	Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	19	2.9%
	Upper Freehold	Allentown High	103	8.4%
	Wall Township	Wall High	160	13.2%

Source: NJ School Performance Report –State of New Jersey-Department of Education

Economically Disadvantaged Students

District	School	Count of Students 2012-13	% of Enrollment 2012-13	Count of Students 2011-12	% of Enrollment 2011-12
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	312	86.3%	288	73.3%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	114	7.8%	89	6.2%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough High	342	21.9%	262	17.6%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp. High	233	11%	184	8.6%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	218	9.2%	158	6.6%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	145	7.2%	96	4.9%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	86	4.4%	61	3.2%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	126	12.6%	102	10.3%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	99	27.8%	83	23.1%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	27	2.6%	20	2.0%
Keansburg	Keansburg High	224	62%	219	62.4%
Keyport	Keyport High	196	39.2%	189	40.8%
Long Branch	Long Branch High	655	58.1%	636	60.7%
Manasquan	Manasquan High	107	11.4%	108	11.1%
Matawan Aberdeen	Matawan Regional High	263	25%	253	24.2%
Middletown Township	Middletown High North	252	17.1%	201	13.6%
Middletown Township	Middletown High South	78	5.6%	74	5.4%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	9	3.2%	16	5.7%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	4	1.3%	5	1.6%
Monmouth Co. Voc.	Career Center	100	41%	-	-
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Class Academy			35	44.3%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	1	0.3%	3	0.9%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	1	0.4%	0	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Academy of Law & Public Safety	0	0%	-	-
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	6	2.1%	6	2.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Voc Tech High School	78	24%	165	23.5%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Reg. High	121	12.1%	96	10.1%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	740	55.7%	594	47.5%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	204	16.8%	208	17.3%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional High	286	24.2%	172	15.2%
Rumson-Fair Haven	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	7	0.8%	6	0.7%
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	26	4.0%	15	2.4%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	77	6.4%	72	6.1%
Wall Township	Wall High	143	11.8%	26	2.2%

Enrollment by Program Participants	2013-2014	<u>Students with Disability</u>		
		District	School	Count of Students
	Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	73	21%
	Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	225	15%
	Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough High	280	18%
	Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp. High	297	14%
	Freehold Regional	Howell High	306	14%
	Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	248	13%
	Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	233	12%
	Hazlet Township	Raritan High	165	17%
	Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	65	21%
	Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	131	13%
	Keansburg	Keansburg High	85	22%
	Keyport	Keyport High	76	18%
	Long Branch	Long Branch High	142	12%
	Manasquan	Manasquan High	150	15%
	Matawan-Aberdeen	Matawan Regional High	125	12%
	Middletown Township	Middletown High North	243	17%
	Middletown Township	Middletown High South	248	17%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Allied Health & Science	0	0
	Monmouth County Vocational	Academy of Law & Public Safety	6	10%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Biotechnology High	1	0
	Monmouth County Vocational	Career Center	272	81%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Communications High	1	0
	Monmouth County Vocational	High Tech High School	0	0
	Monmouth County Vocational	M.A.S.T.	0	0
	Monmouth County Vocational	Voc Tech High School	66	33%
	Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Reg. High	176	18%
	Neptune Township	Neptune High	276	20%
	Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	195	16%
	Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional High	151	13%
	Rumson-Fair Haven	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	120	13%
	Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	96	15%
	Upper Freehold	Allentown High	188	15%
	Wall Township	Wall High	189	16%

Source: NJ School Performance Report –State of New Jersey-Department of Education

Enrollment by Program Participants	2013-2014	Limited English Proficient Students		
		District	School	Count of Students
	Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	59	17.0%
	Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	51	3.4%
	Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough High	2	0.1%
	Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp. High	0	0%
	Freehold Regional	Howell High	0	0%
	Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	0	0%
	Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	0	0%
	Hazlet Township	Raritan High	2	0.2%
	Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	5	1.6%
	Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	9	0.9%
	Keansburg	Keansburg High	4	1.1%
	Keyport	Keyport High	4	1%
	Long Branch	Long Branch High	76	6.5%
	Manasquan	Manasquan High	5	0.5%
	Matawan-Aberdeen	Matawan Regional High	7	0.7%
	Middletown Township	Middletown High North	1	0.1%
	Middletown Township	Middletown High South	1	0.1%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Allied Health & Science	0	0%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Academy of Law and Public Safety	0	0%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Biotechnology High	0	0%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Career Center	2	0.6%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Communications High	0	0%
	Monmouth County Vocational	High Tech High School	0	0%
	Monmouth County Vocational	M.A.S.T.	0	0%
	Monmouth County Vocational	Voc Tech High School	1	0.5%
	Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Reg. High	12	1.3%
	Neptune Township	Neptune High	24	1.8%
	Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	31	2.6%
	Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional High	11	0.9%
	Rumson-Fair Haven	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	0	0%
	Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	1	0.2%
	Upper Freehold	Allentown High	2	0.2%
	Wall Township	Wall High	4	0.3%

Source: NJ School Performance Report –State of New Jersey-Department of Education

NJ School Performance Report	2013-14	Overall Graduation Rate	Dropout Rate	Student Suspension Rate
		Statewide Targets 78%	Statewide Targets 2%	
DISTRICT	SCHOOL			
	Academy Charter High			
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	49%	8.5%	46.5%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	97%	0.3%	4.0%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough	93%	0.7%	9.0%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.	95%	0.6%	4.7%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	97%	0.3%	3.8%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	97%	0.1%	5.7%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	98%	0.2%	3.3%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	98%	0%	4.6%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	85%	0%	1.9%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	98%	0.1%	5.0%
Keansburg	Keansburg	80%	2.8%	15.6%
Keyport	Keyport High	81%	0%	10.8%
Long Branch	Long Branch	94%	0.8%	30.2%
Manasquan	Manasquan	91%	0.4%	4.3%
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional High	91%	0.1%	12.7%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North	94%	0%	8.3%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South	92%	0.1%	5.2%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	100%	0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Academy of Law & Public Safety			0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	100%	0%	0.3%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Career Center			1.5%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	100%	0%	0.3%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	100%	0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	97%	0%	0.7%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Voc Tech High School			7.1%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional	94%	0.9%	10.2%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	78%	0.8%	24.1%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	95%	0.2%	3.9%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional	94%	0.3%	1.9%
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	99%	0%	3.8%
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High School	98%	0%	4.0%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	95%	0%	5.4%
Wall	Wall High	96%	0.2%	5.4%

Graduation Rate-This rate calculates the percentage of students who are awarded a regular, high school diploma within four years of becoming a first-time ninth grader. The rate is adjusted to account for students who 'transfer-in' and for students who are verified as 'transfers-out'.

Dropout Rates- are calculated from student-level data submitted by districts for students officially classified as dropouts. The dropout rate is the count of students who dropout in an academic year divided by the school's total enrollment.

Student Suspension Rate - the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year

NJ School Performance Report	2012-13	Overall Graduation Rate	Dropout Rate	Student Suspension Rate
		Statewide Targets 75%	Statewide Targets 2%	
DISTRICT	SCHOOL			
	Academy Charter High			
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	51%	4.4%	63.2%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	94%	0.3%	4.3%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough	93%	0.9%	13.2%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.	96%	0.5%	5.4%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	96%	0.2%	5.4%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	95%	0.4%	6.8%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	99%	0%	5.5%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	96%	0.1%	6.8%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	94%	0.0%	5.6%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	96%	0.0%	11%
Keansburg	Keansburg	76%	3.2%	45.8%
Keyport	Keyport High	85%	1.2%	8.0%
Long Branch	Long Branch	92%	1.2%	20.2%
Manasquan	Manasquan	90%	1.4%	5.7%
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional High	91%	0.7%	3.3%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North	92%	0.0%	6.3%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South	95%	0.0%	6.5%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	100%	0.0%	1.8%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Academy of Law & Public Safety			12.5%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	100%	0.0%	0.6%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Career Center			0.8%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	100%	0.0%	0.6%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	100%	0.0%	1.1%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	100%	0.0%	2.4%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Voc Tech High School			7.8%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional	91%	1.1%	12.2%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	77%	1.8%	24.6%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	92%	0.4%	5.7%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional	97%	0.6%	2.2%
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	98%	0.0%	3.1%
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High School	96%	0.3%	2.3%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	95%	0.2%	5.8%
Wall	Wall High	96%	0.2%	8.3%

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Student Suspension Rate - the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year

**NJ Dept. of Education Graduation Rates –
Monmouth County High Schools**

District	School	2012 Adjusted Cohort Grad Rate	2011 Adjusted Cohort Grad Rate
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	49.02%	59.46%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	94.44%	94.74%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough	93.57%	90.96%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.	94.07%	93.68%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	96.39%	96.66%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	96.96%	96.66%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	97.81%	97.24%
Freehold Regional	District Total	95.71%	95.18%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	98.36%	97.05%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	91.18%	89.89%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	97.55%	99.26%
Keansburg	Keansburg	78.07%	82.84%
Keyport	Keyport High	77.69%	85.95%
Long Branch	Long Branch	85.48%	83.12%
Manasquan	Manasquan	91.79%	91.89%
Matawan-Aberdeen Regional	Matawan Regional High	91.25%	89.10%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North	91.61%	94.50%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South	94.16%	97.37%
Middletown Township	District Total	92.85%	95.90%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	96.88%	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	100%	97.30%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Class Academy	61.82%	74.58%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	100%	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High	100%	100%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	100%	98.59%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	District Total	94.32%	95.79%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional	93.38%	89.30%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	76.44%	83.76%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	91.86%	94.44%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional	93.51%	94.55%
Rumson-Fair Haven Regional	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	98.78%	96.51%
Shore Regional	Shore Reg. High	94.86%	97.59%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	94.77%	97.61%
Wall Township	Wall High	95.07%	96.39%

MONMOUTH COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL DROPOUTS
BY RACIAL/ETHNIC ORIGIN

Racial Ethnic Origin	White		Black		Hispanic		Native American		Asian		Total
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	
2013/2014	82 (38%)		63 (29%)		63 (29%)		0 (0.0%)		3 (1.39%)		215
2012/2013	115 (42%)		75(27%)		75 (27%)		0 (0.0%)		6 (2%)		275
2011/2012	147 (39%)		113 (30%)		111 (29%)		0 (0.0%)		5 (1%)		378
2010/2011	134 (44.37%)		86 (28.47)		70 (23.17%)		0 (0.0%)		8 (2.64%)		302
2009/2010	95.5 (33%)		109 (37%)		67 (23%)		0 (0.0%)		4 (1%)		292.5*
2008/2009	81.5 (45.5%)		40 (22.3%)		56.5 (31.6%)		0 (0.0%)		1 (.6%)		179
2007/2008	55.5 (46.4%)		34 (28.7%)		28 (23.6%)		0 (0.0%)		1 (0.8%)		118.5
2006/2007	70 (41.9%)		43 (25.7%)		48 (28.7%)		0 (0.0%)		6 (3.6%)		167
2005/2006	78 (38.0%)		82 (40.0%)		40 (19.5%)		1 (0.5%)		4 (2.0%)		205
2004/2005	116 (55.0%)		50 (23.0%)		38 (18.0%)		8 (4.0%)		0 (0.0%)		212
2003/2004	156.5 (51.1%)		98 (32.0%)		49.5 (16.2%)		0 (0.0%)		2 (0.6%)		306
2002/2003	190.5 (56.5%)		84 (25.1%)		61 (18.1%)		1 (0.3%)		0 (0.0%)		336.5
2001/2002	254 (55.8%)		134 (29.4%)		62.5 (13.7%)		1 (0.2%)		4 (0.9%)		455.5
2000/2001	283 (61.5%)		123 (26.7%)		50 (10.9%)		4 (0.9%)		0 (0.0%)		460

Monmouth County comprised 215 (3%) of the total number of 6,550 dropouts in New Jersey reported in the 2013-2014 school year. Males comprised 123 (57%) and females comprised 92(43%) of the dropouts in Monmouth County in the 2013-2014 school year. *Two or more races comprised 3 (1.39%) and Hawaiian Native comprised 1 (.46%) of the public school dropouts in Monmouth County in 2013/2014.

Monmouth County comprised 275 (4%) of the total number of 7,161 dropouts in New Jersey reported in the 2012-2013 school year. Males comprised 167 (61%) and females comprised 108 (39%) of the dropouts in Monmouth County in the 2012-2013 school year. *Two or more races comprised 4 (1.45%) of the public school dropouts in Monmouth County in 2012/2013.

Monmouth County comprised 378 (4%) of the total number of 9,283 dropouts in New Jersey reported in the 2011-2012 school year. Males comprised 216 (57%) and females comprised 162 (43%) of the dropouts in Monmouth County in the 2011-2012 school year. *Two or more races comprised 2 (.5%) of the public school dropouts in Monmouth County in 2011/2012.

School's Academic Achievement When Compared to Schools Across the State

NJ School Performance Report	2013-14	Very High	High	About Average	Lags	Significantly Lags
DISTRICT	SCHOOL					
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High					X
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.		X			
Freehold Regional	Howell High	X				
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	X				
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High		X			
Hazlet Township	Raritan High		X			
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.				X	
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	X				
Keansburg	Keansburg					X
Keyport	Keyport High				X	
Long Branch	Long Branch				X	
Manasquan	Manasquan		X			
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South		X			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	X				
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional			X		
Neptune Township	Neptune High					X
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High			X		
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional			X		
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven		X			
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High		X			
Upper Freehold	Allentown High		X			
Wall	Wall High			X		

Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. For high schools, this includes measures of the school's proficiency rate on both the Language Arts Literacy and Math sections of the New Jersey High School Proficiency Assessment (HSPA). A proficiency rate is calculated by summing the count of students who scored either proficient or advanced proficient on the assessment and dividing by the count of valid test scores.

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Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.	X				
Freehold Regional	Howell High		X			
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High		X			
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	X				
Hazlet Township	Raritan High		X			
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.		X			
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High		X			
Keansburg	Keansburg				X	
Keyport	Keyport High				X	
Long Branch	Long Branch				X	
Manasquan	Manasquan		X			
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South		X			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	X				
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional			X		
Neptune Township	Neptune High					X
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High		X			
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional		X			
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven	X				
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	X				
Upper Freehold	Allentown High			X		
Wall	Wall High					X

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School's College & Career Readiness When Compared to Schools Across the State

NJ School Performance Report	2013-14	Very High	High	About Average	Lags	Significantly Lags
DISTRICT	SCHOOL					
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High				X	
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.		X			
Freehold Regional	Howell High			X		
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High		X			
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High		X			
Hazlet Township	Raritan High			X		
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.			X		
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High		X			
Keansburg	Keansburg				X	
Keyport	Keyport High			X		
Long Branch	Long Branch			X		
Manasquan	Manasquan		X			
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional		X			
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South		X			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	X				
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional			X		
Neptune Township	Neptune High				X	
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High			X		
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional		X			
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven	X				
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High		X			
Upper Freehold	Allentown High		X			
Wall	Wall High		X			

College and Career Readiness measures the degree to which students are demonstrating behaviors that are indicative of future attendance and/or success in college and careers. For high schools, this includes measures of participation in college readiness tests such as the SAT, ACT or PSAT and in rigorous coursework as defined by participation in AP or IB courses in English, math, social studies and science.

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DISTRICT	SCHOOL					
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High				X	
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.			X		
Freehold Regional	Howell High			X		
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High		X			
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High		X			
Hazlet Township	Raritan High			X		
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.			X		
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High		X			
Keansburg	Keansburg				X	
Keyport	Keyport High			X		
Long Branch	Long Branch			X		
Manasquan	Manasquan		X			
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional		X			
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North		X			
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South		X			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High		X			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	X				
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional			X		
Neptune Township	Neptune High				X	
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High		X			
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional		X			
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Shore Regional	Shore Regional High		X			
Upper Freehold	Allentown High		X			
Wall	Wall High			X		

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School's Graduation and Post-Secondary Rate When Compared to Schools Across the State

NJ School Performance Report	2013-14	Very High	High	About Average	Lags	Significantly Lags
DISTRICT	SCHOOL					
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High					X
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough			X		
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.			X		
Freehold Regional	Howell High		X			
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High		X			
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High		X			
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	X				
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.		X			
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High		X			
Keansburg	Keansburg					X
Keyport	Keyport High			X		
Long Branch	Long Branch			X		
Manasquan	Manasquan			X		
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North	X				
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South		X			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	X				
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional			X		
Neptune Township	Neptune High					X
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High			X		
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional			X		
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven	X				
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	X				
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	X				
Wall	Wall High		X			

Graduation and Postsecondary- measures the rate at which students who begin high school four years earlier graduate within four years. Also included is a measure of the rate at which students in a particular school drop out of school.

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Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High		X			
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough			X		
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.		X			
Freehold Regional	Howell High		X			
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High			X		
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	X				
Hazlet Township	Raritan High		X			
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.		X			
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	X				
Keansburg	Keansburg					X
Keyport	Keyport High				X	
Long Branch	Long Branch				X	
Manasquan	Manasquan				X	
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional			X		
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North		X			
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	X				
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	X				
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional				X	
Neptune Township	Neptune High					X
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High			X		
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional		X			
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven	X				
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High		X			
Upper Freehold	Allentown High		X			
Wall	Wall High		X			

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PERCENT OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WHO DROPPED OUT

DISTRICT	SCHOOL	2010-11 State Average 1.5%	2009-10 State Average 1.7%	2008-09 State Average 1.7%	2007-08 State Average 1.7%
	Academy Charter High		1.1%	0.5%	0.5%
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	2.1%	16.5%	7.1%	4.2%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	0.8%	0.7%	0.6%	0.8%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough	1.4%	0.8%	0.9%	0.4%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp.	0.8%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	0.6%	0.5%	0.2%	0.3%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	1.4%	1.4%	0.7%	1.0%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	-	0.1%	0.3%	0.1%
Keansburg	Keansburg	3.4%	0.8%	2.2%	1.0%
Keyport	Keyport High	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Long Branch	Long Branch	1.6%	1.9%	3.9%	0.9%
Manasquan	Manasquan	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	0.2%
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional High	0.1%	0.6%	0.2%	0.4%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS North	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Middletown Township	Middletown HS South	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	0.3%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Career Center		-		
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Class Academy	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	KIVA High School	-			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Voc Tech High School	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Regional	0.5%	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	2.8%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	-	0.4%	0.1%	0.1%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.4%
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	-	0.1%	0.0%	0.7%
Shore Reg.	Shore Reg. High	-	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%
Wall	Wall High	0.4%	0.7%	1.1%	0.0%

SOURCE: New Jersey Department of Education –School Report Cards

Dropout Rate – Shown are the percents of student dropouts, calculated by dividing the number of students in Grades 9 through 12 who dropped out of school during the period July to June of each school year by the October enrollment reported for Grades 9 through 12. A student who dropped out and returned, but who subsequently dropped out is only counted once.

These dropout rates are based upon self-reported data from school districts.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SUSPENSIONS

District	School	2012-13	2011-12	2010-11 State Average 13%	2009-10 State Average 14%
	Academy Charter High				25%
Asbury Park	Asbury Park High	63.2%	26.7%	44%	49%
Freehold Regional	Colts Neck High	4.3%	6.0%	8%	6%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Borough High	13.2%	20.9%	16%	15%
Freehold Regional	Freehold Twp. High	5.4%	5.7%	4%	5%
Freehold Regional	Howell High	5.4%	9.8%	9%	8%
Freehold Regional	Manalapan High	6.8%	11.3%	8%	11%
Freehold Regional	Marlboro High	5.5%	7.1%	7%	7%
Hazlet Township	Raritan High	6.8%	9.7%	5%	9%
Henry Hudson Regional	Henry Hudson Reg.	5.6%	6.1%	4%	6%
Holmdel Township	Holmdel High	11%	6.2%	8%	4%
Keansburg	Keansburg High	45.8%	20.6%	26%	86%
Keyport	Keyport High	8.0%	18.4%	18%	18%
Long Branch	Long Branch High	20.2%	53.9%	14%	8%
Manasquan	Manasquan High	5.7%	8.0%	9%	15%
Matawan-Aberdeen Reg.	Matawan Regional High	3.3%	10.6%	13%	10%
Middletown Township	Middletown High North	6.3%	7.8%	9%	14%
Middletown Township	Middletown High South	6.5%	7.4%	9%	7%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Allied Health & Science	1.8%	0.7%	0%	0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Academy of Law & Public Safety	12.5%			
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Biotechnology High	0.6%	0.6%	0%	0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Career Center	0.8%	-	-	0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Class Academy	-	7.6%	9%	3%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Communications High	0.6%	0.9%	0%	1%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	High Tech High School	1.1%	0.9%	1%	1%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	KIVA High School	-	-	76%	96%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	M.A.S.T.	2.4%	1.0%	3%	0%
Monmouth Co. Vocational	Voc Tech High School	7.8%	2.3%	6%	6%
Monmouth Regional	Monmouth Reg. High	12.2%	17.0%	20%	25%
Neptune Township	Neptune High	24.6%	24.8%	44%	20%
Ocean Township	Ocean Twp. High	5.7%	9.8%	6%	5%
Red Bank Regional	Red Bank Regional High	2.2%	2.6%	6%	5%
Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	Rumson-Fair Haven Reg.	3.1%	5.0%	11%	8%
Shore Regional	Shore Regional High	2.3%	4.6%	2%	3%
Upper Freehold	Allentown High	5.8%	7.0%	10%	9%
Wall Township	Wall High	8.3%	9.4%	10%	11%

Source: NJ State Department of Education

Student Suspension Rate- the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year

Violence, Vandalism and Substance Abuse in Monmouth County Schools

Source: Violence, Vandalism and Substance Abuse in New Jersey Public Schools;
New Jersey Department of Education

School Year	Incidents of Violence	Incidents of Vandalism	Incidents of Weapons	Incidents of Substance Abuse	Incidents of Harassment Intimidation and Bullying (HIB)	*Total School Based Incidences
2014-2015	389	67	55	208	414	1,108
2013-2014	446	52	66	261	468	1,259
2012-2013	508	99	53	319	678	1,630
2011-2012	578	126	72	302	1,044	2,078
2010-2011	822	151	76	376		1,396
2009-2010	673	132	57	302		1,138
2008-2009	761	186	56	292		1,279
2007-2008	823	220	83	306		1,410
2006-2007	865	275	82	234		1,429
2005-2006	854	350	92	273		1,545
2004-2005	979	247	110	316		1,633
2003-2004	951	236	113	251		1,528
2002-2003	797	311	89	263		1,432
2001-2002	950	326	78	238		1,567
2000-2001	967	323	101	334		1,695

*Please note that the total reflects an unduplicated count of incidences. It may not sum to the total of the four categories. 2011-2012 is the first year that Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying incidents were included.

