

Wake County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Request for Proposals

Available funds: \$62,260.00

Date Advertised: September 23, 2019

Required Local Match Rate: 30% (in-kind or cash)

The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) has unallocated funds for fiscal year 2019-2020 and hereby publishes this Request for Proposals (RFP). The available funds were set aside to fund the program types specified below. Such programs shall serve delinquent and at-risk youth, between the ages of 16-17, for the state fiscal year 2019-20. **A 30% match (in kind or cash) is required.**

The JCPC will consider proposals for the following programs:

- Structured Activity Programs, focusing on
 - Vocational Development
 - Parent/Family Skill Building
 - Life Skills (specific to strategies for transitional and independent living skill development, including parenting skills for youth when appropriate)
 - Tutoring/Academic Enhancement
 - Mentoring
- Juvenile Structured Day Programs
 - Full Day
 - Partial Day
- Restorative Programs
 - Mediation/Conflict Resolution
 - Restitution/Community Service
 - Teen Court
- Residential Services Programs
 - Temporary Shelter Services
 - Runaway Shelter Services

Proposed program services should **target the following Risk Factors** for delinquency or repeat delinquency:

- Substance use and assessment/treatment; Behavioral problems at school; Lacks positive peer relationships; Associates with others involved in delinquent activity; homelessness (includes: runaways from home or placement).

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

- Peer Domain: Rejected by positive peers, have some/regular associations with other delinquent peers and are in need of prosocial skill development. Associates with a gang member.
- Individual Domain: In need of substance abuse assessment/treatment services. Youth are in need of more mental health assessment services.
- Family Domain: Youth are experiencing domestic discord or violence in the home. Parents of youth are in need of parent skill building/ family support services due to reporting marginal to inadequate skills to supervise youth. With youth families having family members with criminal histories or they are currently under the supervision of court or gang involved.
- School Domain: Youth are exhibiting moderate to serious behavioral or academic problems in school.

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

1. Program services compatible with research that are shown to be effective with juvenile offenders.
2. Program services are outcome-based.
3. The program has an evaluation component.
4. Program services detect gang participation and divert individuals from gang participation.

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

New Applicants which are not JCPC funded for FY 19-20:

In order to apply for FY 2019-2020 JCPC funding, new applicants must complete and submit a *JCPC Program Agreement Application* online by accessing the Department of Public Safety data base, NC ALLIES.

Currently funded programs for FY 19-20:

In order to apply for FY 2019-2020 JCPC funding, currently funded programs must complete and submit a *JCPC Program Agreement Revision* online by accessing the Department of Public Safety data base, NC ALLIES.

New Applicants AND Currently funded programs for FY 19-20:

The Program Agreement Application or the Program Agreement Revision must include how the program will address the risk factors and concerns listed above, specifically for 16-17 year old youth.

ALL applicants must:

Read and follow all instructions at:

<https://www.ncdps.gov/index2.cfm?a=000003,002476,002483,002482,002514>

Private non-profits are required to upload the following forms in NCALLIES, or your application will be considered incomplete: 1) No Over Due Tax form (available at the above link) 2) Notarized DPS Conflict of Interest Statement (available at the above link), 3) The Non-profit's Conflict of Interest Policy; and 4) Proof of 501(c)(3) status.

Additional self-help videos to assist you are on the NCALLIES webpage (click on the HELP tab).

- ✓ For further information about the RFP, contact Eric Johnson, JCPC Chair, at 919-651-8758.
- ✓ For technical assistance about applying for Wake County JCPC funds, contact Denise Briggs, DPS Area Consultant, at 919-324-6391.

Submission Deadline: October 24, 2019, no later than 5:00pm