Monmouth County ranked 5th in New Jersey (following Middlesex, Bergen, Essex and Passaic Counties) with the highest number of school based incidences reported in the 2013-2014 school year. Monmouth County ranked 2nd in New Jersey (following Middlesex County) with the highest number of school based incidences reported in the 2012-2013 school year. Monmouth County ranked 3rd in New Jersey (following Camden & Bergen) with the highest number of school based incidences reported in the 2011-2012 school year. Monmouth County ranked 2nd in New Jersey (following Middlesex County) with the highest number of school based incidences reported in the 2010-2011 school year.

The top three districts with the highest number of violence incidents reported in the 2014 - 2015 school year were Freehold Regional (62), Middletown Twp. (34) and Neptune Twp. (34). The top three districts with the highest number of violence incidents reported in the 2013 - 2014 school year were Freehold Regional (82), Keansburg Boro (38) and Middletown Twp. (34). The top three districts with the highest number of violence incidents reported in the 2012 -2013 school year were Freehold Regional (86), Asbury Park (64) and Middletown Twp (62). The top three districts with the highest number of violence incidents reported in the 2011 -2012 school year were Freehold Regional (105) Middletown Twp (91); and Asbury Park (79).The top three districts with the highest number of violence incidents reported in the 2010 -2011 school year were Middletown Twp (126); Freehold Regional (122) and Asbury Park (57).

The top three districts with the highest number of vandalism incidents reported in the 2014-2015 school year were Neptune Twp. (11), Freehold Regional(8) and Hazlet Twp. (7). The top three districts with the highest number of vandalism incidents reported in the 2013-2014 school year were Freehold Regional (10), Middletown Twp. (5) and Neptune City (5).The top three districts with the highest number of vandalism incidents reported in the 2012-2013 school year were Hazlet Twp. (11); Freehold Regional (9);) and Matawan-Aberdeen Regional (9).The top three districts with the highest number of vandalism incidents reported in the 2011-2012 school year were Hazlet Twp. (32); Freehold Regional (15);) and Ocean Township (11). The top three districts with the highest number of vandalism incidents reported in the 2010-2011 school year were Hazlet Twp. (31); Freehold Regional (22);) and Middletown Twp. (13).

The top districts with the highest number of weapons incidents reported in the 2014-2015 school year were Neptune Twp. (12), Asbury Park (9) and Freehold Regional (7). The top districts with the highest number of weapons incidents reported in the 2013-2014 school year were Neptune Twp. (12), Freehold Regional (9) and Matawan-Aberdeen(8). The top districts with the highest number of weapons incidents reported in the 2012-2013 school year were Freehold Regional (7), Asbury Park (6); and Neptune Twp. (6).The top districts with the highest number of weapons incidents reported in the 2011-2012 school year were Asbury Park (10); Neptune Twp. (10) and Freehold Regional (9).The top districts with the highest number of weapons incidents reported in the 2010-2011 school year were Freehold Regional (11); Neptune Twp. (7) and Asbury Park, Long Branch and Matawan-Aberdeen Regional each at (5).

The top three districts with the highest number of substance abuse incidents reported in the 2014-2015 school year were Freehold Regional (49), Middletown Twp. (19) and Long Branch (17). The top three districts with the highest number of substance abuse incidents reported in the 2013-2014 school year were Freehold Regional (94), Long Branch (22) and Matawan-Aberdeen (15). The top three districts with the highest number of substance abuse incidents reported in the 2012-2013 school year were Freehold Regional (109); Keansburg (29) and Neptune Twp (24).The top three districts with the highest number of substance abuse incidents reported in the 2011-2012 school year were Freehold Regional (129); Middletown Twp (24) and Wall Twp. (19).The top three districts with the highest number of substance abuse incidents reported in the 2010-2011 school year were Freehold Regional (99); Middletown Twp (47) and Neptune Twp. (24).

The top three districts with the highest number of (HIB) harassment, intimidation and bullying incidents reported in the 2014-2015 school year were Long Branch (37),

Middletown Twp. (33) and Wall Twp. (29). The top three districts with the highest number of (HIB) harassment, intimidation and bullying incidents reported in the 2013-2014 school year were Long Branch (47), Freehold Boro (38) and Manalapan–Englishtown (27). The top three districts with the highest number of (HIB) harassment, intimidation and bullying incidents reported in the 2012-2013 school year were Long Branch (103), Asbury Park (97) and Manalapan-Englishtown Reg. (66). The top three districts with the highest number of (HIB) harassment, intimidation and bullying incidents reported in the 2011-2012 were Long Branch (123); Manalapan-Englishtown Regional (94) and Middletown Township (79).

Monmouth County Annual Average Labor Force Estimates

Source: New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development and the U.S. Department of Labor -Bureau of Labor Statistics

YEAR	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
2015	331,623	315,165	16,458	5.0%
2014	328,655	309,086	19,569	6.0%
2013	328,905	304,385	24,520	7.5%
2012	334,808	304,904	29,904	8.9%
2011	329,571	301,254	28,317	8.6%
2010	333,370	304,741	28,629	8.6%
2009	335,835	307,367	28,468	8.5%
2008	334,570	318,336	16,234	4.9%
2007	330,899	318,562	12,337	3.7%
2006	332,931	319,313	13,618	4.1%
2005	328,107	315,126	12,981	4.0%
2004	323,444	309,140	14,304	4.4%
2003	334,410	316,821	17,589	5.3%
2002	330,019	312,651	17,368	5.3%
2001	313,950	302,585	11,365	3.6%

2015 NJ Annual Average Labor Force Estimates by Municipality*

Name/County/Municipality	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate
Monmouth County	331,623	315,165	16,458	5.0
Aberdeen township	10,004	9,499	505	5.0
Allenhurst borough	297	285	12	4.0
Allentown borough	1,016	967	49	4.8
Asbury Park city	7,523	6,948	575	7.6
Atlantic Highlands borough	2,568	2,448	120	4.7
Avon-by-the-Sea borough	944	903	41	4.3
Belmar borough	3,434	3,259	175	5.1
Bradley Beach borough	2,524	2,382	142	5.6
Brielle borough	2,293	2,184	109	4.8
Colts Neck township	4,548	4,359	189	4.2
Deal borough	352	336	16	4.5
Eatontown borough	7,108	6,729	379	5.3
Englishtown borough	1,086	1,027	59	5.4
Fair Haven borough	2,912	2,812	100	3.4
Farmingdale borough	781	730	51	6.5
Freehold borough	6,389	6,106	283	4.4
Freehold township	18,680	17,860	820	4.4
Hazlet township	10,739	10,170	569	5.3
Highlands borough	2,845	2,680	165	5.8
Holmdel township	7,804	7,472	332	4.3
Howell township	28,105	26,675	1,430	5.1
Interlaken borough	435	415	20	4.6
Keansburg borough	5,195	4,837	358	6.9
Keyport borough	4,051	3,839	212	5.2
Lake Como borough	953	900	53	5.6
Little Silver borough	3,016	2,903	113	3.7
Loch Arbour village	115	111	4	3.5
Long Branch city	16,214	15,287	927	5.7
Manalapan township	20,996	20,072	924	4.4
Manasquan borough	3,063	2,921	142	4.6
Marlboro township	20,454	19,646	808	4.0
Matawan borough	4,900	4,635	265	5.4
Middletown township	34,462	32,822	1,640	4.8
Millstone township	5,886	5,636	250	4.2

Municipality (2015 continued)	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate
Monmouth Beach borough	1,773	1,702	71	4.0
Neptune City borough	2,781	2,600	181	6.5
Neptune township	15,152	14,155	997	6.6
Ocean township	15,015	14,288	727	4.8
Oceanport borough	2,988	2,831	157	5.3
Red Bank borough	7,085	6,782	303	4.3
Roosevelt borough	428	405	23	5.4
Rumson borough	3,111	2,992	119	3.8
Sea Bright borough	854	816	38	4.4
Sea Girt borough	827	799	28	3.4
Shrewsbury borough	2,167	2,091	76	3.5
Shrewsbury township	641	607	34	5.3
Spring Lake borough	1,152	1,103	49	4.3
Spring Lake Heights borough	2,515	2,392	123	4.9
Tinton Falls borough	9,075	8,631	444	4.9
Union Beach borough	3,117	2,921	196	6.3
Upper Freehold township	3,321	3,162	159	4.8
Wall township	13,602	12,933	669	4.9
West Long Branch borough	4,323	4,100	223	5.2

SOURCE: New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development

2014 NJ Annual Average Labor Force Estimates by Municipality*
(2014 Benchmark)

Name/County/Municipality	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate
Monmouth County Annual Average	328,655	309,086	19,569	6.0
Aberdeen township	9,880	9,272	608	6.2
Allenhurst borough	296	283	13	4.4
Allentown borough	1,003	952	51	5.1
Asbury Park city	7,573	6,843	730	9.6
Atlantic Highlands borough	2,570	2,408	162	6.3
Avon-by-the-Sea borough	1,000	941	59	5.9
Belmar borough	3,412	3,205	207	6.1
Bradley Beach borough	2,512	2,338	174	6.9
Brielle borough	2,301	2,146	155	6.7
Colts Neck township	4,500	4,287	213	4.7
Deal borough	351	331	20	5.7
Eatontown borough	7,028	6,598	430	6.1
Englishtown borough	1,072	1,000	72	6.7
Fair Haven borough	2,884	2,771	113	3.9
Farmingdale borough	788	722	66	8.4
Freehold borough	6,352	6,021	331	5.2
Freehold township	18,583	17,628	955	5.1
Hazlet township	10,652	9,996	656	6.2
Highlands borough	2,841	2,645	196	6.9
Holmdel township	7,702	7,333	369	4.8
Howell township	27,783	26,062	1,721	6.2
Interlaken borough	427	408	19	4.4
Keansburg borough	5,248	4,809	439	8.4
Keyport borough	4,048	3,781	267	6.6
Lake Como borough	950	889	61	6.4
Little Silver borough	2,971	2,839	132	4.4
Loch Arbour village	113	110	3	2.7
Long Branch city	16,000	14,918	1,082	6.8
Manalapan township	20,758	19,606	1,152	5.5
Manasquan borough	3,013	2,859	154	5.1
Marlboro township	19,905	18,938	967	4.9
Matawan borough	4,886	4,563	323	6.6
Middletown township	34,246	32,302	1,944	5.7

Millstone township	5,844	5,542	302	5.2
Monmouth Beach borough	1,782	1,685	97	5.4
Neptune City borough	2,758	2,554	204	7.4
Neptune township	15,159	13,936	1,223	8.1
Ocean township	14,864	14,032	832	5.6
Oceanport borough	2,939	2,764	175	6.0
Red Bank borough	6,839	6,522	317	4.6
Roosevelt borough	421	398	23	5.5
Rumson borough	3,082	2,945	137	4.4
Sea Bright borough	850	806	44	5.2
Sea Girt borough	815	782	33	4.0
Shrewsbury borough	2,049	1,956	93	4.5
Shrewsbury township	640	598	42	6.6
Spring Lake borough	1,137	1,084	53	4.7
Spring Lake Heights borough	2,490	2,357	133	5.3
Tinton Falls borough	9,027	8,496	531	5.9
Union Beach borough	3,158	2,916	242	7.7
Upper Freehold township	3,295	3,109	186	5.6
Wall township	13,474	12,707	767	5.7
West Long Branch borough	4,387	4,094	293	6.7

Source: Vin Samuels, NJ Department of Labor (received 3/31/15)

2013 NJ Annual Average Labor Force Estimates by Municipality*
(2013 Benchmark)

Name/County/Municipality	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate
Monmouth County Annual Average	328,905	304,385	24,520	7.5
Aberdeen township	10,282	9,429	853	8.3
Allenhurst borough	300	278	23	7.6
Allentown borough	1,022	970	52	5.1
Asbury Park city	8,222	7,172	1,050	12.8
Atlantic Highlands borough	2,589	2,404	185	7.2
Avon-by-the-Sea borough	1,012	917	95	9.4
Belmar borough	3,543	3,267	276	7.8
Bradley Beach borough	2,772	2,609	163	5.9
Brielle borough	2,376	2,229	148	6.2
Colts Neck township	4,491	4,352	139	3.1
Deal borough	419	393	25	6.1
Eatontown borough	7,247	6,625	622	8.6
Englishtown borough	947	887	60	6.4
Fair Haven borough	2,892	2,776	116	4.0
Farmingdale borough	747	701	45	6.1
Freehold borough	6,490	6,032	457	7.0
Freehold township	19,185	17,948	1,237	6.4
Hazlet township	10,614	9,714	900	8.5
Highlands borough	2,981	2,643	339	11.4
Holmdel township	7,376	6,987	388	5.3
Howell township	27,280	25,214	2,066	7.6
Interlaken borough	409	382	26	6.4
Keansburg borough	5,131	4,619	512	10.0
Keyport borough	4,113	3,871	242	5.9
Lake Como borough	1,048	905	143	13.7
Little Silver borough	2,945	2,807	138	4.7
Loch Arbour village	144	139	4	3.0
Long Branch city	15,428	14,087	1,341	8.7
Manalapan township	19,586	18,208	1,378	7.0
Manasquan borough	3,022	2,874	149	4.9
Marlboro township	20,573	19,359	1,214	5.9
Matawan borough	4,880	4,471	408	8.4
Middletown township	35,420	32,923	2,497	7.0
Millstone township	5,568	5,259	310	5.6
Monmouth Beach borough	1,865	1,822	43	2.3
Neptune City borough	2,745	2,432	313	11.4
Neptune township	14,638	13,172	1,466	10.0
Ocean township	14,697	13,624	1,073	7.3
Oceanport borough	3,007	2,613	394	13.1
Red Bank borough	7,071	6,442	629	8.9
Roosevelt borough	410	377	32	7.9
Rumson borough	3,087	2,948	139	4.5
Sea Bright borough	868	790	78	9.0
Sea Girt borough	838	784	53	6.4
Shrewsbury borough	1,900	1,852	48	2.5
Shrewsbury township	588	540	47	8.0
Spring Lake borough	1,103	1,009	94	8.6
Spring Lake Heights borough	2,320	2,167	153	6.6
Tinton Falls borough	9,152	8,364	787	8.6
Union Beach borough	3,253	2,970	283	8.7
Upper Freehold township	3,218	2,986	232	7.2
Wall township	13,792	12,832	960	7.0
West Long Branch borough	4,299	3,919	380	8.8

Monmouth County Cases of Active Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) Cases who are Not Active Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP) Recipients

Date	TOTAL CASES	IM CHILDREN	IM ADULTS
2016 (2-4-16)	71	104	14
2015 (3-4-15)	92	145	35
2013	116	80	48
2012	144	204	55
2011	132	185	44
2010	176	262	72

Monmouth County Total Cases of Active SNAP – Not Active TANF

Date	TOTAL CASES	FS CHILDREN	FS ADULTS
2016 (2-2-16)	18,152	15,675	17,557
2015 (3-4-15)	18,238	15,336	17,962
2013	16,188	13,777	16,067
2012	15,862	13,731	15,924
2011	13,429	11,618	13,678
2010	12,128	11,603	12,337

Monmouth County Total Cases Of Active SNAP –Active TANF

Date	TOTAL CASES	FS CHILDREN	FS ADULTS	IM CHILDREN	IM ADULTS
2016 (2-4-16)	300	600	302	522	211
2015 (3-4-15)	454	909	461	794	346
2013	602	1,207	615	1,055	513
2012	827	1,684	838	1,455	708
2011	894	1,821	897	1,546	754
2010	941	1,926	945	1,631	790

Source: Monmouth County Division of Social Services

Monmouth County Municipalities with the Highest Total Cases of Active Temporary Assistance To Needy Families (TANF) Cases who are Not Active Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP) Recipients

2015 (as of 3-4-15)

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL CASES	IM CHILDREN	IM ADULTS
<i>1.Asbury Park</i>	13	18	5
<i>2.Neptune Township</i>	9	13	3
<i>3. Keansburg</i>	8	12	6
<i>4. Long Branch</i>	7	13	3
<i>5. Hazlet</i>	6	8	2
MONMOUTH COUNTY	92	145	35

2016 (as of 2-4-16)

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL CASES	IM CHILDREN	IM ADULTS
<i>1. Neptune Twp.</i>	14	22	3
<i>2.Asbury Park</i>	8	9	4
<i>3. Long Branch</i>	5	6	0
<i>4. Aberdeen</i>	4	7	1
<i>5. Howell</i>	4	5	0
MONMOUTH COUNTY	71	104	14

Monmouth County Municipalities with the Highest Total Cases of Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP)– Not Active TANF

2015 (as of 3-4-15)

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL CASES	FS CHILDREN	FS ADULTS
<i>1. Asbury Park</i>	2,383	2,139	2,233
<i>2. Long Branch</i>	2,133	2,490	1,778
<i>3. Neptune Twp.</i>	1,795	1,487	1,853
<i>4. Keansburg</i>	927	782	1,038
<i>5. Freehold Twp.</i>	852	706	750
MONMOUTH COUNTY	18,238	15,336	17,962

2016 (as of 2-2-16)

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL CASES	FS CHILDREN	FS ADULTS
<i>1. Asbury Park</i>	2,346	2,151	2,136
<i>2. Long Branch</i>	2,222	2,620	1,813
<i>3. Neptune Twp.</i>	1,868	1,543	1,932
<i>4. Freehold Boro</i>	937	1,099	645
<i>5. Keansburg</i>	904	773	1,009
MONMOUTH COUNTY	18,152	15,675	17,557

**Monmouth County Municipalities With The
Highest Total Cases Of Active SNAP –Active TANF**

2015 (as of 3-4-15)

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL CASES	FS CHILDREN	FS ADULTS	IM CHILDREN	IM ADULTS
1 Asbury Park	95	191	94	166	71
2 Long Branch	60	140	58	122	47
3 Neptune Twp.	57	98	56	81	38
4 Keansburg	26	52	29	49	20
5 Tinton Falls	25	47	28	42	27
MONMOUTH COUNTY	454	909	461	794	346

2016 (as of 2-4-16)

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL CASES	FS CHILDREN	FS ADULTS	IM CHILDREN	IM ADULTS
1. Asbury Park	63	127	65	109	38
2. Neptune Twp.	39	72	43	66	26
3. Long Branch	36	82	27	76	21
4. Tinton Falls	23	37	25	34	23
5. Keansburg	20	42	20	37	13
MONMOUTH COUNTY	300	600	302	522	211

Monmouth County-Top Municipalities with Highest Reported Incidents of Domestic Violence

MUNICIPALITY	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Keansburg		336	463	651	671	724	712
Neptune Twp.		455	375	551	578	459	488
Long Branch		289	352	385	424	404	366
Howell Twp.		228	320	334	375	342	282
Asbury Park		288	278	316	352	340	379
Middletown Twp.		245	310	311	320	300	269
Freehold Township		194	237	243	284	301	295
Monmouth County		4,027	4,587	5,196	5,506	5,317	5,284

Source: Uniform Crime Report

Monmouth County's Top Municipalities with the Highest Number of Total Admissions to New Jersey Alcohol and Drug Abuse Treatment Programs

MUNICIPALITY	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
Asbury Park		488	539	493	500	489	509
Middletown Twp.		458	526	575	547	474	450
Neptune Twp.		421	455	405	392	414	425
Long Branch City		391	398	377	462	446	356
Keansburg		287	346	381	358	350	336
Howell Twp.		340	402	367	447	376	289
Monmouth County	5,991	6,049	7,161	7,276	7,338	6,748	6,215

In 2015 Monmouth County ranked # 2nd among all 21 counties, with the highest number of admissions of residents to substance abuse treatment programs in New Jersey. Of the 5,991 substance abuse treatment admissions of Monmouth County residents in 2015, the primary drug of abuse at time of admission indicates: 1,536 (25.6%) for alcohol; 721 (12%) for cocaine/crack; 2,908 (48.5%) for heroin & Other Opiate; 552 (9.2%) for marijuana and 1,962 (32.7%) for Other Drugs. In 2015, there were 233 or 3.9% of Monmouth County substance abuse treatment admissions for individuals under the age of 18 and 465 or 7.8% for individuals 18-21.

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In 2013, there were 506 Monmouth County substance abuse treatment admissions for individuals under the age of 18 where the treatment site was in Monmouth County. Of the 7,276 admissions of Monmouth County residents to alcohol and drug treatment programs in 2012, 436 or 6% were under the age of 18 and 965 or 13% were 18 -21 years of age. Of the 7,338 Monmouth County residents admitted to New Jersey Alcohol and Drug Abuse Treatment Programs in 2011, 482 or 7% of the total admissions were youth under 18 years of age.

Sources: New Jersey Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS) - Substance Abuse Treatment Admission Records

Juvenile Justice Commission

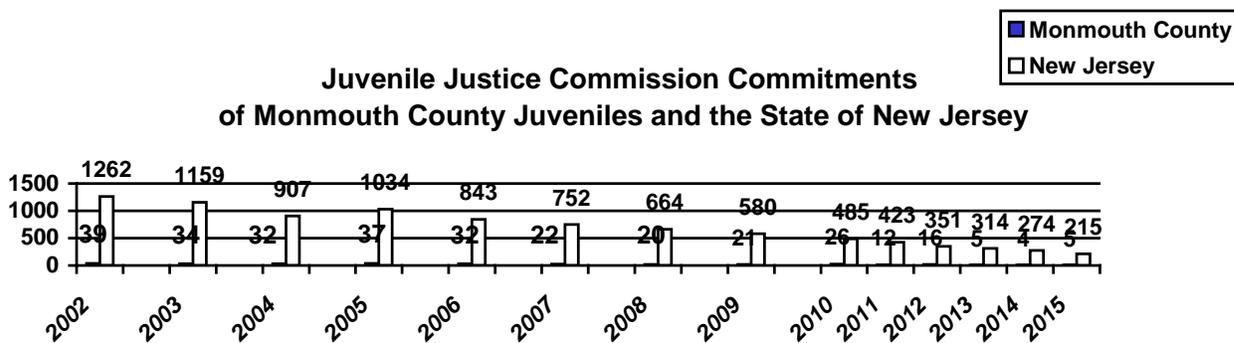
2011-2015 Statistics on Monmouth County Juveniles

Source: NJ Juvenile Justice Commission

	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
	Monmouth County	NJ								
Probationer Intakes-Residential Programs	2	209	1	198	4	155	4	142	4	132
Commitments	12	423	16	351	5	314	4	274	5	215

Probationer Intakes-Residential Programs reflects the number of Probationers newly admitted to JJC residential programs (both JJC operated and JJC contracted programs). New admissions are those resulting from a new disposition order issued by the Family Court.

Commitments include new Commitments, Recommitments from Parole/PI, and Recommitments from Recall.



New Jersey Division of Child Protection and Permanency

2015 Monmouth County DCP&P Referrals	Child Protective Services	Child Welfare Services	Total Referrals
DCP&P District Office North	1,794	528	2,322
DCP&P District Office South	1,452	395	1,847
Monmouth County Total	2,246	923	4,169

On average, Monmouth County has approximately 328 children in placement per month. In 2015, there were 3,246 Monmouth County total case investigations of child abuse and neglect of which 265 or 8% of the investigations were substantiated or established.

2014 Monmouth County DCP&P Referrals	Child Protective Services	Child Welfare Services	Total Referrals
DCP&P District Office North	1,752	527	2,279
DCP&P District Office South	1,610	486	2,096
Monmouth County Total	3,362	1,013	4,375

On average, Monmouth County has approximately 352 children in placement per month. In 2014, there were 3,362 Monmouth County total case investigations of child abuse and neglect of which 352 or 10% of the investigations were substantiated or established.

2013 Monmouth County DCP&P Referrals	Child Protective Services	Child Welfare Services	Total Referrals
DCP&P District Office North	1,946	446	2,392
DCP&P District Office South	1,536	395	1,931
Monmouth County Total	3,482	841	4,323

On average, Monmouth County has approximately 358 children in placement per month. In 2013, there were 3,482 Monmouth County total case investigations of child abuse and neglect of which 419 or 12% of the investigations were substantiated.

Monmouth County 2014 Law Enforcement Survey Results

To what extent do you agree with the following statements:

Your local Juvenile Justice System

	<u>Agree</u>	<u>Disagree</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
a. Improves Public Safety?	17	6	4
b. Promotes rehabilitation?	18	3	5

Comments:

1. One Police Department did not provide a response to these statements.
2. Another qualified their response to whether the local juvenile justice system promotes rehabilitation by indicating “in some cases”.
3. One Police Department circled “Agree” category only, but didn’t reply to question.
4. Another Police Department said that their “local” JV resources are to identify and “prevent” those minimal offenders from the very beginning.

How would you rate your understanding of the following Juvenile Justice System components in Monmouth County?

	<u>Strong Understanding</u>	<u>Limited Understanding</u>	<u>No knowledge</u>
a. Juvenile Court	13	14	
b. Juvenile Prosecution*	9	17	
c. Juvenile Defense*	8	16	1
d. Diversion Options	9	17	1
e. Juvenile Detention	14	13	1
f. Detention Alternatives	2	12	1
g. Juvenile Probation	4	18	5

Comments:

1. One Police Dept. indicated juvenile prosecution and juvenile defense in the middle of strong understanding and limited understanding.
2. One Police Dept. did not rate juvenile defense.
3. One Police Department circled “Limited Understanding” category only, but wasn’t specific regarding a.- g.
4. Another Police Department circled “Strong Understanding” category only, but wasn’t specific regarding a-g.

In your community over the past five years how would you say the following has changed?

	<u>Increased</u>	<u>Decreased</u>	<u>Remained the Same</u>
a. Juvenile Crime	7	5	16
b. Your department's prioritization of resources to respond to juvenile crime	3	4	21
c. Your officers' preparedness to respond to juvenile crime	6	4	18
d. Your community's resources to respond to juvenile crime	4	4	20

Comment- One Police Department circled "Increased" but was not specific regarding questions a. – d.

In lieu of formally charging youth with a juvenile offense, do your officers have the option to divert juveniles through:

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
a. Curbside adjustments (Officer able to review/discuss consequences/impact of their actions with the juvenile)	26	1	
b. Stationhouse adjustments (officers make final decision on sanctions)	27	1	
c. Referral to diversion program operated by police department	9	18	
d. Referral to diversion program operated by others	15	9	3

Comments –

1. One Police Department circled "Yes" category but wasn't specific regarding questions a. - d.
2. One Police Department had n/a for both c. and d.
3. Another Police Department said that for b. it's with supervisor's approval.

Do the resources/options listed below exist in your community for juvenile offenders?

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
a. Community Service	15	11	1

(run by the police or another community agency)

b. Counseling/Mental Health Treatment	16	6	5
c. Drug Treatment and Education	13	8	5
d. Mentoring	7	15	5
e. Restorative Justice/Mediation	9	10	7
f. School Reengagement	9	12	6
g. Vocational Training Work Readiness & Employment Opportunities for Youth	5	16	6
h. Gang prevention	5	18	4

Comments –

1. One Police Department circled “Yes” category only, but wasn’t specific regarding questions a.- h.
2. One Police Dept. said for b. and c. they refer them to Dr. Ponton, Ocean Township by agreement.
3. For f. they have no local school.
4. Another Police Dept. said from question a. – h. does not apply –college campus.

How effective are the resources listed below at reducing recidivism?

	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Not Effective</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
a. Community Service	17	5	6
b. Counseling/Mental Health Treatment	16	1	4
c. Drug Treatment and Education	15	3	10
d. Mentoring	11	4	12
	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Not Effective</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
e. Restorative Justice/Mediation	6	5	16

f. School Reengagement	10	2	15
g. Vocational Training Work Readiness & Employment Opportunities for Youth	10	3	14
h. Gang Prevention	8	4	15

Comments –

1. One Police Dept. stated that DNA was effective regarding # a. – h.
2. Another Police Department circled “Effective” but wasn’t specific regarding questions a. - h.
3. Another Police Department had n/a for questions d. - h.
4. One P.D. said for b. and c. not widely used in Allenhurst; for h. they have very few gang problems locally.

Do you feel that these resources are readily available and adequately meet the Needs of your community?

<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
14	9	5

Comments-

1. One Police Department didn’t answer the above question.
2. Another Police Dept. said the services they have easy access to.

Does your department/agency have a juvenile unit whose sole responsibility is dedicated to handling juvenile offenses?

<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
11	17

Comment-

1. One N/A
2. One P.D. said several patrolmen/detectives trained in handling JV matters.
3. Another Police Dept. said their detectives handle it.

Does your department/agency have School Resource Officers (SROs)?

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>In Some Schools</u>
a. In the High School(s)	4	22	
b. In the Middle School(s)	4	22	

Comment-

1. One Police Department said they had one SRO but lost due to manpower.
2. Another Police Department circled “No” category only, but wasn’t specific from a.- b.
3. One Police department did not answer a.

4. No Allenhurst schools

5. One P.D. stated "we have no schools".

6. Another Police Dept. said in the Middle School there is an SRO but not all the time.

What do you feel is your biggest challenge to your agency/community handling juvenile delinquency?

- Knowing everything that is out there to divert JV's from doing crimes.
- The only Juvenile Officer in Eatontown and it is difficult to follow-up with JV Offenders due to the amount of JV's who are arrested for shoplifting at the Monmouth Mall.
- Not having a dedicated full time juvenile officer/SRO available to quickly follow-up on JV issues and to provide education and resources in the schools and community.
- Parental interference
- Getting the parents to come in for a meeting to hand-out the Station House adjustment requirements.
- Parents inability to accept that their child has done wrong.
- Consumption of time for patrol officers to spend on cases that will have small consequences.
- Our Agency doesn't have any real issues per say. As a mostly seasonal community our issues come in the summer months is when we come into contact with JV's from out of county. It's difficult to track and conduct SHA. As we have discussed in the past.
- Trying to reestablish positive juvenile contact. We stopped DARE and SRO's as a result of low man power. The only time we deal with JV's is on calls.
- The biggest challenge in our community has been drug issues.
- Man Power
- Cooperation of parents
- Dealing with parents
- I feel the court and process is way too lenient when it comes to JV's.
- Lack of programs and resources available in our community.
- We do not have an officer assigned full time in the school system. Juvenile delinquency (could be curtailed) and drug prevention issues could be handled by the officer in a classroom setting or school environment.
- Parents defending their children or minimizing the issue.
- Breaking down the barriers between law enforcement and youth. Officers need to become more well-rounded in community policing and actually interact with the youth.
- Parents thinking kids have not done anything wrong.
- Amount of time that occurs between date of incident and date of "punishment".
- The limitation of Departmental resources available to assign to Juvenile Crime/delinquency/prevention.
- Drugs and computer crimes
- Having Resources available

- The parents
- Our manpower issues.
- Lack of Universal Data Box for Stationhouse adjustments. Time spent calling other agencies to see if they have had dealings.
- The lack of in town community service.

Comment –

1. One Police Department said there was very limited interaction with juveniles in their school community.

What resources do you feel should be developed in Monmouth County to prevent and reduce juvenile delinquency and juvenile crime?

- Countywide community service/mentoring programs that is known to the JV's as well as JV officers from each dept.
- One Officer believes a centralized community service program and a “scared straight” program at the Monmouth County Jail would be beneficial.
- Help make resources/money available for SRO's. Make SRO's mandatory in larger school districts.
- Harder penalties for JCC, parenting education too.
- Media campaign to suspend/delay driving privileges for 1st/2nd offense.
- A zero tolerance approach to drugs-specifically marijuana- possibly a drug court type resource for JV offenders.
- The resources work fine for us. I would say possibly restructuring SHA.
- Having mandatory counseling as part of JCC. Most of the kids we see here, we deal with as adults.
- The penalties against juveniles need to be enhanced with harsher penalties.
- Better parenting
- Stricter penalties, Monmouth County is too easy on JV's.
- Limited resources available for crime prevention and drug abuse
- Implement a County-wide community service program. Also gang awareness education program in our school. Additionally continue grants for drug education programs through the Municipal Drug Alliances.
- More funding to law enforcement to combat the rise of specific drugs like heroine and other habit-forming drugs. (I know this probably does not answer the question. Nothing else comes to mind at this time).
- Reopen the Monmouth County Youth Detention Center.
- Being a School Resource Officer, I believe a wilderness camp should be developed for problem youth. I've had several students who were going down the wrong path and were sent to one of these programs in Utah. It was amazing when they returned! No more problems and attitude and behavior issues.
- Working with groups like Prevention First.
- Better identification and follow-up of first-time offenders – more supervised probation of JV offenders who are classified or addressed, as more likely to re-offend.

- Resources that are available should be more known to parents/guardians. Increased education available to parents/guardians about computer crimes or just overall awareness.
- More community programs that involve active parent participation.
- Not sure
- A stricter punishment and a more immediate punishment.
- A universal community service program easily accessible to all departments.

Comment –

1. The biggest complaint this police department hears from his JV guys is that too much time goes between the date of the incident and the date when the subject has to formally address his/her delinquency.

Participating Police Departments

Aberdeen	Keyport
Allenhurst	Lake Como
Atlantic Highlands	Little Silver
Avon	Manalapan
Bradley Beach	Matawan
Brookdale College	Monmouth University
Colts Neck	Oceanport
Deal	Rumson
Eatontown	Sea Bright
Fair Haven	Sea Girt
Freehold Boro	Spring Lake
Freehold Twp.	Tinton Falls
Hazlet	Wall Twp.
Holmdel	West Long Branch
Howell	

Exit Interview of Youth Detained

Date of Interview: Initials of Youth: Gender: Race/Ethnicity:
Age: Town of Residence: Length of Stay in Detention:

1. What information did you receive during intake/ orientation to the facility?
2. Was there an opportunity to ask questions about anything that was unclear?
3. Who would you go to on staff with problems/concerns, etc?
4. Did you receive medical and mental health services and did you know how to access those services, if needed? Was medication received when prescribed?
5. Did you have access to calling your attorney if requested?
6. How would you rate the schoolwork? ___ On Level ___ Too Easy, ___ Too Hard
7. What opportunities were there for recreation and exercise and how often did they go outside?
8. Did you feel safe in the facility?

If the response is “No” - Ask for a situation or example when they did not feel safe. Were the issues related to staff or other youth at the facility? How would they handle the situation differently?

When you were transported between the Detention Center and the Court House did you feel safe?

9. Were there any problems with the food service (quality, quantity, menu variety)? How would they improve the food?
10. What contact and involvement (if any) did you have with your family while at the facility (i.e. visits, phone calls, mail)? Was the family contact and involvement that you had while at the facility adequate, not enough or too much? What changes would you suggest?
11. Did you earn the ability to participate in the Honor’s Program?

If yes, what did you like about the Honor’s Program and do you have any suggestions to improve it?

MONMOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL ON JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT

Most notably, juvenile justice stakeholders identified recurring themes on topics such as the philosophy of restorative justice, collaboration, mental health, substance abuse, zero tolerance policies, and meaningful family engagement

Youth Services Planning Survey Results Summary from March 11, 2015 “Kids for Cash” Screening.

Monmouth County’s “Kids for Cash” Screening was a successful event in that it brought together a variety of juvenile justice stakeholders within Monmouth County and as a result, collective feedback was gathered. As far as any direct comparisons between Luzerne County, PA and Monmouth County, consensus was, overwhelmingly, that the circumventing of juvenile’s rights through waivers is not an issue due to policy/practice that public defenders and private attorneys are present at all hearings. However, stakeholders found some aspects of the film to be reflective, in general, of issues effecting local juvenile justice system improvement.

Philosophy of Restorative Justice and Collaboration

Many attendees voiced that the juvenile justice system should be an expeditious, restorative system which advocates on behalf of kids’ needs. The survey results revealed a common interest in keeping low risk / low need kids out of system. Further, it was viewed that once a youth becomes court-involved, it is difficult to get them out of the system. Complimentary to the philosophy of restorative justice is the strategy of collaboration; viewed as a key component to making the system run more efficiently. Stakeholders noted the current collaboration taking place in Monmouth County as positive, but would like to see more partnership between staff and stakeholders on all levels of the juvenile justice system.

Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and the Juvenile Justice System

The theme of Mental Health and Substance Abuse was one of the most reiterated topics in the survey results. It is surmised that there is not enough resources and/or that it is very difficult to access mental health treatment, like counseling within the county. Participants shared that the time it takes for children, in need of services to receive them is “lengthy”. Increasing the pathways for the community to access mental health and substance abuse resources seems in need; along with publicly messaging how parents can independently connect their children to treatment services without the courts acting as the conduit.

Zero Tolerance Policies and Schools

Zero-tolerance policies are largely viewed as ineffective due to what appears to be a reliance on law enforcement within schools to respond to minor juvenile delinquency behaviors. It seems schools rely too heavily on zero-tolerance policies, the police, and probation as opposed to handling many of the incidents/issues at the school level. Schools are also seen as a missing partner and collaboration between Juvenile Justice Stakeholders and the Monmouth County School System should increase.

Meaningful Family Engagement

Stakeholders would like to see the momentum of current Family Engagement efforts in Monmouth County continue to move forward. It was expressed that families are “trusting” that the system can address their child’s needs, but are not always made a part of the “team” that is working with the child. It was also suggested that there could be more education for families about the resources available in the community and more education for police about court diversions and accessing FCIU.

Inventory of Resources for Monmouth County Youth

Listing of 2016 Youth Services Contracts and Programs



Compiled by the Monmouth County Office of Youth Services Planning

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- Please note that this Inventory is subject to change

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Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development

732-683-8850

The Board of Chosen Freeholders authorized the award of various competitive contracts for workforce innovations and opportunity act funded youth services, administered by the Division of Workforce Development for the period 10/1/15-9/30/16, with two one year renewal options.

In School Youth TOTAL \$173,096

Out of School Youth TOTAL \$626,929

Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development

2015 - 2016 Youth Programs

In-School Programs

Program	LOS	Contract Total	Contact Information	Address	Description
Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County	5	\$17,545	Christy Crank 732-530-0065 RB 732-775-7862 AP	1201 Monroe Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	work experience / job readiness skills
Freehold Regional School District	12	\$45,000	Helen Ihde 732-431-8460 x3016	281 Elton-Adelphia Road Freehold, NJ 07728	special needs, work experience/job readiness skills
Keansburg School District	12	\$31,800	Heidi Wiczczak 732-787-2007	100 Palmer Place Keansburg, NJ 07734	work experience/job readiness skills
Long Branch School District	12	\$53,436	Bridgett Burtt 732-571-2868	540 Broadway Long Branch, 07740	work experience/job readiness skills
The Rugby School	5	\$25,315	Terry Janeczak 732-681-6900 x107	1403 Belmar Blvd Wall NJ 07719	special needs, work experience/job readiness skills

Out of School Programs

Program	LOS	Contract Total	Contact Information	Address	Description
Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County	9	\$32,962	Christy Crank 732-530-0065 RB 732-775-7862 AP	1201 Monroe Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	work experience/ job readiness skills
Brookdale Community College	50	\$299,717	Tracy McCarthy 732-229-8440 Karen O'Neill 732-739-6010	213 Broadway, Long Branch, NJ & 1 Crown Plaza Hazlet, NJ	GED Prep/training, job assistance
Community Affairs & Resource Center	10	\$75,200	Beatriz Oesterheld Keiron Munroe 732-774-3282	913 Sewall Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	work experience/ job readiness skills
Interfaith Neighbors	15	\$88,200	Heather Schulze 732-775-0525	801 Fourth Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712	work experience/ job readiness skills
Waters and Sims	24	\$130,850	Rashida Cruz 732-747-5544	135 Monmouth St 1st floor, Red Bank, NJ 07701	hospitality training/ job readiness skills

Please note that Monmouth County Youth Corps is not under the Monmouth County Division of Workforce Development but is listed here as a related program for youth.

NJ Department of Labor and Workforce Development Monmouth County Youth Corps operated by Interfaith Neighbors

(732) 775-1035 ext. 215

Youth Corp serves high school dropouts who are 16 to 25 years of age and provides education development in basic skills and preparation to obtain a GED, community service projects, employability and life skills instruction and personal and career counseling. Youth Corp sites in New Jersey strive to teach the participants good work habits to help youth enter the workforce. There is a counselor on site and a transition coach to help connect youth to various career paths. There is a two week orientation to the program and that approximately 15 to 20 youth go through the orientation at the same time. The average length of stay in the program is 4 to 6 months; however it can be longer. There is 150 hours of academic and community service completed. There is a 120 day follow up to the program. Corp members receive a stipend while enrolled in Youth Corps.

**Monmouth County Human Services Department
Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives**

(732) 866-3688

[Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives](#) operates a Home Detention/Electronic Monitoring Program that serves juveniles referred by the Monmouth Vicinage, Family Division Judiciary. The County of Monmouth funds the Home Detention Program. The Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives oversees all youth placed in the continuum of detention alternatives (as listed below). They ensure that the youth appears in court, as well as address program non compliance. The Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives is the primary contact for the program directors to notify in the event of non-compliance and/or problems with the youth.

[House Arrest](#) is a detention alternative utilized at the Judge's discretion. It allows a juvenile to be released from the detention center to a parent or guardian under specific restrictions. It also offers an option to the Judge when a juvenile appears before him on a serious charge, who is not retained, to allow the juvenile to remain at home without posing a threat to the community. The juvenile is not allowed to leave the home without a parent or guardian except to attend school or work. The local Police Department is notified of the juvenile's specific House Arrest conditions. The juvenile and his/her family are informed any violation of the House Arrest conditions will result in the juvenile's arrest and possible return to the Youth Detention Center.

➤ [House Arrest A:](#)

Supervision is primarily the responsibility of the youth's parent/caregiver. Youth may leave the house to go to school, work, and all other approved activities with the company of a parent/caregiver. Detention Alternative staff shall conduct bi-weekly face to face contacts and weekly phone contacts. There is not a program capacity in terms of the number of youth served. The expected average LOS on House Arrest A is 45-60 days.

➤ [House Arrest B:](#)

House Arrest A plus daily random phone contacts and weekly face to face contacts conducted by Detention Alternative staff. Additional phone and face to face contacts may be ordered by the court. Up to 4 random calls per day -If youth is compliant, phone calls may be reduced over time. The total number of youth to be served at a given time is 10. The expected average LOS on House Arrest B is 45 – 60 days.

Home Detention Program (HDP) is a detention alternative program utilized at the Judge's discretion. It affords the juvenile to be released from the detention center, under the supervision of the Home Detention Program Officer, to return home on an electronic monitor. The juvenile is monitored 24 hours a day through an electronic monitoring bracelet. The juvenile is given "windows" of time which are pre-documented as specific timeframes he/she will be out of the home to attend school, organized sports, church etc.. The juvenile must be in their home at all other times. Special requests may be made to the HDP Officer for additional windows for family related functions. These additional timeframes are at the discretion of the HDP Officer. The juvenile's behavior, attitude and level of supervision while exercising the "window" will all be deciding factors. A violation of the Home Detention Program could result in the immediate return of the juvenile to the detention center based on the severity of the violation.

Electronic Monitoring (EM) Expansion –GPS/Wireless EM

The goal of the Electronic Monitoring (EM) Expansion program is to provide electronic supervision that allows juveniles to remain in the community as opposed to being incarcerated in the youth detention center. Members of the Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives rotate after hours on call to provide 24 hour a day 7 day per week coverage to respond to municipal police departments to install GPS/Wireless ankle units for juveniles deemed eligible by the court in lieu of secure detention. The Family Court Intake Officer utilizes the Risk Screening Tool to determine eligibility. Initially the youth is placed on a GPS unit and is required to attend a court hearing on the next business day, which at that time will have a wireless cellular ankle unit installed for electronic monitoring for approximately 3-5 days pending screening for placement on the traditional landline Home Detention EM program.

Community Outreach

The goal of community outreach is to increase the juvenile's rate of success on the detention alternative programs. Community outreach addresses the challenges and barriers that hinder a youth's ability to be compliant while on an alternative often resulting in a negative program discharge. Community outreach includes initiating face-to-face contacts and phone contacts, connecting families to community resources, troubleshooting any issues that arise with a youth and/or family while on a detention alternative, and regularly communicating with existing detention alternative and Family Court staff.

Inter-Agency Coordination Committee (IACC)

IACC is a multi-disciplinary team consisting of mental health professionals, educators, substance abuse professionals, Family Court personnel, Office of the Public Defender, Office of the Prosecutor, JJC Court Liaison, JJC Parole representative, Division of Child Protection and Permanency, Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives representatives and community agency staff established for the purpose of ensuring that the Court receive multi-coordinated input in the course of developing dispositional options for juvenile offenders. IACC reviews all

youth placed in the Youth Detention Center, who are at risk of placement, and juveniles on detention alternative status.

Youth Shelter Services

The Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders through a shared services agreement with Middlesex County funds and operates youth shelter services for Monmouth County youth. The Department of Human Services, Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives is the agency responsible for administering and monitoring shelter services provided for Monmouth County youth including but not limited to admission requirements, transportation and case management. Admissions for shelter care are approved by the Family Court Judge and through Family Court Intake. There are 2 male beds and 1 female bed reserved for Monmouth County youth. The purpose of the Middlesex shelter is to provide a safe and caring residential setting for male and female adolescents, thirteen to seventeen years of age. Youth with delinquency charges and/or youth in crisis can be placed in the shelter only upon direct authority of the Family Court.

The Middlesex County Youth Shelter is a non-secure facility used for the temporary out of home placement of juveniles by the Family Court, the Family Crisis Intervention Unit or the New Jersey Division of Child Protection and Permanency. Its residents include minor delinquent offenders, juveniles placed as a result of dysfunctional home environments, juveniles placed due to a family crisis, and juveniles placed due to victimization from abuse or neglect.

The Middlesex County Youth Shelter has been serving troubled adolescents and their families from Middlesex County for 25 years. Originally operated as a JINS shelter in New Brunswick, the facility moved to its present location on Route 130 in North Brunswick in 1985. It was expanded to a 24-bed Juvenile/Family Crisis Shelter at that time. The Shelter is operated by the Middlesex County Board of Freeholders and is administered by the Middlesex County Department of Youth Services. The Shelter is a direct supervision, non-secure facility that houses male and female youths through referrals from the Family Court, the Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU) and the New Jersey Division of Child Protection and Permanency. The role of the Shelter is to provide a safe, structured environment that allows the child to prepare for and accept placement plans including family reunification, group home placement, residential and foster care placement or substance abuse treatment. The Middlesex County Youth Shelter telephone number is 732-297-8991 ext. 6260.

**Monmouth County Human Services Department
Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services**

OFFICE OF ADDICTION SERVICES

(732) 431-6451

The Monmouth County Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services: Office of Addiction Services' goal is to reduce the incidence, prevalence and impact of alcohol(ism) and drug abuse in Monmouth County through:

- Planning for and purchasing of treatment and prevention services
- Monitoring expenditures and programmatic services
- Providing information and referral services
- Operating the County's Intoxicated Driver Resource Center
- Coordinating Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse

The Office of Addictions 2016 Budget is \$2,273,133.17 of which \$2,114,516.84 (93%) is allocated to sub-contracts for services and \$158,616.33 (7%) for administrative costs. The total Budget comes from three funding sources:

- Monmouth County Budget \$ 542,439.00
- N.J. Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse \$ 739,035.00
- State Department of Human Services \$ 991,659.17

Funding provided specifically for youth services through MCDMHAS in 2016 is as follows: *Please note that 2016 is a 10 month contract.*

Community YMCA Family Services: \$86,418.33 total for Intensive Outpatient (ASAM II.1) providing 2,174.1 direct service hours @ \$50 per hour via DHS-DAS Grant. Contact: Colleen Verriest 732-290-9040

New Hope Foundation: \$43,333.33 total for Short Term Rehabilitation (ASAM III.7) providing 385 bed days @ \$135.00 per diem via DHS-DAS Grant. Contact: Anthony Comerford 732-946-3030

Prevention First: \$47,500.00 total for selective prevention services (Second Step for Red Bank youth) providing 960.1 service hours @ \$59.37 per hour via DHS-DAS. Contact: Shannon Murphy-Bastidas-732-663-1800

Prevention First: \$41,667.67 total for 147 sessions of Strengthening Families SAMHSA Model program for Monmouth County families. Cost per session \$340.17, which includes three groups, child care and dinner per session. Contact: Shannon Murphy-Bastidas- 732-663-1800

CPC Behavioral Healthcare-Project Insight: \$43,333.33 total for Assessment and Early Intervention services (ASAM 0.5) providing 1,000 hours @ \$52.00 per hour via DHS-DAS Grant. Contact: Vera Sansone 732-780-7387.

Ocean Township Community Services: \$58,333.33 total for Outpatient (ASAM I) with an estimated 50%= \$43,232 for youth providing 1080.8 total service hours for youth @ \$40.00 average per hour via combined Monmouth County Budget funds and DHS-DAS grant funds. DHS-DAS provides \$75,000 for Intensive Outpatient (ASAM II.1) for youth who may also have co-occurring disorders, providing 2,201.4 total service hours @ \$34.07 per hour. Contact: 732-531

Epiphany House: \$29,874.17 total for Halfway House services (ASAM III.1) for women and their children providing 592.3 bed days @ \$60.50 per diem via combined DHS-DAS and Monmouth County Budget funds. An estimated 50% = \$17,925 for children of substance abusers.

Monmouth County Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse: \$739,035 total to 16 Alliances including 22 municipalities. At least 58.2%= \$430,118.37 of the funds support youth prevention education activities.

Municipal Alliances to Prevent Alcoholism and Drug Abuse

NAME OF COUNTY: Monmouth **GRANT YEAR:** July 1, 2016-
June 30, 2017

OF ALLIANCES FUNDED: 16

OF MUNICIPALITIES IN COUNTY: 53

OF MUNICIPALITIES PARTICIPATING: 22

Name of Municipality	Amount of Funding	25% Cash Match	75% In-Kind Match
Bradley Beach	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$15,000.00
Colts Neck	\$ 22,150.00	\$ 5,537.50	\$16,612.50
Eatontown	\$ 26,186.00	\$ 6,546.50	\$19,639.50
Freehold Twp & Freehold Boro	\$ 41,010.00	\$ 10,252.50	\$30,757.50
Hazlet	\$ 50,840.00	\$ 12,710.00	\$38,130.00
Highlands & Atlantic Highlands	\$ 31,960.00	\$ 7,990.00	\$23,970.00
Holmdel	\$ 43,760.00	\$ 10,940.00	\$32,820.00
Howell	\$ 45,310.00	\$ 11,327.50	\$33,982.50
Keyport	\$ 32,598.00	\$ 8,149.50	\$24,448.50
Manasquan (Brielle, SLH, Sea Girt)	\$ 49,072.00	\$ 12,268.00	\$36,804.00
Marlboro	\$ 53,578.00	\$ 13,394.50	\$40,183.50
Middletown	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$22,500.00
Millstone	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$15,000.00
Neptune Twp	\$ 63,915.00	\$ 15,978.75	\$47,936.25
Upper Freehold & Allentown	\$ 39,949.00	\$ 9,987.25	\$29,961.75
Wall	\$ 57,852.00	\$ 14,463.00	\$43,389.00
SUB-TOTAL	\$ 628,180.00	\$157,044.75	\$471,135.25
County Coordination	\$ 102,055.00		
Countywide Activities	\$ 8,800.00		
TOTAL	\$ 739,035.00	\$157,044.75	\$471,135.25

**Monmouth County Human Services Department
Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services**

OFFICE OF MENTAL HEALTH

(732) 431-7200

The following information is based upon 2016 grant agreements and service commitments. In 2016, the total Monmouth County Office of Mental Health Estimated Child Funding is \$349,198. This represents approximately 30.9% of the Monmouth County Division of Mental Health Services total budget of \$1,128,603.

Catholic Charities – Family Growth Program

Total Estimated Child Funding -\$ 63,496.00
Children Served-200
Number of Contacts-2,422
Contact Person: Jane Meyer
Tel: 732-758-0094

Community Health Law Project - Legal Advocacy

Total Estimated Child Funding- \$3,513.00
Children Served- 10
Number of Contacts- 303
Contact Person: Erika Kerber
Tel: 732-380-1012

Community YMCA Family Services – Outpatient Services

Total Estimated Child Funding -\$2,424.00
Children Served- 38
Number of Contacts- 787
Contact Person: Colleen Verriest
Tel: 732-544-4544 X 33

CPC Behavioral Healthcare, Inc. – Outpatient Services

Total Estimated Child Funding -\$65,392.00
Children Served- 1,486
Number of Contacts- 10,174
Contact Person: Vera Sansone
Tel: 732 842-2000 X 4203

Jersey Shore University Medical Center- Outpatient Services

Total Estimated Child Funding \$28,248.00
Children Served- 670
Number of Contacts- 5,780
Contact Person: Dr. Grace Hickey
Tel: 732-643-4351

**Monmouth Medical Center
Child & Family Crisis and Outpatient Services**

Total Estimated Child Funding \$160,149.00
Children Served- 1,595
Number of Contacts- 12,237
Contact Person: Jorge Cagide
Tel: 732-923-6706

**Riverview Medical Center
Outpatient Department**

Total Estimated Child Funding \$25,976.00
Children Served- 672
Number of Contacts- 5,891
Contact Person: Lynn Stefanowicz
Tel: 732-345-3431

Additional Descriptions for Children's Mental Health Resources

Monmouth Medical Center -Psychiatric Emergency Screening Services

Phone: 732-923-6999 (Monmouth Medical)
Children, adolescents and adults can be brought directly to the ER at Monmouth Medical Center or taken to another hospital ER for psychiatric screening. Monmouth Medical Center has 2 child and family crisis clinicians who can provide emergency assessment on-site and off-site (until 9 P.M.) for families residing in Monmouth County.

The **CCIS (Children's Crisis Intervention Service)** at Monmouth Medical Center is a 19- bed inpatient psychiatric unit for children and adolescents residing in Monmouth & Ocean counties. The goal of the program is to stabilize the patient within a short period of time and to prepare the patient for continued treatment in the community.

Disaster/Critical Incident Response Team

Contact: Monmouth County Screening Center
Phone: 732-923-6999
(Or) Monmouth County Division of Mental Health
Phone: 732-431-7200

The team responds to children and families when a critical incident or traumatic event has occurred. Responder provides Critical Incident Stress Debriefing and Psychological First Aid services to individuals and/or groups, as members of the county response teams. (8:30 a.m. to 5 P.M. Monday-Friday)

NJ Division of Mental Health Services & the University of Medicine & Dentistry of NJ Traumatic Loss Coalition of Monmouth County

Contact Person: Heather Soto
Phone: 732-956-7782

Phone: 732-431-7200

Addresses traumatic loss events occurring in schools and their respective communities, by providing crisis counselors after an event and engaging in prevention activities to build resilient youth

**CentraState Healthcare System
Youth Emergency Assessment Services**

Phone: 732-294-2804 Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Provides a comprehensive evaluation of youth, experiencing severe emotional and social difficulties referred by schools

Children's Interagency Coordinating Councils

Children's Interagency Coordinating Councils (CIACCs) are entities that foster cross-system service planning for children with behavioral health problems. CIACCs serve as the mechanism to develop and maintain a responsive, accessible and integrated system of care for children with special social and emotional needs and their families, through the involvement of parents, consumers, youth and child serving agencies as partners.

**Monmouth County Human Services Department
Division of Planning & Contracting**

**Contract Administration
(732) 431-6585**

Community Affairs & Resource Center

Contact Person: Beatriz Oesterheld

Phone: 732-774-3282

Funds: \$44,500.00 County of Monmouth; other costs underwritten in agency budget.

Education Liaison Services will provide direct services to parents and children from elementary to high school level including assistance with translations, advocacy, completion of forms, telephone conferences and meetings with educators, etc. ANNUAL LOS: 50 students (unduplicated)

Child Care Resources of Monmouth County

Monmouth County Targeted Populations

Contact Person: Kim Perrelli

Phone: 732-918-9901

Funds: \$147,500.00 County of Monmouth

Child Care Resources provides funds for children from families experiencing medical problems, social problems or adverse living conditions. Special childcare arrangements are made to help ameliorate the situation and/or prevent the placement of the child outside the home. ANNUAL LOS: 1,045 weeks of childcare.

**Big Brothers/Big Sisters
Mentoring Program**

Contact Person: William Salcedo

Phone: 732-544-2224

Funds: \$50,000.00 County of Monmouth

Provides intensive, preventative mentoring service to children primarily from single parent homes that are beginning to show signs of pre-delinquent and/or emotional problems ANNUAL LOS: 300 Big Brother/Sister matches.

**Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County
Recreation / After-School Program**

Contact Person: Douglas Eagles

Phone: 732-775-7862

Funds: \$13,065.00 County of Monmouth

Youth programming to promote self-esteem, character and leadership development, education and career development, health and life skills, sports and arts, fitness and recreation. ANNUAL LOS- 1,275 youth served.

**Family Resource Associates
Tech Connection Program**

Contact Person: Nancy Phalanukorn

Phone: 732-747-5310

Funds: \$13,000.00 County of Monmouth

The Tech Connection provides individuals with special needs access to tools, software and devices to make it easier for them to use the computer to enhance learning, working, communication and recreation.

ANNUAL LOS -Tech Connection 12,275 client contacts

**Visiting Nurses Association of Central New Jersey
Special Child Health Services**

Contact Person: Mary Remhoff

Phone: 732-224-6887

Funds: \$54,765.00 County of Monmouth

Program provides service coordination from birth through 3 year old population of Monmouth County who have developmental disabilities or who are medically fragile.

ANNUAL LOS - 900 contacts

LADACIN Network - Early Intervention Services

Contact Person: Marianne Forman

Phone: 732-493-5900

Funds: \$25,000.00 County of Monmouth

The Early Intervention Program provides services to children birth through age 3 that have developmental disabilities. Social work services, occupational therapy, speech therapy and physical therapy are provided in the home. Neurology,

dysphagia, physiatry, nutrition and orthopedic clinics are provided at Shroth Center if necessary. LOS 40,820

SEARCH Day Program

Contact Person: Katherine Solana

Phone: 732-531-0454

Funds: \$13,000 County of Monmouth

The Saturday Recreation/Respite program provides intensive, specialized behavioral and recreational supports to children with autism and much needed respite support to their families. ANNUAL LOS: 14 clients

**Monmouth County Human Services Department
Division of Planning and Contracts**

Human Services Advisory Council

(732) 683-2102

Social Service for the Homeless Contracts

The HSAC administers seven Social Services for the Homeless contracts for the time frame 7/1/15 through 6/30/16. Five of those serve homeless families or families who are at risk of homelessness, including children. Homeless prevention services include payment of rent, mortgage or utility arrears, and can include payment of a security deposit or first month's rent. Emergency housing can be placement in a shelter facility or motel.

Community Affairs & Resource Center - \$97,203 SSH State* and \$44,888 SSH TANF totaling \$142,091

Beatriz Oesterheld- 732-774-3282

Community Affairs & Resource Center has funding for homeless families and homeless prevention for those at risk.

Affordable Housing Alliance - \$10,000 SSH*

Peter Boynton - 732-414-7306

Affordable Housing Alliance has funding for emergency shelter for individuals who need placement after regular business hours or on weekends in cases where these individuals fail the test to gain entrance to the Adult Shelter.

Family Promise of Monmouth County - \$69,875 SSH State and \$18,920 SSH TANF totaling \$88,795

Tracy Boyer - 732-495-1050

Family Promise of Monmouth County provides shelter and support services to homeless families through a network of churches and their congregations.

180 Turning Lives Around - \$51,000 SSH State and \$9,000 SSH TANF totaling \$60,000

Anna Diaz-White - 732-264-4360 x 4210

180 TLA operates the Monmouth County Domestic Violence Shelter. SSH money provides payment for emergency shelter for women with children who are not eligible for TANF.

Interfaith Neighbors - \$277,692 SSH State* and \$86,064 SSH TANF totaling \$363,756

Maura Comer - 732-775-0525, ext. 205

Interfaith Neighbors has a short-term housing subsidy program which helps to prevent homelessness for families with children.

Navicore Solutions - \$89,775 SSH State* and \$29,925 SSH TANF totaling \$119,700

Kim Cole - 732-409-6281 ext. 80455

Navicore provides homeless prevention services for families at risk of homelessness.

The Center in Asbury Park - \$60,000 SSH *

George Lowe – 732-774-3416, ext. 17

The Center in Asbury Park provides homeless prevention services and emergency shelter services to individuals who are living with HIV/AIDS and are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

Agencies marked with an asterisk (*) also provide services to single individuals and couples without children. The amount listed represents the approximate portion of their grant, which is spent on families with children.

**Monmouth County Human Services Department
Division of Planning and Contracts**

Office of Youth Services Planning

(732) 866- 3585

Prevention First, Inc.-Life Skills Training \$120,000.00

Liza DeJesus, Director of Youth Services / 732-663-1800 Ext. 218

To provide the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) model program entitled, "Life Skills Training" to a combined total of 1,166 elementary age children from Asbury Park, Keansburg, Long Branch and Neptune Township. To implement Life Skills Training, as an eight session classroom program, reaching each 4th grade student in each of the four school districts. Twenty (20) youth ages 8-10 will attend one of two summer groups, in two (2) of the four (4) selected communities and will participate in a ten (10) hour summer Life Skills Training small group. A total of sixty (60) parents/guardians will attend one of eight (8) parent forums that will increase awareness of violence and delinquency prevention issues in their community and the resources available. Approximately sixty-two (62) 4th grade teachers, counseling staff and administrators in Asbury Park, Keansburg, Long Branch and Neptune Township, will attend an in-service or grade-level meeting to increase their knowledge of the Life Skills Training (LST) program.

**Big Brothers Big Sisters of Monmouth and Middlesex Counties-
Community & School Based Mentoring Program** \$18,000.00

William Salcedo- Executive Director / 732-444-3540

To offer a community and school based mentoring program that includes after-school and summer program activities, quality programming and supervision for pre-teens, ages 9-12. Skill development for pre-teens in the area of conflict resolution, problem solving, life skills training, anger management, gang prevention, bullying prevention, self esteem building, empathy and communication will be integrated into the community and school based mentoring program. The program will promote Positive Youth Development. Thirty-six (36) unduplicated Monmouth County pre-teens ages 9-12 will participate in the community and school based mentoring program by December 31, 2016. Each pre-teen matched with an adult volunteer will receive a minimum of 100 direct service hours.

Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County –Phoenix Gang Prevention

\$12,000.00

Douglas Eagles, Executive Director / 732-775-7862

To provide secondary delinquency prevention services using the Phoenix Gang Prevention curriculum in the after-school and summer program, for thirty (30) Monmouth County pre-teens ages 9-12. Thirty (30) unduplicated Monmouth

County pre-teens ages 9-12 will participate in the afterschool and summer program at the Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County and receive 50 hours of the Phoenix Gang Prevention Curriculum by December 31, 2016.

Prevention First, Inc. - After School and Summer Delinquency Prevention

\$30,000.00

Liza DeJesus, Director of Youth Services / 732-663-1800 Ext. 218

To provide a secondary delinquency prevention after-school and summer program that utilizes the following evidence based and/or best practice programs in the after-school and summer program: Life Skills Training, Safe Dates, We're Not Buying It, and Keys to Innervisions. To serve a minimum of 40 referred youth (20 from Asbury Park Middle School and 20 from Neptune Township Middle School). The after school program is to include four (4) 15 session cycles – two in each district with 10 unduplicated youth each and two (2) five (5) session summer cycles – one in each district with 10 youth each, To provide a minimum of 502 hours of service (127 direct and 375 indirect) by December 31, 2016.

Prevention First, Inc. - Keys to Innervisions (KIV)

\$ 55,000.00

Liza DeJesus, Director of Youth Services / 732-663-1800 Ext. 218

To utilize the researched based curricula, Keys to Innervisions (KIV), as a countywide, Stationhouse Adjustment and Family Court Diversion Program. To provide adolescent anger management and alcohol and drug abuse early intervention/education services to a combined total of fifty (50) unduplicated adolescents referred by local Juvenile Conference Committees, Intake Service Conference, the Juvenile Referee and Monmouth County Police Departments. The Stationhouse Adjustment and Family Court Diversion Program will include outreach by the KIV educator to conduct an individual assessment on the youth referred; communication with the referral source, parent(s)/guardian(s) and the juvenile; four (4) two hour KIV adolescent group sessions with concurrent KIV parent(s)/guardian(s) sessions and a service learning component being offered.

Mental Health Association of Monmouth County- Family Crisis Intervention Unit - \$143,500.00

Laine Happel, MA Ed.S, LAC / 732-542-6422 Ext. 111

The Mental Health Association of Monmouth County will provide an out of court Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU). The purpose of the unit is to provide a continuous 24-hour on call service designed to attend and stabilize juvenile – family crisis. Juvenile-family crisis is defined as behavior, conduct or a condition of a juvenile, parent or guardian or other family member which presents or results in: 1.) A serious threat to the well-being and physical safety of a juvenile, or 2.) A serious conflict between a parent or guardian and a juvenile regarding rules of conduct which has been manifested by repeated disregard for lawful parental authority by a juvenile or misuse of lawful parental authority by a parent or guardian, or 3.) Unauthorized absence by a juvenile for more than 24 hours from his/her home, or 4.) A pattern of repeated unauthorized absences from school by a juvenile subject to the compulsory education provision of Title 18A of the New

Jersey Statutes (N.J.S.A. 2A:4A-22(g)). Under this statute, juvenile-family crisis cases do not include cases of child abuse, child neglect or domestic violence.

Mental Health Association of Monmouth County –Wrap Around Program

\$165,000.00

Laine Happel, MA Ed.S, LAC / 732-542-6422 Ext. 111

To provide the Parent Child Conflict Resolution Program- Juvenile Family Crisis Intervention Resource for Monmouth County families referred by Monmouth Vicinage, Family Division Judiciary and prioritized by the Family Crisis Intervention Unit (FCIU). Services include in-home therapy, case-management and purchase of wrap-around services. Short term, community based crisis intervention services which, include a home based model of service delivery to reduce barriers that keep families from accessing services will be provided. Assessment and early intervention services that offer skill training in family communication, parenting, problem-solving and conflict management will be included. Crisis intervention services will be provided to (48) forty-eight referred juveniles and their families for an average of (4) four months that includes approximately (40-45) forty to forty-five hours of direct service to each juvenile, in addition to those hours for which wrap-around funds are purchased.

**Monmouth County Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives-
Electronic Monitoring Expansion Program**

\$40,000.00

Ivan Kaplan / 732-308-3770 ext. 3733

The Electronic Monitoring Expansion Program expands the juvenile detention alternative continuum in Monmouth County to include GPS units. The Division of Juvenile Detention Alternatives staff implementing the Electronic Monitoring Expansion program will facilitate youth and family pro-social, enrichment, and team-building activities. Incentives are provided to encourage compliance with program rules.

Monmouth Vicinage- Family Engagement Program

\$45,000.00

Rosemarie Marinan-Gabriel, Family Division Manager / 732-677-4301

To implement a comprehensive, multi-prong approach to engage families of youth involved in the juvenile justice system. The goal is to effectively engage families in decisions about and services delivered to their children, support parents in their efforts to advocate for their children, and involve families in system reform efforts. Monmouth will continue to facilitate focus groups, surveys, and leadership development seminars with families and juvenile justice stakeholders on family empowerment, strengthening families, and respect for/understanding of families of all backgrounds; and the development of a parent support network where families become leaders in sharing information regarding the system and the legal rights of families. The effort will also promote the connection between youth and families by assisting families with transportation to the Middlesex detention center on visit days and promoting family group decision-making.

Mercy Center, Inc. – Community Coaches Program- \$55,000.00

Veronica Gilbert-Tyson, Director, Family Resource Center / 732-774-9397 ext. 18
The program will train community members as Community Intervention Coaches who can provide intervention and support services for Asbury Park and Neptune youth who are in danger of violating the terms of their probation. The program will connect 5 youth on Probation at any given time to Community Intervention Coaches for group activities and relationship building. The Community Coaches Program will utilize a life skills and character building skills training curriculum with youth from Asbury Park and Neptune Township who are on probation. Topics may include: You and the Law; Verbal Communication; Non Verbal Communication; Critical Problem Solving; Risk Taking; Decision Making; Self Concept; Personal Awareness; Self Control: and How to Get a Job and Hold a Job. The Community Coaches program will provide youth on probation from Asbury Park and Neptune Township with employment readiness/entrepreneurial development training. The Community Coaches program will engage youth on probation and help them to succeed, through the provision of recreational and cultural activities/trips, as well as incentives for their attendance in the life skills training and employment readiness components of the program.

Monmouth Vicinage-Probation Division- Probation Multi Treatment Program (PMT) - \$44,500.00

Jeanette Garner, Master Probation Officer / 732-677-4749
The Probation Multi-Treatment Program provides for the purchase of individualized services for Monmouth County juveniles on probation, whose families are indigent, low income or insurance poor and who would otherwise not have access to care. The Probation Multi-Treatment Program's goals are to strengthen the supervision of juveniles on probation through the provision of additional resources, to expand the dispositional options available to the Judiciary and to reduce the recidivism of delinquent behavior. The Probation Multi Treatment Program will serve a minimum of 30 unduplicated Monmouth County juveniles on probation during the contract timeframe and maintain a maximum caseload of 15 juveniles in the program at any given time. Approximately, 600 direct services hours will be provided for juveniles on probation. An array of outpatient services such as, alcohol and drug treatment, family counseling, family support services, anger management, conflict resolution skills training and other specialized services will be included.

Monmouth Vicinage-Probation Division –Probation Offender Program (POP) - \$82,000.00

Jeanette Garner, Master Probation Officer / 732-677-4749
To provides specialized assessment, evaluation and treatment for sexually abusive juveniles and adjudicated adolescent sex offenders in Monmouth County who are on probation supervision. The program will provide up to 40 juveniles on probation with sex offense specific treatment. Consultants, who specialize and are trained in the area of juvenile sex offense treatment, will be utilized to deliver: 20 Intake and 15 Exit Screenings; 200 Individual and 105 Group Sexually

Abusive Behavior Specific Sessions; as well as, 32 Individual and 24 Group Substance Abuse Education and Anger Management Specific Sessions; 83 Family Sessions; and 12 Multi Family Parent Education / Support Groups. The program will address substance abuse and anger management issues among the juveniles on probation for sex offenses, through the provision of individual, group and family counseling. The program will provide multi-family group sessions, parenting sessions and/or in home family sessions to help parent(s)/guardian(s) gain a better understanding of the offense and treatment. The program will ensure attendance at all therapy sessions by providing transportation on an as needed basis.

New Hope Foundation, Inc. Adolescent Residential Alcohol and Drug Treatment \$118,723.00

David Roden, VP and Deputy Director / 732-946-3030 Ext. 236

To provide adolescent residential alcohol and drug treatment services to Monmouth County juveniles with alcohol and drug dependence, who have been adjudicated delinquent and/or who have a demonstrated history of juvenile delinquency, and referred to treatment by the Judiciary. To provide a minimum of 879 bed days of adolescent residential alcohol and drug treatment services to a minimum of fifteen (15) unduplicated juveniles referred by the Judiciary of Monmouth Vicinage, Superior Court, Family Division. The following services are included: a bio-psychosocial and problem/strength assessment at admission to include: a.) Mental status at prescreening and admission with psychiatric evaluation, or follow-up when called for; b.) Nursing assessment; c.) Nutritional assessment; d.) Educational assessment e.) Lab work (within 24-hours); f.) Physician history and physical (within 48-hours); g.) Master Treatment Plan (within 5 days). Other activities include: Discharge Planning (upon admission, reviewed weekly and results in continuing care plan); Treatment Plan Review; Individual Counseling (at least 1 hour per week); Group Therapy (at least 7 hours per week); Psycho-education (at least 6 hours per week); Family psycho-education (at least 2 hours per week); Family group/ individual/conjoint therapy (at least 1 session per treatment episode when family / significant others can be engaged); Accredited high school educational programming (20 hours per week) and Case Management. Recreation, field trips and 12-Step meetings (on & off-site) - 2 or 3 per week is also included.

Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office

(732) 431-7160

Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office

132 Jerseyville Avenue, Freehold, New Jersey 07728

Phone: (732) 431-7160, Email: prosecutor@prosecutor.co.monmouth.nj.us

The Monmouth County Prosecutor is the chief law enforcement officer in Monmouth County. Aided by a staff of assistant prosecutors, detectives and support personnel, the Prosecutor is charged with the detection, investigation, arrest, indictment and conviction of criminals who commit crimes within the jurisdiction of the County. To accomplish these tasks, the Prosecutor's Office is organized into several sections, including units that specialize in juvenile and domestic violence crimes, sex and child abuse crimes, gang facilitated crimes and narcotics crimes, among others. The Prosecutor's Office also has a Victim Witness Unit that is charged with providing services and assistance to crime victims and witnesses in an effort to ensure that their rights are protected, they receive timely and accurate information about their cases and are referred for appropriate and needed support services.

Monmouth County Child Advocacy Center

500 Kozloski Road, Freehold, New Jersey 07728

Phone: (732) 431-7160

Child Advocacy Centers are county-based centers that offer a multidisciplinary approach in providing comprehensive, culturally competent child abuse prevention, intervention and treatment services to children who are victims of child abuse or neglect. The Monmouth County Child Advocacy Center is a child-friendly facility where the professionals who respond to reports of child abuse coordinate their investigations and provide follow-up services. The Monmouth County Child Advocacy Center was funded through a public/private partnership combining federal, state and local government funds and private fundraising by The Friends of the Monmouth County Child Advocacy Center, Inc. The Center opened in 2009 and provides a location where the appropriate professionals from law enforcement, Division of Child Protection and Permanency, victim/witness advocates and others meet with the child and family and provide a safe, secure and comforting setting from the initial investigative phases of child abuse cases. The facility has expanded to provide space for medical and mental health treatment, and seeks to improve the coordination of the professionals who respond to reports of child abuse.

MONMOUTH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

(732) 431-7139

MONMOUTH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE YOUTH PROGRAMS SYNOPSIS

- 1.) **S.E.E.K. 9-1-1** - (Sheriff's Emergency Education for Kids) A program that teaches first graders how to properly use the 9-1-1 Emergency call feature on a telephone. Since inception, nearly 45,000 students have participated in the program
- 2.) **K-9 Demonstrations** - Sheriff's Officer/K-9 teams provide an informative session on law enforcement canine training and, with their canine partner, demonstrate the capabilities of that particular specially trained canine team which, depending on availability on the date requested, may be a narcotics detection team, an explosive detection team, a patrol canine team or a bloodhound tracking team.
- 3.) **Youth ID Program** – Photo ID of child that parents carry with them. Should child become lost – parent presents the ID card to law enforcement authorities to help in describing the lost child.
- 4.) **Dangers of Strangers!** - Child safety program for grades 3-5 on child safety in dealing with strangers and preventive measures that can be taken. Also offered in a bilingual version
- 5.) **Bicycle Safety** – Specially trained and certified sheriff's officers present safety talks to school children on the importance of safe driving procedures and wearing a bicycle helmet.
- 6.) **Gang Awareness Program** - Program for faculty and junior high and high school students on identifying gang membership within the school and neighborhood – based on information obtained within that geographical area.
- 7.) **Sheriff's Prison Awareness Program** - An innovative program for junior high and high school students to expose this impressionable group to the realities of incarceration and what is risked by unlawful behavior. The program also shows the discipline and training required of police officers with a tour of the Police Academy, an overview of the Judicial Process with a tour of the Monmouth County Courthouse, and concludes with a tour of the Monmouth County Correctional Institution.

- 8.) **High School Presentations** – When requested, presentations are made at “career day” events and for social sciences/law classes about the history of the Office of Sheriff and the Monmouth County Sheriff’s Office.
- 9.) **Sheriff Youth Week** - A one-week program to give high school-aged students an opportunity to experience law enforcement training first hand. Instructors from municipal, county, state and federal agencies conduct training through lectures and interactive sessions. Training conducted at the Monmouth County Police Academy and Neptune High School.
- 10.) **High School Presentation of Identity Theft** - Identity theft is one of the fastest growing crimes in the county. This program discusses what identity theft is – how the criminals get your personal information and what YOU can do to keep from becoming a victim of ID theft.
- 11.) **Distracted Driving - Seconds that could change – or end – your life!** – A video-based program appropriate for high school students and adults on the dangers of distracted driving.
- 12.) **Reach for Your Dreams** – A high impact, reality based presentation aimed at drug use prevention. For school aged children, grades 5-9

MONMOUTH VICINAGE

Family Division (732) 677- 4050 Juvenile Probation Supervision (732) 677- 4790

Juvenile Conference Committee(s)

Contact: Scott Prato, Senior Probation Officer Phone (732) 677-4090
 Dana Bouldin, Probation Officer Phone (732) 677-4096

Juvenile Conference Committees consists of volunteer members from the community, trained by court staff and appointed by the Presiding Judge of the Family Division to informally hear juvenile complaints referred by the Court. The Juvenile Conference Committees generally hear cases involving first time juvenile offenders. The Committee hears Petty Disorderly and Disorderly Person offenses, as well as, some 4th degree offenses. There is no adjudication or plea of guilt and there is no formal Court record that is generated. The juvenile must appear with a parent or guardian (if under the age of 18). The victim/ complainant and the police officer involved are invited to attend. The Committee makes a recommendation to the Court as to what sanctions would be appropriate based on the nature of the complaint. If the juvenile and parent/guardian agree, then they will sign an agreement and comply with any conditions within a specific time frame which is set by the Committee, but not to exceed 90 days. If there is an objection, then the case can be referred to the Juvenile Referee to be addressed.

Intake Service Conference is a form of Court diversion dealing with petty disorderly and disorderly persons offenses. Third (3rd) degree offenses, as well as some fourth (4th) degree offenses, can be addressed at this level with the approval of the Judge and the Prosecutor. The juvenile does not receive an adjudication or formal Court record at this level. This form of diversion is a step beyond the Juvenile Conference Committee and a level below the Juvenile Referee. A Probation Officer conducts the conference. A parent or guardian must appear with the juvenile and the complainant is invited to attend. An Intake Service Agreement is written up stipulating certain conditions the juvenile must satisfy. The case is held open for a period of thirty, sixty or ninety days. The time frame is at the discretion of the Probation Officer. The case is closed at the Probation Officer's request if all conditions are met within the set time frame. In cases of non-compliance, the case is placed on the Juvenile Referee's calendar.

Juvenile Referee Program allows an individual, other than a Superior Court Judge, to hear cases that would normally be scheduled for a counsel non-mandatory hearing before a Family Division Judge. In Monmouth County, the Presiding Judge of the Municipal Courts hears these cases. Typical cases may include: fourth degree offenses, disorderly and petty disorderly offenses, as well as unsuccessful JCC/ISC diversions. The Referee may also hear repeat offenders that are no longer appropriate for diversion and violations of a court

order which originated from a diversion or a prior Informal Court Proceeding. The Juvenile Referee will set certain conditions for the juvenile to meet and may include an informal or formal supervision period. The Juvenile along with their parent or guardian may appeal the Judge's recommendation and would then be scheduled to appear before a Superior Court Judge. It would be explained to the juvenile and their parent/guardian that they would be giving up their right to a diversionary process and if the juvenile is found guilty, may result in a formal court record.

Agency: National Association for Shoplifting Prevention
Program: [YOUTH EDUCATION SHOPLIFTING PROGRAM \(Y.E.S.\)](#)
Contact: Scott Prato, Senior Probation Officer Phone: (732) 677-4090
Lisa Coutts , Senior Probation Officer Phone (732) 677-4091

The Youth Education Shoplifting Program (Y.E.S.) is a 6 hour on-line course run by the NASP (National Association for Shoplifting Prevention) and is currently being utilized by 13 vicinages in New Jersey. The course is an "offense-specific" education program which helps juveniles identify their feelings, thoughts and attitudes which lead them to shoplift and helps them make better choices for themselves and their future. This interactive program was designed as a means of early intervention for juveniles to help prevent future appearances in the juvenile justice system. Moreover, it has been shown to be 98% effective in preventing juveniles from committing a second shoplifting offense. The program is a disposition used primarily by the diversion programs.

Agency: Office of the Fire Marshal
Program: [FIRE FLY](#)
Contact: Cindy Biddle and Irene Tuyahov, Secretaries
Phone: (732) 683-8856 Fax: (732) 683-8864

The Fire Fly program provides education and counseling to juvenile fire setters. Juveniles referred by the County Investigator, JCC, ISC, Juvenile Referee, concerned parents or local police or fire department are interviewed by County Fire Marshals. The Program Coordinator and Staff Psychotherapist, who develop a course of action ranging from fire safety education to mental health counseling by professionals, provide an intake report for the Judge or diversion program which requested their intervention. It will include any concerns they may have for the juvenile's or the community's safety and their recommendation as to what provisions need to be put into place to avoid reoccurrences of this nature.

Agency: Monmouth Vicinage Family Court
Program: [PARENT EDUCATION PROGRAM](#)
Contact: Joanne McLaughlin, Admin. Specialist 4 (732) 677-4321
Sharon Astorino, Admin. Specialist 4 (732) 677-4295

Under the 1999 Parent Education Act, all parties in any divorce, nullity, or separate maintenance action, who have minor children, are required to attend a parent education session. The goal is to promote cooperation between the parties and to assist parents in resolving issues which may arise during the divorce or separation process. Its main focus is to assist divorcing/separating

parents in the reorganization of their family by helping them to understand the legal process, the financial needs of the family, and the emotional needs of their children and provide them with the resource tools for future use in a co-parenting relationship.

Agency: Monmouth Vicinage Family Court

Program: **"PARTNERS IN PARENTING"**

Contact: Sharon Astorino, Admin. Specialist 4 (732) 677-4295

The Monmouth Vicinage has established a Parent Education Program for parents involved in non-dissolution (FD) matters. The program will be similar to the FM Parent Education Program in that it will target parents who have new custody/parenting time matters before the Court. The Program will be administered by an Administrative Specialist, who will provide information to parents regarding the court process, the effects of separation on children, and the importance of co-parenting and effective parenting time plans. It is anticipated that by providing information to parents, similar to what is provided to FM clients, we will promote a climate of cooperation therefore improving the rate of consent orders and thus reducing the number of court referrals.

Juvenile Intense Supervision Program (JISP) JISP is a dispositional alternative utilized by the Judge when it is felt the juvenile requires more supervision than traditional Probation supervision offers. An Officer who is responsible for setting conditions and ensuring compliance monitors the juvenile. A juvenile on JISP can expect more frequent home and school visits than traditional probationers. If applicable, drug screening will also occur on a more frequent basis. Violation of any of the conditions set forth by the JISP Officer or program regulations will result in a violation being filed and violation hearing. The juvenile may be returned to the Detention Center and subsequently terminated from the program based on the severity of the violation.

Juvenile Supervision

Juvenile Supervision handles two types of Dockets: Deferred Disposition and Juvenile Probation Terms.

1. **Deferred Dispositions** are cases that are in Court and the disposition is deferred for up to 12 months. These cases are monitored for compliance only. Deferred Dispositions could have financial obligations, community service, drug testing, and counseling that need to be monitored. Deferred Dispositions that do not have any of the above conditions remain with the Family Division. Monitoring of the cases by Probation does not include reporting by the juvenile. If the conditions imposed by the Judge are not adhered to it may result in the matter being returned to court. Deferred Terms that have met all the conditions imposed on the court order may result in the matter being dismissed at the end of the term.

2. **Juvenile Probation** is cases that the Judge has placed on probation status. These cases are supervised by the Probation Division's Juvenile Supervision Unit. The case is first assigned to the Intake Unit which verifies the juvenile's address, school enrollment, and personal information; completes the Conditions of Probation and other necessary paperwork. Once the Intake Term (30 to 45 days) is completed, the case is then assigned to a Probation Officer who will remain with the case throughout the Probation Term. If the Juvenile is non-compliant with any of the Conditions of Probation, it may result in the matter being returned to Court for a Violation of Probation. During the Probation term a Home Inspection is required. This encompasses the viewing of the juvenile's sleeping area and common areas of the home. Home Visits are conducted periodically. Face-to-face contacts are required. The Probation Officer enforces the Court Order and may impose additional conditions based upon the individual needs of the juvenile.

Juvenile Parent Orientation Program

This is a program that the Monmouth County Juvenile Probation Division provides to juveniles and their parents who were recently placed on Probation. The program informs the juveniles and their parents what the probation expectations will be for the probation term. The juveniles and their parents are provided with Probation, Agency and Program contact information for Monmouth County. The program is offered once a month at the Freehold Office and once a month at the Ocean Township Office.

**New Jersey Department of Children and Families
Division of Children's System of Care**

DCF's Children's System of Care (CSOC), formerly the Division of Child Behavioral Health Services, serves children and adolescents with emotional and behavioral health care challenges and their families; children with developmental and intellectual disabilities and their families; and, children with substance use challenges and their families. CSOC is committed to providing services based on the needs of the child and family in a family-centered, community-based environment.

Contracted Systems Administrator 1-877-652-7624

DCF provides families with a virtual single point of contact that registers; tracks and coordinates care for children who are screened at any level into the Children's System of Care. To provide this simplified access, DCF contracts with PerformCare, a private entity that administers this service system.

Functions of PerformCare:

1. Provides 24 hour assistance to help families get services.
2. Establishes access to same quality of services across the state.
3. Facilitates single way to pay providers regardless of whether a child is Medicaid eligible or not.
4. Tracks eligibility to ensure more children gain access to public health insurance.
5. Tracks eligibility to ensure New Jersey maximizes federal dollars.
6. Connects care across providers and levels for all children rather than just for children with the most severe disturbances.
7. Provides a systematic way to ensure children and their families receive appropriate treatment for an appropriate length of time while remaining as close to home as possible.
8. Keeps all child and family information in one record for all Children's System of Care.
9. Identifies the different intensity of services given by providers and assists DCF to adjust rates to reflect these differences.
10. Reports on effectiveness of services and child and family satisfaction, complaints and grievances.
11. Reviews children placed in psychiatric hospitals to assure appropriate discharge planning and after care services are in place so that children are linked to a community network of care.
12. Tracks and reports on a system of outcome measurements so that the state can determine and measure the improvements made by the Division of Children's System of Care.

MonmouthCares, Inc. - Care Management

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Care management organizations (CMO's) are agencies that provide a full range of treatment and support services to children with the most complex needs. They work with child-family teams to develop individualized service plans. The CMO's goals are to keep children in their homes, their schools and their communities.

The agency provides care management services for children and families with behavioral and emotional needs, in order to reduce further disruption in their lives, by keeping the youth at home, in school and out of trouble. They utilize a Child and Family Team model to help the family develop an ISP (Individual Service Plan) for each child which addresses all of the family's life domains. The Care Managers coordinate services, explore community resources, support and advocate for the family until they can manage their own plan and have substantially met their goals. There are flexible funds to support strategies where no other source exists. Specific services are available to the Family Court to aid in planning for their youth. Youth with additional needs in substance abuse, or intellectual/developmental disability are also served. There is no limit on the number of families served. There are 40 Care Managers who are supported by administrative and supervisory staff. There are community resource development staff, who among other things, administer the MonmouthResourceNet data base of community resources. (www.monmouthresourcenet.org)

The yearly budget for MonmouthCares, Inc. is a combined total of \$4,432,334, which includes Medicaid and State Department of Children and Families contract dollars. Referrals to MonmouthCares are arranged through PerformCare, the Contracted Systems Administrator (1-877-652-7624) for the Division of Children's System of Care (DCSOC).

Family Support Organization

Ann Goldman, Executive Director
Family Based Services Association of New Jersey
#6 Industrial Way West, Bldg D
Eatontown, NJ 07724

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Email: agoldman@fbsanj.org

WEB SITE: www.fbsanj.org

Family Support Organizations are family-run agencies that provide direct parent support, education and advocacy skills to family members of children with emotional, behavioral, developmental and substance abuse challenges. Family Based Services Association of NJ, Inc. is an organization of families and community members whose mission is to ensure that every family who have children with these challenges needs is connected to community based resources and support. They serve families in collaboration with Monmouth Cares, Inc as well as through active warm line support. The FSO offers four weekly parent support groups and special event workshops. All support groups operate as part of the Parents Anonymous network. These workshops are offered at locations throughout Monmouth County in English and Spanish. They also run an active Youth Partnership program for Youth leaders who work to diminish stigma and challenge programs to include the Youth voice. Youth between 13 and 21 are invited to participate in the educational and recreational programming. The FSO has an annual budget of \$783,000 awarded from the New Jersey Department of Children and Families, Division of Children's System of Care and gladly accepts community contributions.

Mobile Response and Stabilization Services **Mobile Response and Stabilization Services**

Danielle Gasperini, Program Manager
Liz Rudder, Program Coordinator
CPC Behavioral Healthcare
270 Highway 35
Red Bank, NJ 07701
Phone: (732) 842-2000 ext. 4273
Fax: (732) 212-2890

Mobile Response and Stabilization Services are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to help children and youth who are experiencing emotional or behavioral crises. The services are designed to defuse an immediate crisis, keep children and their family safe, and maintain the children in their own homes or current living situation (such as a foster home, treatment home or group home) in the community. MRSS is available to children and youth who's escalating emotional or behavioral issues require timely interventions to prevent disruption of their current living arrangement, including out-of-home placement. Primarily, the MRSS is a face-to-face delivery of service at the site of the escalating behavior, whether this is the child's home, a group home or another living arrangement, including resource and foster family homes. These services are

focused, time limited, intensive, preventive and include behavioral and rehabilitative interventions designed to diffuse, mitigate and resolve a crisis. To access the services of Mobile Response and Stabilization Services call the Contracted Systems Administrator (CSA) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at 1-877-652-7624. MRSS workers will work with the family/caretaker and the child/youth to diffuse the behavior, and develop an Individualized Crisis Plan. Stabilization services and community linkage are available up to 8 weeks. This program is funded by the Department of Children and Families; \$ 463,482 for the period July 1, 2015 –June 30, 2016, which includes \$51,571 in Flex Funds.

CPC Behavioral Healthcare Services
Circle of Friends Partial Care Program

Location: High Point Campus

1 High Point Way, Morganville, NJ

Contact Person: Chenelle Dudley

Phone: 732-591-1750 ext. 3347

Youth Incentive Program funds, \$98,265

The Circle of Friends is a partial care program, serving children 7-12 years of age by providing therapeutic recreation, social skills training, anger management, medication assessment and monitoring, parent support and tutoring. Hours of operation: Monday - Friday, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM with transportation provided to some Monmouth County locations

Child Psychiatrist

Contact Person: Allison Bron

Phone: 732-842-2000

Youth Incentive Program funds \$148,731

These funds support a full time child psychiatrist based in the Middletown offices of CPC. This psychiatrist provides psychiatric evaluations and medication consultations for youth.

Jersey Shore University Medical Center

Children's Partial Hospital Program

Location: 402 Route 35 and Stratford Ave., Neptune, NJ

Phone: 732-869-2788

Contact Person: James Ullman, Clinical Coordinator

Youth Incentive Program funds \$85,240

The Children's Program is a half-day partial hospital, intensive group therapy program that provides outpatient treatment for children ages 7 – 13 who are experiencing emotional, psychological and/or behavioral challenges. Treatment can include diagnostic evaluation, assessment, individualized treatment planning, group therapy, behavior modification, family therapy, skill building, parent

education and community collaboration. The Children's Program consists of 3 hours of treatment per days with children attending 3-4 days a week. Transportation is provided to the local municipalities.

Youth Transitional and Supported Housing:
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton (5 beds)

Awarded: \$129,299
Contact: Robyn Joannou
Phone: (732) 502-9245

Beacon House is a transitional group home in Monmouth County for homeless youth ages 17 to 21. Residents receive training in such independent living skills as cooking, money management, and cleaning. Individual and group counseling is afforded on-site. Recreational activities and a linkage to vocational and educational services are also provided to help the residents learn a trade, finish high school, or earn a college degree.

Collier Services

Contact: Paul DeSantis
Phone: (732) 946-4771

Collier House - \$283,274

Contact: Kerry Buckman
Phone: (732)-264-3222

Collier House, located in Keyport, New Jersey, is a program for five young women, ages 18-21, who are homeless or transitioning from the foster care system. The program helps young women develop the skills they need to live healthy, self-sufficient and productive lives.

Collier Group Home - \$939,875 (January 1 to December 31) DCBHS Contract

Contact: Maureen Kale, Social Worker
(732) -842-8337

Collier Group Home is a residence for 10 adolescent girls who are unable to live in their own homes due to significant and long-standing personal or family problems. Staffed twenty-four hours a day by professional counselors, the residence provides a stable and an affirming environment in which girls prepare to return to their homes or independent living. Services include individual, group and family therapy, vocational exploration, independent living skills, psychiatric and psychological services, case management, crisis intervention and recreational activities.

Substance Use Treatment Services

The Children's System of Care offers an array of substance use treatment services, including detoxification, outpatient, intensive outpatient, partial care, short-term residential and long-term residential. For questions about or to access substance use treatment services for children and youth, call the 24-hour, toll-free Access Line at: 1-877- 652-7624

Adolescent addiction treatment contracts

Residential

Bonnie Brae

Daytop

CURA

Integrity

Newark Renaissance House

New Hope Foundation

Straight & Narrow

Vantage

OP and IOP

CPC

Catholic Charities

Daytop

COPE

Seashore Family Services

Family Connections

Genesis

My Father's House

Newark Renaissance House

SODAT

Behavioral Health and Developmental Disability Services for Children and Youth Under Age 21

The Children's System of Care offers a wide range of services for children up to age 21 with behavioral health or developmental disability needs. These services include community-based services, in-home services, out-of-home residential services, and family support services. For questions about or to access behavioral health or developmental disability services for children and youth, call the 24-hour, toll-free Access Line at: 1-877-652-7624

Eligibility Determination for Children with Developmental Disabilities

As of January 1, 2013, the New Jersey Department of Children and Families - Division of Children's System of Care (CSOC) assumed responsibility for determining eligibility for developmental disability services for children under age 18. This eligibility process for children, which was formally completed by the Division of Developmental Disabilities, is required under New Jersey law in order to access publicly available developmental disability services. For information on the application process please call: 1-877-652-7624

[Housing](#)

If you are a youth under the age of 18 and homeless call the New Jersey Department of Children and Families toll-free hotline at 1-855-INFO-DCF (1-855-463-6323)

[PerformCare NJ, Adolescent Housing Hub](#) (“The Hub”) is an online reservation system that has been created for all Adolescent Transitional Housing Programs that DCF funds for homeless youth between 18 and 21 years of age. DCF funds a number of supervised and supported transitional housing programs targeted to address the complex needs of homeless youth. These programs provide safe and stable housing with the ultimate goal of assisting youth to achieve self-sufficiency and a successful transition to adulthood. Youth with developmental disabilities are not eligible for these transitional housing programs. Call PerformCare at 1-877-652-7624 and press “4” to access “The Hub”.

[Covenant House of New Jersey](#) is the largest provider in the state of services to homeless and at-risk adolescents under 22. In addition to food, shelter, clothing, and crisis care, Covenant House New Jersey provides health care, educational and vocational services, counseling, drug abuse treatment and prevention programs, legal services, mother/child programs, transitional living programs, street outreach, and aftercare. If you or someone you know is homeless and in need of a place to sleep please call 1-800-999-9999 or directly at 973-621-8705.

**New Jersey Department of Children and Families
Division of Child Protection and Permanency (DCP&P)**

Northern Monmouth Local Office (located in West Long Branch)

(732)-229-2518

1-800-392-9511 toll free

Southern Monmouth Local Office (located in Asbury Park)

(732)-988-2161

1-800-392-9512 toll free

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton

Beacon House

\$448,835

Contact- Robyn Joannou – 732-502-9245

A transitional living program, including a group home and apartments, for youth and young adults (ages 17-21) who are homeless or aging out of the foster care system

Family Growth Program

\$128,387

Contact – Jane Meyers 732-747-9660

Provides individual and group counseling for persons affected by sexual abuse or family violence

In Home Foster Care Program

\$375,455- Serving Monmouth, Ocean, Burlington and Mercer counties

Contact – Chris Connelly 609-278-1213

A clinically intensive intervention program designed to stabilize children who have been placed in resource family homes or relative care homes.

Natural Parent Support Program

\$120,555 Serving Monmouth, Ocean, Burlington and Mercer Counties

Contact – Chris Connelly 609-278-1213

Provides intensive clinical case management services to families and kinship systems that are identified by DCP&P as candidates for reunification

Children's Home Society

Post Adoption Contract and Permanency Support Services

Serving Mercer/Monmouth/Middlesex and Ocean Counties

Awarded: \$225,000

Contact: Donna Pressma

Phone: (609) 659-6274

These services may include in-home counseling, group support, coaching/mentoring, family advocacy and family respite.

Collier Services

Collier Group Home - \$836,000 (July 1 to June 30)

Contact: Maureen Kale, Social Worker
(732) -842-8337

Collier Group Home is a residence for 10 adolescent girls who are unable to live in their own homes due to significant and long-standing personal or family problems. Staffed twenty-four hours a day by professional counselors, the residence provides a stable and an affirming environment in which girls prepare to return to their homes or independent living. Services include individual, group and family therapy, vocational exploration, independent living skills, psychiatric and psychological services, case management, crisis intervention and recreational activities.

Collier House - \$283,274 (July 1 to June 30)

Contact: Kerry Buckman, Program Manager
732-264-3222

Collier House is a program for five young women, ages 16-21 that are homeless or transitioning from the foster care system. The program helps young women develop the skills they need to live healthy, self-sufficient and productive lives. Each resident receives individual instruction to ensure her competency in life skills, computers, money management and employment. Other services include searching for permanent housing, use of community resources, educational planning, legal skills, interpersonal skills, food preparation, personal hygiene and medical/health care.

The Community YMCA

Contact: Colleen Verriest
(732) 530-5144
(732) 290-9040

The combined total DCP&P Contract with the Community YMCA is for \$2,189,583.00 (January 1 to December 31)

Community YMCA Parent Support / Companionship

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide DCP&P clients in Monmouth County with a mentoring/companionship and support program. Mentoring can be up to 6 hours per week and the length of stay in the program is 6 months.

Community YMCA Family Education (Leadership in Training) / Group Counseling

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide the Red Bank School District with a youth development program. It serves at risk

pre-adolescent youth in the Red Bank community. The services are provided in the school system and utilize peer support.

Community YMCA Youth Support / Companionship

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide DCP&P clients -children and parents in Monmouth County with a mentoring / companionship and support program. Mentoring can be up to 10 hours per week and the length of stay in the program is 6 months.

Community YMCA Family Support / Individual Psychological Counseling

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide DCP&P clients in Monmouth County with an in-home therapy team comprised of three MSWs who provide family, couple and individual therapy. A family's length of stay in the program is typically 12 to 24 months. Case Management Services are also provided.

Community YMCA TOPS / Individual Psychological Counseling

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide DCP&P clients / foster families with in-home counseling / support and guidance. It will service DCP&P clients in Monmouth County / youth who are placed in selected TOP Homes. The length of stay in the program is 6 months unless it is extended by DCP&P.

Community YMCA Family Preservation / Crisis Care

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide DCP&P clients in Monmouth County with 6-8 weeks of in-home intensive psycho-educational services intended to stabilize a family when a child's removal or family disruption may be imminent. Counselors provide 5 to 20 hours of in-home service per week for each family.

Community YMCA Foster Care Specialist / General Case Management – Foster Care

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide DCP&P Foster Homes in Monmouth County with 30 days of in-home support, guidance and case management for new foster families or for families experiencing difficulty with their foster child. Central region foster home unit refers cases for services.

Community YMCA Substance Abuse / Substance Abuse Rehabilitation

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide Substance Abuse Clients in Monmouth County with evaluations. The clients are evaluated over a 4-week period and include random urine monitoring. When a client is deemed appropriate, individual treatment begins weekly for a period of 4 months. At the end of the 4-month period, the client is seen bi-weekly. Group sessions are available.

Community YMCA Child Visitation / Permanency Planning

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide transportation to DCP&P Monmouth County Foster Placements to and from meetings with their parents. The visits are supervised and a report is given to DCP&P.

Community YMCA Substance Abuse & Counseling / Psychological Assessments

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide substance abuse evaluation to Monmouth County DCP&P Clients. The evaluation includes four visits and urine monitoring.

Community YMCA Foster Home Study / Foster Home Recruitment

The Community YMCA is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide a complete foster home study of potential new foster parents in Monmouth County.

Community YMCA -Visitation and Family Engagement Services

To help promote strength based, family centered approach to achieve safe reunification and permanency for children in DCP&P care.

CPC Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.

Psychological / Therapy Rates – fee for service

Contact: Vera Sansone

(732) 842-2000

CPC is under contract with DCP&P whereby CPC will provide certain services at a fixed, fee for service rate for clients referred to CPC directly by DCP&P. DCP&P worker must specify approval and provide written authorization for use of DCP&P contract funds upon making the referral. Rates are for items such as Family Therapy, Individual Therapy, Group Therapy, Psychological Evaluations and Assessments, In-Depth Court Evaluations, and Initial Drug Screening.

CPC Therapeutic Community Homes and Residential Treatment Centers-

\$7,267,818 (July 1 to June 30) DCBHS Contract

Contact Marissa Silva

(732) 591-1750

CPC's **Therapeutic Community Homes** (TCH) program has provided therapeutic support, training and respite services to our families enabling them to make foster care a long-term endeavor. This unique support has allowed TCH families to work with the child's emotional disability, learning disability, or neurological impairment and give the child what he or she needs most -- a nurturing, loving environment. CPC's therapeutic foster care program helps children ranging from infancy through adolescence who would benefit by living with a family in the community. To guarantee that the child is placed in the best environment possible for his/her emotional growth, CPC recruits and trains foster parents, and provides crisis back-up services and respite time. CPC Behavioral Healthcare supports foster parents with:

- Training and 24-hour support/supervision by professional staff
- A clinician provides individual/family in-home counseling on a weekly basis
- A monthly tax-free stipend of \$1,500 per child
- Periodic clothing allowances
- Five hours of respite care weekly
- Seven paid vacation days per year

CPC Behavioral Healthcare's [Residential Treatment Center](#) serves boys aged 11-14 who are referred by the Division of Child Protection and Permanency (DCP&P) with a diagnostic mix that includes: mild DDD (IQ of 65+) and primarily behavioral, emotional and psychiatric disorders. The projected length of stay (LOS): 6-9 months.

IEP Youth Services

Project Stepping Stone - Transitional Living Program

\$185,891 (July 1 to June 30)

83 West Main Street

Freehold, New Jersey 07728

Contact: Dawn Lenz, LCSW

732-577-9906 ext. 180

The contract is for a 5 bed semi-supervised transitional living program. Referrals can come from any source but all youth must be registered on the Adolescent Housing Hub through PerformCare. Criteria for placement includes youth aged 18-21, homeless or at risk of becoming homeless and have been in the system at a time in the past. Clients should be willing to participate in the program (e.g. attend school full or part time; full or part time work; job training; independent living skills training, etc.)

Project KIN - Therapeutic Host Home Program

Payment for Project Kin is via the Children's System of Care (CSOC)

Contact: Ariane Hatch, Director

732-431-5872 ext. 128

Serves youth (ages 12-18), with a level of care requiring a Treatment Home Program. The total number of contracted beds is 11 beds.

Step Ahead

Contact: Ariane Hatch, Director

732-431-5872 ext. 128

IEP Youth Services, Inc. program for youth who have been charged / adjudicated for a sexually inappropriate behavior and have successfully completed a residential program (including a JJC program) and are ready to return to the community. Step Ahead is a Spec IOS level of care, thus the amount of supervision and treatment is extensive. IEP Youth Services, Inc. is contracted for six beds and referrals are made via SRTU and Cyber (PerformCare).

Mercy Center Inc.

Mercy Center / Initial Crisis Services

\$40,319.00 (July 1 to June 30)

Contact: Carol Henry
(732) 774-9397

Mercy Center is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide emergency services to Monmouth County SSGB People in Need. The need must be documented. Emergency services include food, clothing, medical care, prescriptions and rental assistance.

Mercy Center / Family Resource Center / General Case Management

\$387,495.00 (July 1 to June 30)

Contact: Carol Henry
(732) 774-9397

Mercy Center is under contract with DCP&P whereby it will provide complete psychosocial assessments, direct services, information and referrals, family advocacy, crisis information, wrap-around services, family preservation and family reunification to Monmouth County children and families.

Multicultural Community Services

Life Skills

Multicultural Community Services
Serving Monmouth County
Contact: Lorraine Bavarro
(732) 650-0330

Life Skills Training Programs provide adolescents between the ages of 14 and 18 with training necessary for their successful transition from placement to independence. Adolescents in DCP&P paid placements on their 14th birthday are eligible for these services. Multicultural Community Services is contracted with to provide life skills training, focusing on such areas as employment, money management, community resources, communication, decision making, housing and education.

Aftercare Programs

Multicultural Community Services
Serving Monmouth County
(732) 650-0330

Multicultural Community Services provides intensive case management and supportive services to adolescents between 18 and 21 years of age. As part of the continuum of services for independent living, aftercare provides adolescents with assistance in obtaining meaningful employment, housing and post-secondary education. This program has access to flexible funds to enable the adolescents to gain the supports that will assist them in their transition to self sufficiency. In order for Aftercare to be effective, the youth must complete life skills training first.

New Hope Foundation, Inc.

Adolescent Residential Alcoholism and Drug Treatment

\$1,183,060.00 (July 1 to June 30)

Contact: Dave Roden, Deputy Director
(732) 946-3030

The New Hope Foundation provides residential addiction treatment services for alcohol and other drug abusing adolescents, which approximates the American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM, PPC II-R) Level III.7: Medically Monitored High Intensity Residential/Inpatient Treatment. Any child with an open DCP&P case is eligible for these services. The DCP&P worker can access funding, which is approved by their supervisors. A "Certificate of Need" is done by a psychiatrist noting residential addiction treatment is warranted. A variable length of stay is utilized, so that youths are discharged when individual goals and objectives are met. New Hope Foundation, Inc. is considered an "Enhanced Dual Diagnosis" program (ASAM PPC II-R), as they offer integrated care by staff trained in assessment and treatment of co-occurring substance use disorders and mental illness and they provide on-site psychiatric services, in addition to comprehensive medical oversight (physicians and nursing staff).

Project Use

Life Skills Training / One-Day / Multi-Day Program

\$76,326.00 (January 1 to December 31)

Contact: Michael Bagley
(732) 219-7300

Project USE is under contract with DCP&P whereby Project USE will provide adolescents referred to them by DCP&P Group Home, Residential Programs, District Offices and Adoption Resource Centers with an outdoor skill, adventure-education program. Activities are canoeing, cross country skiing, hiking, teambuilding, rope courses, intro to rock climbing, sailing, cave exploring, environmental education and group debriefing. The objectives of the program are building self-esteem, improving group skill, decision making and problem solving skills and leadership skills

**New Jersey Department of Children and Families
Division of Family and Community Partnerships**

Early Childhood Services

Home Visitation (HV) Initiative

DCF's Home Visitation Initiative provides primary child abuse prevention and early intervention services. DCF funds three evidence-based home visiting models in Monmouth County. These voluntary HV programs provide ongoing health and parenting information, parent/family support, and links to essential health and social services during pregnancy, infancy, and early childhood. They are long-term services that provide frequent and regular visits to families from pregnancy until the child is age 2 or 3 (varies by model).

- Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP) – first-time pregnancy to age two
- Healthy Families (HF-TIP) – pregnancy/birth to age three
- Parents As Teachers (PAT) – pregnancy/birth to age three
- Social Service Block Grant (SSBG) Home Visitation expansion for 40 Super Storm Sandy impacted families through 9/30/15

VNA of Central Jersey/VNA Health Group (lead agency for all 3 models)
200 Broadway
Long Branch, NJ 07740
Phone: (732) 502-5158

Grant awards

Healthy Families TIP: \$635,000 (provides case management for 164 families)
SSBG Expansion of Healthy Families TIP: \$27,346 (provides case management for 10 Super Storm Sandy impacted families through 9/30/15)

Nurse Family Partnership: \$567,000 (provides case management for 113 families)
SSBG Expansion of Nurse Family Partnership: \$31,848 (provides case management for 10 Super Storm Sandy impacted families through 9/30/15)

Parents as Teachers: \$195,000 (provides case management for 60 families)
SSBG Expansion of Parents as Teachers: \$54,692 (provides case management for 20 Super Storm Sandy impacted families through 9/30/15)

Strengthening Families New Jersey (SFNJ)

Strengthening Families (SF) is an evidence-based approach that provides training and guidance to childcare providers, and in turn, engages and supports parents/families in infant/child care centers and family child care settings. Child Care Resource and Referral agencies in each county integrate SF principles in their work with local early care and education partners. SF training encompasses key strategies and practices that embrace five research-informed Protective Factors shown to prevent child abuse and neglect by building family strengths and nurturing parent-child relationships.

Child Care Resources

3301 C. Route 66

PO Box 1234

Neptune, NJ 07754

(732) 918-9901 ext. 107

Child Care Resource and Referral contract with DHS -\$22,800.

County Councils for Young Children

The County Council for Young Children (CCYC) was established to strengthen collaboration between parents, families, and local community stakeholders with health, early care and education, family support, and other service providers. This shared leadership philosophy includes parents as active partners with service providers and community leaders helping to identify the needs, concerns, aspirations and successes of our collective efforts to positively impact the health, education and wellbeing of children from pregnancy/birth to age 8. VNA Health Group is the lead agency for the Council for Young Children in Monmouth County.

Monmouth County Council for Young Children

The MCCYC is looking to engage with parents and talk about resources that are needed for families in their community. The MCCYC mission is to locate resources, develop peer support, and empower families. For more information, contact Jenna Andolora at Jenna.Andolora@vnahg.org.

School Linked Services

School Based Youth Services Programs

School Based Youth Services Programs provide an array of employment, health and social services to all youth ages 13-21, along with recreation activities. The core services are: mental health and family services; healthy youth development; access to primary and preventative health services; substance abuse counseling; employment services; adolescent pregnancy prevention services; learning support services; family involvement; referrals to community based service providers; and recreation

Asbury Park High School

The Spot - School Based Youth Services Program

Asbury Park High School

1003 Sunset Avenue

Asbury Park, NJ 07712

(732) 776-2638, ext. 2675

Contact: Jaclyn Headlam

Grant Award: \$269,502.00

** Please note that the Visiting Nurse Association of Central Jersey is the management agency for the SPOT at Asbury Park High School.*

Keansburg Public Schools

School Based Youth Service Program

Grant Source: Department of Children and Families

Fiscal Agent: Keansburg Public Schools

Site: Keansburg High School

SBYSP provides comprehensive primary health, mental health, youth development/enrichment/recreation, prevention and employment programming for enrolled Keansburg High School students. Twelve month program provides leadership and mentoring opportunities, tutoring, job training skills and employment placement and collaborates with county and state agencies for enhanced programming and services.

Contact: Bryan Smith

732 787-2007 x2550

Grant Award: \$263,976

Long Branch High School

Long Branch High School

404 Indiana Avenue

Long Branch, NJ 07740

(732) 728-9533

Contact Person: Kathleen Celli, Director

Grant Award: \$328,157

Red Bank High School

The Source –School Based Youth Services Program

Red Bank Regional High School

101 Ridge Road

Little Silver, NJ

(732) 842-8000 ext. 1236

Contact Person: Suzanne D. Keller, Program Director

Grant Award: \$269,502

Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Initiative

Grant Source: Department of Children and Families

Fiscal Agent: Mental Health Association of Monmouth County

Site: Keansburg High School

APPI – “*Time to Grow*” program provides education and pregnancy prevention services to students enrolled in the Bolger Middle School and Keansburg High School. Individual and group sessions promote the value of personal responsibility; teach life skills and link students and families to social services.

Keansburg High School

732 787-2007 x2550

Grant Award: \$62,777

Parent Linking Program

The Long Branch School District also receives \$106,103 from the NJ Dept. of Children and Families for a Parent Linking Program entitled, “Hand in Hand”. The Hand in Hand Infant/Toddler Program is considered a Parent Linking Project model whose objective is to keep the teen parent linked to school by providing childcare needed to continue their education at no cost.

Long Branch High School

127 Myrtle Avenue

Long Branch, NJ 07740

(732) 571-6288

Family Friendly Centers

Each Family Friendly Center receives a grant to support and enhance after school programs with educational, enrichment, recreational and social service opportunities for enrolled students and their families.

Grant Award: \$45,463/each

Keansburg Public Schools

Site: Port Monmouth Road School & Joseph C. Caruso School

Program provides academic enrichment, recreation and family programs to children enrolled in after-school programs managed by the School Based Youth Service Program

732 787-2007 x2550

Neptune Middle School

2300 Heck Avenue

Neptune, NJ 07753

(732) 776-2200/2100

Port Monmouth Road School

1423 Port Monmouth Road

Keansburg, NJ 07734

(732) 787-2001

Freehold Learning Center

Dutch Lane
Freehold, NJ 07728
(732) 462-0464

Bradley Elementary

110 Third Avenue
Asbury Park, NJ 07456
(732) 861-5969

Red Bank Primary

222 River Street
Red Bank, NJ 07701
(732) 861-5988

Child Assault Prevention

NJ Child Assault Prevention Network
CAP of Monmouth County, Inc
PO Box 241
Matawan, NJ 07747
(732) 566-3397

School Linked Services

Grant award: \$21,700 (this amount to be updated and revised for FY2014)

2NDFLOOR YOUTH HELPLINE -1-888-222-2228

180 Turning Lives Around

“The 2NDFLOOR youth helpline gives young people a place to turn to before violence or tragedy occurs. It’s important for kids to know that they can call about anything, anytime, anywhere.” The youth helpline is available 24-hours a day, seven days a week to children and young adults ages 10-24. Youth can either call the helpline, 1-888-222-2228, or access the interactive Website

www.2NDFLOOR.org. Calls to the 2NDFLOOR youth helpline are anonymous and confidential except in life-threatening situations.

Grant award: \$626,000 (statewide program)

Family Support Services

The purpose of the Family Success Center is to strengthen families and neighborhoods; develop networks of family services that result in preventing child abuse and neglect and fostering healthy families; reduce isolation and build connections within families, between families and to the community. The center will collaborate with partners in the community, including the families they serve, for guidance on what programs and services should be made available to help empower individuals to build strong families and be good parents. There is no cost to access, services provided by Family Success Centers. Some of the

services include: employment, information and referral, parent education, health care, parent/child activities, home visiting, life skills training, advocacy and housing.

Long Branch Concordance Family Success Center

Long Branch Concordance Family Success Center
c/o St. James Church –Second Floor
300 Broadway
Long Branch, NJ 07740
(732) -571-1670
Contact: Lisa Wilson, Executive Director
Website: www.lbc4help.org
Awarded: \$240,000

The Community YMCA Bayshore Family Success Center

Darcy Dobens, FSC Director
Henry Hudson Trail Activity Center
945 State Highway 36
Leonardo, NJ 07737
Phone: 732-497-3811
familysuccess@cymca.org
Awarded: \$300,000

[Kinship Navigator Program](#)

The Kinship Navigator Program aids caregivers, such as grandparents, other blood relatives, and family friends maneuver through various government networks to find formal and informal supports and services, including providing referrals for child care, support groups, medical coverage, legal services and housing assistance. Kinship caregivers can qualify annually for \$500 per household wraparound funds. Caregivers can call 2-1-1 to locate the agency providing assistance in their area.

Awarded: \$936,230 (program serves Central Region: Mercer, Monmouth, Ocean, Somerset and Hunterdon Counties)

Contact: Isabel Barreiro
Children's Home Society
168 Franklin Corner Road
Building 1, Suite 220
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
(800) 396-4518

[Domestic Violence Services](#)

Core services for domestic violence victims and their families including: emergency shelter; 24-hour hotline; counseling; general, financial, housing and legal advocacy; children's services; and community education and networking.

180 Turning Lives Around, Inc.
1 Bethany Road
Building 3, Suite 42
Hazlet, NJ 07730
(732) 264-4111 (24 hour hotline)
(888) 843-9262 (toll free)
Award Amount: \$705,323

Peace: A Learned Solution (PALS) is a research-based intensive therapeutic program that provides comprehensive services for children exposed to domestic violence using creative arts therapies. Peace: A Learned Solution also provides counseling, advocacy and case management for their non-offending parents.

Peace: A Learned Solution
180 Turning Lives Around, Inc.
Amanda's Easel
1 Bethany Road
Building 3, Suite 42
Hazlet, NJ 07730
(732) 787-1730
Award Amount: \$450,000

**New Jersey Department of Children and Families
Office of Adolescent Services**

Adolescent Resources

Life Skills Training

Life Skills Training offers instruction in daily living domains such as budgeting and financial management, communication, decision making, self-care, and housing. Assistance in obtaining a high school diploma, career exploration, vocational training, job placement, and job retention are also included. Case workers can refer adolescents, who are at least 14 years of age and in a DCP&P paid placement, for Life Skills training. If adolescents are in a DCP&P sponsored living arrangement or a congregate care setting, they may be receiving this training as part of their ongoing programming; if they are, then they need not be referred to the stand alone Life Skills training programs. There are only a limited number of Life Skills training slots contracted for in each county. **Middlesex/Monmouth Counties** Multicultural Community Services (732) 650-0330

Aftercare

The Aftercare agencies provide intensive case management and support services to young adults between the ages of 18 and 22. The Aftercare agency

will begin working with the young adult prior to DCP&P closing the youth's case, and can continue to work with him or her after the case is closed with DCP&P. Aftercare provides the young adult with assistance in obtaining employment, housing and post-secondary education. These programs can also access flexible funds (wrap around funds) to enable the young adult to obtain the supports, which will assist them in transitioning from the child welfare system to self-sufficiency and stability. It is recommended that adolescents complete life skills training before being referred for this service. A young adult who has left Aftercare and is not yet 21 can return to the Aftercare agency for an additional short-term case management services, information, referral and wrap around funds.

Middlesex/Monmouth Counties- Multicultural Community Services
(732) 650-0330

Wraparound Funds

Wraparound Funds (also known as Chafee Funds) are flexible funding available for those adolescents in an independent living skills, aftercare, or transitional living program. The funds can be used to pay security deposits, up to four months' rent, purchase linens, furniture, driving lessons, or other items or services that will help the adolescent obtain independence. Eligible adolescents are as follows: • Age 16 to their 22nd birthday who are in an independent living skills or transitional living program • Age 18 to their 21st birthday who are in an aftercare program • Age 18 to their 21st birthday, who are no longer an open DCP&P case or in an aftercare program, but were in a DCP&P placement on their 18th birthday Only independent living skills, aftercare, and supported housing programs can make requests for the Wraparound Funds. A young person must work with one of these programs in order to access these funds. Should you have any further questions about Chafee funding, please contact the wraparound administrating agency for your county. **HUNTERDON· MERCER· MONMOUTH·OCEAN· SOMERSET** Catholic Charities "RAPS" (908) 782-7905

Housing Programs

DCF funds a number of supervised and supported transitional housing programs targeted to address the complex needs of homeless youth and youth transitioning out of the DCF system of care. These programs provide safe and stable housing with the ultimate goal of assisting youth to achieve self-sufficiency and a successful transition to adulthood. Youth are typically between the ages of 16 to 21 and often require life skills services, case management, and assistance with achieving educational and employment goals. DCF assists with the funding of approximately 300 supportive housing bed slots statewide. The Office of Adolescent Services (OAS) has partnered with PerformCare to provide a real-time bed tracking and referral process for all non-clinical adolescent transitional housing programs. The Adolescent Housing Hub ("The Hub") is an online reservation system that has been created for all Adolescent Transitional Housing Programs (non-CSOC). These housing programs include Supervised Transitional Living Programs (STLP), Transitional Living Programs (TLP), and Permanent

Supportive Housing Programs (PSH). Sometimes these housing programs are also known as “Adolescent Housing Programs”, “Independent Living Programs”, or simply “Housing Programs”. With the deployment of “The Hub” all adolescent housing/transitional programs will now be accessible to all DCF (DCP&P and CSOC) involved youth and youth that are homeless and non-DCF involved. Youth with developmental disabilities are not eligible for these transitional housing programs. A DCP&P worker, CSOC care manager, the youth, a DCF contracted housing provider or a youth advocate can call PerformCare at 1-877-652-7624 and press “4” to access “The Hub”.

Youth Advisory Boards

DCP&P has county-based Youth Advisory Boards (YABs) throughout the state. Contracts were awarded to non-profit community agencies to host and coordinate each YAB. Through the YABs, teens and young adults have an opportunity to provide input and feedback on adolescent programming and policy to DCF management and staff. They are youth driven forums that strive to empower youth in foster care and homeless youth to successfully transition into adulthood upon leaving the DCF system of care. Youth develop and enhance their advocacy and leadership skills through public speaking, community service, training, interaction with positive role models, and having a voice in the policy, practice, and programming for DCF involved adolescents. Any adolescent in placement is eligible to become a member of their local Youth Advisory Board. DCF staff and other advocates are encouraged to assist a youth they are working with to join and/or be aware of the activities of their local YAB.

Youth Partnerships

The Children’s System of Care (CSOC) supports similar advocacy and peer leadership groups for young people who identify as having mental health challenges and/or receive services through CSOC. They are sponsored by their local Family Support Organizations in each county/region. The FSO contact information can be found at: <http://www.state.nj.us/dcf/behavioral/help/family.html>

Outreach To At-Risk Youth (OTARY)

The OTARY program is designed to prevent crime/juvenile delinquency and deter gang involvement by providing enhanced recreation, vocational, educational, outreach and/or supportive services to youth ages 13 to 18, with the option to serve youth until age 21. The programs are located in communities with demonstrated high crime and gang violence. These programs have a proven track record of making a difference in the lives of youth, including “at-risk” youth. The programs are open to youth regardless of their involvement with DCF.

Boys & Girls Club of Monmouth County

1201 Monroe Avenue

Asbury Park, NJ 07712

Phone: 732-775-7862

Fax: 732-775-4065

**New Jersey Department of Children and Families
Office of Education**

Monmouth Campus

1076 Wayside Road
Ocean, NJ 07712
(732) 493-4470
Fax: (732) 493-0944

Transitional Education Center

Transitional Education Center program is an alternative, year round educational program designed to meet the need of an array of “at risk” students. The mission of TEC program is to provide a comprehensive educational program which provides the at risk adolescent with the skills needed to create a positive life for themselves in order to promote their successful reintegration into future school, work and/or community endeavors. The program supports and encourages each student to earn a diploma from their local high school or to return to their local districts to complete their education. TEC serves students between 13 and 21 who have not completed high school. Accepts students placed by a Dept. of Children and Families agency or the courts. Accepts students referred by local school districts.

Project TEACH (Teen Education and Child Health) is an alternative, year-round education program for pregnant or parenting teens. Project TEACH serves students at risk of school failure.

The mission of the Project TEACH program is to provide a comprehensive educational program which provides pregnant and parenting adolescents with the skills needed to create a positive life for themselves and their children. The program strives to make sure that each student will receive a diploma from her local high school or return to their local school districts to complete their education. In any event, students do not leave the program until a support system is in place for them at home or in the community. Project TEACH serves students between 13 and 21 who have not completed high school. Accepts students referred by local school districts and placed by a Dept. of Children and Families agency or the court. Limits class size to no more than 12 girls at any one time. Provides specialized case management services to support pre and post natal linkages to community resources and transitional support. The Project TEACH licensed child care center provides on site care for infants 6 weeks to 2½ years of age.

**New Jersey Department of Education
Monmouth County Office**

**PO BOX 1264
4000 KOZLOSKI ROAD
FREEHOLD, NJ 07728
(732) 431-7810**

The New Jersey Department of Education, Office of School Finance indicates the 2016 -2017 projected State School Aid excluding debt service for Monmouth County (Kindergarten through 12th grade) as \$ 408,057,467. This represents an increase of \$1,813,955 or .4% change from 2015-2016.

The NJDOE, through the Office of Grants Management (OGM) in collaboration with department program offices, is responsible for disseminating, primarily to school districts, federal and state funds for entitlement and discretionary grant programs. The available funds are allocated to support and enhance major educational initiatives throughout the state. The NJ DOE Office of Grants Management posts various grant opportunities such as the 21st Century Community Learning Centers Program Competitive Grant, the 21st Century Community Learning Centers Program Continuation Grant and the Family and Community Engagement Expansion Grant: Implementing the Dual Capacity-Building Framework for Family-School Partnerships on their website.

NJ Department of Education –final list of priority and focus schools (published 3-11-15) includes: Asbury Park High (lowest graduation rate), Asbury Park Middle (lowest performing), Freehold Boro Intermediate (highest within-school gaps), Howell Twp. Memorial Middle (highest within-school gaps), Keansburg -Joseph R. Bolger Middle School (lowest subgroup performance), Manalapan Englishtown Reg. –Pine Brook (highest within-school gaps) and Red Bank Middle School (highest within-school gaps). Asbury Park Middle had a “priority” school classification and the others a “focus” school classification.

**New Jersey Department of Human Services
Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services**

609-292-5760 (Trenton)

Barnabas Healthcare System-Institute for Prevention

T.A.L.K. Program -Teaching Alternative Life Skills to Kids

Tracy Gross, Director, Institute for Prevention Barnabas Health

732-236-1866

www.instituteforprevention.com

A comprehensive program for students, families, school staff and communities – building life skills and increasing protective factors that lead to success

- School based prevention specialists deliver evidence based classroom lessons and work with students in small psycho-educational groups.
- Program provides evidence based family education program to students and their families
- Interactive summer program which reinforces evidence based lessons learned during the year
- Ongoing staff development trainings in areas of 504, I&RS, suicide prevention and awareness
- Community partnerships

Monmouth programs will be in Bradley Beach – Bradley Beach elementary school. Howell Township – Aldrich School. Asbury Park – Hope Academy Charter School. Each one has a different priority identified by the state.

Howell – prescription medication misuse \$112,900

Asbury Park – underage drinking \$91,500

Bradley Beach – illegal substance \$101,880

Prevention First, Inc.

Regional Coalition to Utilize Environmental Strategies to Achieve Population-Level Change

Liza DeJesus, Director of Prevention Services

732-663-1800 ext.218

\$202,000 January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016

Training and implementation of Environmental Prevention Programs and Strategies for the Prevention Coalition of Monmouth County to address the following four priorities:

- Reduce underage drinking
- Reduce the use of illegal substances-with a special focus on the use of opiates among young adults 18-25 years of age
- Reduce prescription medication misuse across the lifespan
- Reduce the use of new and emerging drugs of abuse across the lifespan

Prevention First, Inc.

Strategic Prevention Framework- Partnerships for Success (SPF-PFS)

Liza DeJesus Director of Prevention Services

732-663-1800 ext.218

\$96,288 (October 1, 2015 – September 30, 2016)

Prevention First, Inc. was awarded \$96,288 which will enhance and support the current efforts of the Prevention Coalition of Monmouth County as well as strengthen efforts of collaboration while increasing capacity and effective prevention strategies. Priority areas include expansion of youth involvement as it relates to underage drinking, tobacco prevention and prescription drug use/abuse.

New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety
Office of the Attorney General

The Asbury Park Community Development Initiative

The OAG provides up to \$40,000 per community for facilitation. For more information, please reach out to gharanis@janussolutions.com

In 2011, Asbury Park became the 5th New Jersey city the Attorney General's office selected to form a community initiative to prevent juvenile crime and promote positive outcomes for youth. Currently co-chaired by Asbury Park Mayor John Moor and Monmouth County Assistant Prosecutor Tom Huth, the Asbury Park Community Development Initiative (APCDI) has representatives from Community Based Organizations, Government Agencies, Faith Based Groups, Law Enforcement, Education, and interested community members. The Initiative provides Asbury Park with a comprehensive, city wide coalition that enables all of these participating groups to communicate and coordinate with each other under the leadership of the Mayor and the Prosecutor's Office.

The APCDI is an action oriented coalition that focused its initial attention on findings ways to expand youth employment opportunities, providing mentors for at risk youth in the city and establishing a Police Chaplaincy program which places voluntary clergy on 24 hour call to respond to offer non-sectarian assistance when juveniles are arrested for minor offenses. The APCDI partnered with the Asbury Park Community Action Network to host a Super, Safe Summer in Asbury event in 2014, and is planning a similar event for May 21, 2016.

Current Work Groups

During 2015, the Mentoring Youth Workgroup expanded to become the Out-of-School Time Work Group, and began to focus on the challenges of providing quality out-of-school supports to all Asbury Park youth in K-8. At the end of

2015, members of this group joined with members of the school district to form a workgroup that helped to develop a “Beat the Streets” program at the Asbury Park Middle School. This program combines wrestling, tutoring, and mentoring for youth. The city has agreed to pick up the program upon the end of wrestling season later in the spring.

Another work group that has formed is the planning group for the Super Safe Summer Asbury Park 2016. The goal of this event is to provide information for city residents about programs and service available for youth during the summer, and to provide residents with an opportunity to interact positively with police, firefighters, and elected representatives in a fun, helpful way. The event is being planned for May 21, 2016.

The Police Chaplaincy Initiative continues to bring together clergy for a variety of existing and new initiatives. This is done in conjunction with the Asbury Park CAN which has at its core a faith-based membership. Healing Communities is the newest initiative to develop out of the APCDI faith-led efforts and a Work Group has been formed to initiate its efforts. Pastors have completed training; the next immediate action will be the hosting of a city ‘celebration’ at the host churches to welcome returning residents back to the community. The Work Group will concentrate on building a network of organizations to develop the resources to embrace and support the men and women returning to the Asbury Park community. CAN, with the involvement and support of the CDI, recently hosted the first of a two part expungement event, which was attended by about 200 people. Residents who attended this initial session learned about which offense, and within which time limits, offenses could be removed from an individual’s criminal record.

New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety
Juvenile Justice Commission

Please note that these programs can only be accessed through the Court and/or Juvenile Justice Commission staff referrals.

Monmouth/Ocean Day Program

P.O. Box 195

Game Farm Road

Forked River, New Jersey 08731

Supervisor: Carl Jones

609-693-5498

609-693-1854 (Fax)

The Monmouth/Ocean Day Program provides both the Monmouth County and the Ocean County court systems with an alternative sentencing option to JJC residential or secure placement for court involved youth. The program accepts both males and females between the ages of 14 to 18. Juveniles must be either Monmouth County or Ocean County residents who have been sentenced to a term of probation or are currently on Juvenile Parole. The average length of stay ranges from four to six months. The goal of the Day Program is to provide educational, pre-vocational and counseling services to juveniles while allowing them to remain in their communities. Services are supplemented by educational trips, recreational opportunities, anger management classes, as well as health and family life instruction. Youth also have access to the Phoenix Anti-Gang curriculum along with Substance Abuse Awareness Workshops. The program operates Monday through Friday. The participants arrive at 8:30 a.m. and leave the facility by 5:00 p.m. Breakfast and lunch is provided daily. Pre-vocational training is offered under the guidance of professional instructors. Training includes woodshop, culinary arts, building trades, landscaping, and painting. Basic work skills are emphasized including safety, courtesy, punctuality, and dependability.

Juvenile Justice Commission -Residential Community Homes

Albert Elias Residential Community Home

Johnstone Campus-Valentine Hall

West Burlington Street

P.O Box 479

Bordentown, NJ 08505

Superintendent: Furquan Sharif

609-324-3610

609-324-0955 (Fax)

Albert Elias Residential Community Home is host to the JJC's 'Work Readiness Program'. The program accepts male residents both on committed and probationary status, who have achieved either a high school diploma or a General Equivalency Diploma (GED). Program participants are provided the basic work and life skills deemed necessary for employment. Participants develop occupational skills through structured learning opportunities such as work-based experiences, community service, and residential living. The goal of this specialized program is to enable participants to be successful in the workplace and community upon transitioning home.

Up to twelve participants are employed at the Department of the Treasury-(Bureau of Special Services) BOSS warehouse facility. Monday through Friday participants work as furniture restorers, computer technicians, or assist with general warehouse needs. They earn an hourly rate and certifications relating to skill acquired in the warehouse setting. The remaining participants can work and/or attend classes allowing them to continue their education at institutions in the surrounding community and prepare to fill vacant positions at BOSS as they become available.

Costello Prep

800 Carranza Road
Tabernacle, NJ 08008
Supt. Darien Ingalls
609- 268-1424
609-268-6527 (Fax)

With a highly trained and dedicated staff, Costello Prep provides a supportive environment for a maximum of 35 adjudicated young men between the ages of 15 and 20 with substance abuse needs. Participants engage in high school and college level academic pursuits, job skills trainings, substance abuse treatment, and individual/group counseling. The residents of Costello Prep are also active members of the community and regularly participate in service projects in the local area and throughout New Jersey. Costello Prep prepares residents to return to their communities as positive, contributing members. While at the program, the Juvenile Justice Commission's Office of Juvenile Parole and Transitional Services coordinates services for residents to ensure that upon release they return to school, locate employment, and receive necessary services.

D.O.V.E.S. Residential Community Home

188 Lindberg Road
Hopewell, NJ 08525
Supt. Kim Roselle
609-466-0740
609-466-4612 (Fax)

The D.O.V.E.S Program (Developing Opportunities and Values through Education and Substance Abuse Treatment) serves juvenile females with behavioral and substance abuse problems. Residents range in age from 13 to 19. The program serves a

maximum of 24 residents with 2 relapse beds. The relapse beds are specifically for those who have previously completed the program. The length of stay is based on the individual needs and varies from 4 to 12 months. The JJC utilizes gender specific programming that is designed to meet the unique needs of the female residents. An initial assessment identifies the appropriate level within the JJC's continuum of care for each resident. Reassessments throughout their program stay help ensure that needs continue to be met appropriately.

Northern Region Independent & Re-Entry Success Center

461-63 Central Avenue

Newark, NJ 07107

Superintendent: Darvin Bethea

973-648-7078/7082

973-648-6133 (Fax)

Essex Residential Community Home serves up to 25 male juveniles from age 16 to 18. In addition to receiving academic instruction, the students are taught carpentry, plumbing, masonry and landscaping by qualified teachers. As part of their vocational instruction, students assist staff cooks in the daily preparation of all meals and learn fundamental culinary and food service skills. The vocational program provides students with marketable skills and training that help them obtain jobs upon their release. The residents participate in various maintenance projects at the facility including painting, cleaning, buffing floors, stocking supplies and routine upkeep. Essex RCH actively assists the community by helping to maintain the Community Park on Central Avenue and cleaning local streets and vacant lots through the Fifth Street Block Association. Essex Residential also has a relationship with the Newark Pre-School Council. Through the relationship, juveniles provide building maintenance and grounds keeping at various locations throughout Essex County. In addition to its residential component, Essex Transitional utilizes up to 10 beds to service parolees and probationers returning to Essex County from both JJC secure-care and community-based facilities. Residents take part in various programs that prepare them for their return to their community.

Green Residential Community Home

1311 Sloatsburg Rd.

Ringwood, NJ 07456

Superintendent: Dewayne Coney

973-962-4693

973-962-4525 (Fax)

Green Residential Community Home is located in rural Passaic County on the grounds of Ringwood State Park. It is a residential facility for younger male juvenile offenders between the ages of 13-18. The center serves a maximum of 32 residents. The program's goal is to provide a safe, secure, and structured environment where program participants can learn to modify their behaviors and reactions. The staff acting as role models teach realistic goal setting and promote responsible decision making. The residents learn to adapt to change, accept accountability and develop self-discipline. Through a contract with the Playwright's Theater of New Jersey, residents are instructed in the writing and performance of one-act plays. Performances take place at the Playwright's Theater in Madison, New Jersey. In addition, residents perform daily community service work on the grounds of Ringwood State Park and Ringwood Manor. The young men of Green RCH also provide assistance to the municipal government, ambulance corps, fire department, a local battered women's shelter and maintain one of the town's main roads through the Adopt-A-Road Program.

Ocean Residential Community Home

1 Game Farm Road

Forked River, NJ 08731

Superintendent: Carl Jones

609-693-5498

609-693-1854 (Fax)

Ocean is a residential community home for juvenile offenders, with a focus on mental health treatment. Ocean provides services for males between 15 and 20 years of age disposed to a term of probation by the juvenile court. The program is designed for male residents with a significant history or delinquency, coupled with emotional and behavioral

concerns, and/or cognitive limitations that can present special vulnerabilities and required additional resources. A combination of the need areas may apply, and include but are not limited to the following: oppositional behavior, mental health, trauma, drug and alcohol abuse, and developmental and socialization needs. Educational, career and technical programs are integral components of the treatment experience.

Pinelands Residential Community Home

3016 Rt. 563

Chatsworth, NJ 08019

Superintendent: Kim Spencer-Hudgins

609-518-3080

609-726-9678 (Fax)

Pinelands Residential Community Home provides residential treatment for 18 adolescent male sex offenders. The residents are between the ages of 14 and 18 at the time of entry to the program. Juveniles placed in the Pinelands Program are on a 3-year term of probation -- a minimum of 18 months for the residential phase of their treatment followed by 18 months of court-ordered aftercare supervision. The safety of residents and the community is a priority. Each juvenile's history and behavior are thoroughly building trade instructor who specializes examined during the classification process before he is accepted to this program. The program is committed to the treatment and education of this special population by trained staff, who are aware of the specific needs of these juveniles. An emphasis is placed on accepting responsibility for one's actions, developing a true sense of empathy for victims, and relapse prevention. The vocational program at Pinelands includes an on-site in woodworking and carpentry. The program also offers a wilderness experience that helps residents develop leadership and team building skills.

Southern Residential Community Home and Transitional Program

800 A Buffalo Avenue

Egg Harbor, NJ 08215

Superintendent: Bill Hudgins

609-965-5200

609-965-2640 (Fax)

Southern Residential Community Home serves a maximum of 32 male juveniles who are between the ages of 15 and 20. The program strives to assist youth in building a better tomorrow by introducing the five key principles of respect, responsibility, accountability, determination, and good decision-making. Southern is committed to promoting academic, emotional, and social growth by providing students with a sound education. Older students may qualify for GED testing. A certified teacher in horticultural instruction is available year-round to instruct youth. The average length of stay for Probationers is 6 months. In addition to the residential component, Southern utilizes up to 10 beds to serve parolees and probationers returning to Atlantic County from both JJC secure-care and community-based programs. Residents take part in various programs to help them prepare for returning to their communities.

Vineland Prep Academy

2000 Maple Avenue

Vineland, New Jersey

Vineland Prep Academy is a residential community home that serves up to 39 juvenile males identified with substance abuse and behavioral issues. The program is designed to promote responsibility, initiative and the development of healthy coping skills through a cognitively based social learning curriculum titled "New Freedoms". Vineland Prep teaches young people to gradually understand the impact that substance abuse has had on their past behaviors, their current circumstances, and subsequently, the lives around them. The vocational curriculum includes a horticulture program with a greenhouse facility used for seasonal crops and ornamental harvests. A building maintenance program includes a study of carpentry, plumbing, electrical wiring, painting, dry wall installation, glass repair, and floor maintenance. Computer literacy instruction is also offered to assist students with business planning, resume writing ,job searches, and production of a newsletter.

Voorhees Residential Community Home

201 Rt. 513

Glen Gardner, NJ 08826

Superintendent: Mike Coyle

Asst. Superintendent: Michael Coyle

908-638-4625

908-638-4670 (Fax)

Voorhees Residential Community Home is located in Hunterdon County and serves a maximum of 27 residents. The youth at Voorhees RCH range in age from 15 to 20 years. In addition to classroom studies, the center provides vocational opportunities including carpentry, greenhouse management, landscaping, plumbing, and masonry. The students at Voorhees Residential participate in various activities within the community. The students routinely assist the Borough of High Bridge, Deer Path YMCA and Camp Carr. Most of the tasks involve utilizing the landscaping and carpentry skills that students learn through their vocational assignments.

Warren Residential Community Home

509 Brass Castle Road

Oxford, NJ 07863

Superintendent, Patrick Kepple

908-453-2032

908-453-4234 (Fax)

Warren Residential Community Home is located in Warren County and has a maximum capacity of 30 residents. The youths placed at Warren Residential are JJC committed youth only serving long term sentences. The program is designed to intercede in the emotional, social and academic areas of each juvenile's life through individual treatment plans. In addition to the regular academic program, culinary/food service, auto mechanics, carpentry, and biology are offered at Warren County Community College. Residents at Warren RCH participate in various service projects throughout the local community. Projects include

maintenance at the local Boy Scout Camp, cleaning and sorting toys for local charities, and working with a local elementary school teaching students to use the team building skills that they have acquired.

JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION - SECURE FACILITIES

New Jersey Training School for Boys

P.O. Box 500

Grace Hill Road

Monroe Township, NJ 08831

Superintendent, Lionel Henderson

732-521-0030

732-521-1738 (Fax)

The New Jersey Training School (NJTS) is the Juvenile Justice Commission's largest facility currently housing approximately 300 male juveniles. It was opened in 1867 as a home for troubled youth. Today, NJTS is a secure facility with a state of the art perimeter fence and 24-hour armed roving patrol. Residents range in age from 12 to 23 years of age with the vast majority of Residents being 16 to 18 years old. The primary focus of NJTS is to provide care, treatment and custody for juveniles committed by the courts and to create programs that will rehabilitate young offenders. NJTS campus includes seven cottages that serve as housing units, a full-service school, a vocational building, recreation facilities, a medical facility and administrative offices. The Training School offers several unique vocational opportunities including an optical lab program which teaches juveniles to craft eyeglasses. NJTS supplies eyeglasses to all juvenile and adult residents in the state. Through this program, several youth have received jobs with optical employers after their release. Another program teaches juveniles to care for small farm animals. NJTS offers vocational programs in upholstery, horticulture, welding, graphic arts, auto body, auto mechanics, building trades, machine shop, small engine repair, and radio and television communications.

The Bordentown Campus

Juvenile Female Secure Care and Intake Facility

Hayes Building

Superintendent: Antar Simmons

P.O. Box 367

Burlington Street

Bordentown, NJ 08505

609-324-6341

609-324-6334 (Fax)

The Juvenile Female Secure Care and Intake Facility serves as the intake and secure care unit for all juvenile females sentenced to terms of incarceration in New Jersey. It is the only secure facility in the State that provides education, treatment and custody for committed juvenile females. It is designed to hold 48 females with 8 single rooms that serve as detention cells. The primary function of the Female Secure Care and Intake Facility is to provide incentives and prepare the juvenile female for a less restrictive environment. The Commission strives to empower the juvenile females to live responsible, productive and law-abiding lives. The Secure Care Unit provides a gender specific, comprehensive, culturally diverse program to address the special needs of the juvenile female population. Programming components include a wide variety of academic instruction, physical fitness and health classes and vocational training including cosmetology and graphic arts.

Juvenile Medium Security Facility (JMSF)

P.O. BOX 307

Burlington Street

Bordentown, NJ 08505

Superintendent, Karl Thomas

609-298-8222

609-324-6016 (Fax)

The Juvenile Medium Security Facility- North Compound is capable of serving 118 male juveniles. Two housing units are currently in use at this facility. The Therapeutic Unit addresses the unique needs of JJC youth with chronic and persistent mental health symptoms and/or disorders, who are also in need of secure care placement. Core staff members have been assigned to this unit, including custody offices, social workers, mental health clinicians, nurses, youth workers, substance abuse counselors, and certified teachers. This broad and diverse staff compilation provides the necessary expertise to care for this unique population. Core program components include on-site mental health counseling, education, social services, and primary medical care. Residents also receive individual and group counseling, as well as anger management and substance abuse. The Juvenile Medium Security Facility – North Compound also contains many educational amenities. It functions as the primary educational and vocational area for the male residents on the Johnstone Campus. The Juvenile Medium Security Facility – South Compound is separated into six pods, each accommodating up to 24 juveniles. The facility offers a full educational curriculum, recreation, and medical services. Residents at this facility also have access to the educational services that are offered in the North Compound.

[Juvenile Justice Commission \(JJC\) Regional Reentry Program](#)

[The Youth Advocate Programs, Inc. - Regional Re-entry Program](#)

Contact: Charles Teh Jr., Program Director, Mercer/Monmouth Youth Advocate Program -Office: 856-546-3701; Cell: 609-480-5652

The regional grant is \$200k 1st year, \$160 2nd year, and \$120 3rd year.

Recidivism is a concern for youth leaving JJC facilities. YAP plans to offer interventions that begin during custody and continue through discharge and reintegration for 30 youth who are returning to their community from JJC facilities at any given time, for a total of 60 youth annually. Youth will receive at least 10 hours of service per week. YAP staff recognizes that family-based issues left unattended will threaten the juvenile's successful reentry. YAP will provide family strengthening services including case assessment and wraparound advocacy;

employment training and supported work opportunities; educational/vocational support; and independent employment opportunities.

Two (2) Case Managers will be hired to provide and coordinate services for youth returning to Southern Region counties. The Case Managers will work closely with YAP's current Program Directors in each of the counties to identify, contact and develop referral relationships with the services and supports in their county that can address each youth's needs. The regional Case Managers and the county Program Directors will each work with the youth to provide services utilizing the YAP Wraparound Advocacy model of service with the evidence-based PATTS classes. Youth will also participate in work readiness training using the Casey Life Skills program and each Case Manager will work with the Program Director's current local employment partners and the One Stop Career Centers to place youth into jobs, training or internships based on their interests and readiness.

Youth Advocate Program (YAP) Mentoring for JISP involved Youth

Contact: Fred Fogg, YAP Northern Region, Regional Director

FFogg@yapinc.org.

\$35,000 grant award

A new statewide grant was awarded to YAP to provide service to JISP involved youth who may not be involved in any mentoring program. The program will provide service to 5 youth at any given time per month up to 20 youth for the year. This is separate from YAP's reentry program.

Office of National Drug Control Policy

Prevention First, Inc.

Drug Free Communities of Asbury Park and Long Branch

Liza DeJesus, Director of Prevention Services

732-663-1800 ext. 218

\$125,000 September 30, 2015 to September 29, 2016

Training and implementation of evidenced based prevention programs for the Prevention Coalition of Monmouth County to reduce underage drug use and promote drug abuse free community norms within the communities of Asbury Park and Long Branch. Asbury Park and Long Branch will participate in media campaigns rewarding retailers for not selling substances to youth, alerting parents to the harms of youth substance abuse, supporting Student Random Drug Testing in the schools and consistently celebrating the youth in their communities. The goal of the coalition movement is to unite all community members to reduce substance use among youth and eventually among adults.

Other Resources

Father support program

Father Time

Keansburg School District

The program serves fathers to expand their parenting skills and deepen their connections with their children. Peer support and organized community activities assist fathers to realize their potential as nurturers.

Jeffrey Johnson

732 787-2007 x5833

Red Bank Resource Network

103 Drs. James Parker Boulevard
Suite B
Red Bank, NJ 07701
Contact: (732) 383-5135

The Red Bank Resource Network located at 103 Drs. James Parker Boulevard, Suite B, in Red Bank offers a community walk-in center with information and referral specialists and licensed counselors. Red Bank Resource Network (RBRN) RBRN is a family-oriented community resource center providing linkages with health, social service, and counseling support for individuals and families impacted by trauma, such as super-storm Sandy or being a victim of crime. A complete business center is available for public use. RBRN is designated as a Certified Application Counselor Agency by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services, and assists Monmouth County residents with applying for health insurance under the Affordable Care Act and NJ Family Care. Additional services and events are scheduled as identified through a coalition of stakeholders who serve on community and professional advisory boards to RBRN. Services are offered free of charge to the public in English and Spanish.

Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Monmouth County **4-H Youth Development Department**

4000 Kozloski Road, PO Box 5033
Freehold, NJ 07728
(732)431-7263 phone
(732)409-4813 fax

The 4-H Youth Development Program of Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Monmouth County promotes positive life skill development through recreational and educational programs employing a “hands on learning” approach. The year round 4-H program is governmentally sponsored, receiving federal (United States Department of Agriculture); state (Rutgers University) and county (Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders) funding. Due to this sponsorship, there is no charge for participation in 4-H clubs. 4-H is available to youth grades K-13 throughout Monmouth County, from all communities including rural, urban and suburban. 4-H services include clubs, after school programs, school enrichment programs, camps, special interest programs, independent projects, special events, and youth employment. 4-H clubs are led by trained 4-H volunteers who initiate clubs in their respective communities; volunteer recruitment for this club development is ongoing throughout the year. 4-H subject matter includes: citizenship and civic education, communication and expressive arts, consumer and family science, environmental education and earth sciences, healthy lifestyle education, personal development and leadership, plants and animals, and science and technology.

United Way of Monmouth County

(732) 938-5988

Our Mission: To improve the lives of people in Monmouth County by mobilizing the caring power of our community.

Our Vision: We build a better life for all in Monmouth County by advancing the common good in education, income and health.

We will achieve this by:

- a. Collaborating with diverse community partners.
- b. Being the leaders in gathering and investing resources to create lasting change.
- c. Communicating measurable results and promoting our strategies and achievements.
- d. Identifying and advocating for underlying causes in health and human services.

Education

Early Grade Reading

These programs work to ensure that students are reading and succeeding by the end of 3rd grade by providing students' access to high-quality, holistic learning and enrichment activities throughout the summer to combat the "summer slide".

Organization: **Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County**

Funded Amount: \$6,000

Time Frame: annual

Contact: Doug Eagles

Phone Number: 732-775-7862

Organization: **YMCA of Western Monmouth County**

Funded Amount: \$15,000

Time Frame: annual

Contact: Mel O'Neal

Phone Number: 732-462-0464

Organization: **Collier Youth Services**

Funded Amount: \$40,000

Time Frame: annual

Phone Number: 732-946-4771

Organization: **Horizons at Rumson Country Day**
Funded Amount: \$15,000
Time Frame: annual
Contact: Lori Hohenleitner
Phone Number: 732-842-0527

Organization: **Monmouth Day Care**
Funded Amount: \$25,000
Time Frame: annual
Contact: Heidi Zaentz
Phone Number: 732-741-4313

Organization: **Red Bank School District/Primary School**
Funded amount: \$15,500
Time frame: annual
Phone number: 732-758-1500

Career Connections

Organization: **The Center for Vocational Rehabilitation**
Funded Amount: \$70,000
Time Frame: annual
Contact: Maria DeSeno
Phone Number: 732-544-1800

Career Connections at Asbury Park High School will provide training and career development for high school students to ensure they successfully transition from school to work or advanced education. Students will have classroom instruction, on-the-job training opportunities, and adult mentorship while achieving the skills necessary to become active adults in the community upon graduation.

Health

High Risk Behaviors

Organization: **Community YMCA**
Funded Amount: \$26,000
Time Frame: annual
Phone Number: 732-290-9040

Community YMCA's Adolescent Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP) is for at-risk youth ages 13-18. IOP provides comprehensive treatment in a specialized setting for the specific purpose of interrupting the adolescent's addictive process, facilitating individual recovery, wellness and growth, as well as strengthening family life. IOP offers participation of six months or more as necessary for

successful completion. It is highly structured and utilizes didactic, experiential and therapeutic approaches to counseling. In order to achieve the program goals, treatment is offered in group, individual and family settings.

Organization: **CASA of Monmouth County**

Funded Amount: \$22,500

Time Frame: annual

Contact: Cindi Van Brunt

Phone Number: 732-460-9100

CASA of Monmouth County helps to prevent further exposure of children to abuse and violence, as well as stressful life events in order to improve the health and well-being of these children and their families. The children we serve are foster children who are involved with the Monmouth County Family Court (MCFC) and the Division of Youth and Family Services (OYFS) due to abuse or neglect.

Organization: **Child Assault Prevention of Monmouth County**

Funded Amount: \$22,500

Time Frame: annual

Contact: Margaret Montone

Phone Number: 732-566-3397

The CAP (Child Assault Prevention) project is a comprehensive primary prevention program. CAP's approach to Child Assault Prevention provides education, skills, and empowerment that create both a lifetime of resiliency for children and an ongoing commitment by the community to prevent/stop child abuse.

Organization: **Big Brothers, Big Sisters**

Funded Amount: \$10,000

Time Frame: annual

Contact: William Salcedo

Phone Number: 732-544-2224

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Monmouth County will be able to offer six seminars/workshops targeting the prevention of high-risk behaviors to the kids participating in our School and Site-Based programs. The agency has seven comprehensive Site and School-Based Mentoring Programs. Youth (Littles) enrolled through these partnerships are matched with mentors (Bigs) from local businesses or schools in the community. Matches are identified based on similar interests, backgrounds, career/college goals, and specific needs of the Littles.

Organization: **Boys and Girls Club of Monmouth County**

Funded Amount: \$9,000
Time Frame: annual
Contact: Doug Eagles
Phone Number: 732-775-7862

The Boys and Girls Club SMART Moves (Skills Mastery and Resistance Training) is a nationally acclaimed comprehensive prevention program that helps young people resist alcohol, tobacco and other drugs and avoid premature sexual activity. The program features interactive, small-group activities designed to increase participants' peer support, enhance life skills, build resiliency and strengthen leadership skills. This year-round program uses age-specific modules that engage Club staff, parents, community members and older teen members in a team approach to prevention.

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