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INTRODUCTION

The Commonwealth of Virginia faces a major juvenile delinquency problem. According to the Department of State Police, more than 41,000 young people under the age of 18 were arrested in Virginia in 1977. Juveniles accounted for 35% of all individuals arrested for serious crimes: murder, manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, burglary, larceny, aggravated assault, and motor vehicle theft. Between 1970 and 1975 the number of delinquency cases disposed of by Virginia's juvenile courts jumped by 79%. Each year the intake divisions of the State's juvenile and domestic relations courts handle approximately 70,000 complaints, and the State's juvenile judges hold about 40,000 formal hearings on petitions filed against children. Approximately 40% of the young people appearing in juvenile court have been there previously for other offenses. In fiscal year 1975-76 more than 9,500 Virginia children were held in secure detention facilities and more than 3,700 were detained in jails prior to trial. In the same year juvenile courts committed 1,516 youths to the State Board of Corrections. Most wound up in State learning centers for average stays of six to nine months. Some 19% of the youngsters remanded to learning centers had been committed to the Department of Corrections on a previous occasion.

The economic costs of juvenile delinquency to the Commonwealth of Virginia are great. Each step of the juvenile justice process--arrest, intake, detention, adjudication, disposition, probation, incarceration, aftercare--requires the expenditure of considerable resources. While there are no statewide juvenile justice system cost figures on a per capita basis now available, a recent exploratory cost analysis of one juvenile court district revealed some preliminary data. This investigation demonstrated that each social history, a study which must be done on all children coming before the court in order to determine salient case facts, costs about \$70.00. The intake process costs almost \$18.00 per case, official probation about \$26.00 per case per month, and aftercare approximately \$30.00 per case each month. To incarcerate one youngster in a State learning center for a year costs about \$10,500.

All too often the cost of a youth's contact with the law does not end with the juvenile justice system. A large proportion of delinquents go on to become adult offenders. A 1975 study of adult inmates in Virginia prisons found that almost 52% of all convicted felons had known juvenile records. In 1975 the nation as a whole spent more than \$17.2 billion on criminal justice activities, a 16.1% increase over the previous year.

But, the financial impact of delinquency extends far beyond the criminal justice system. The value of property damaged or stolen by juveniles, while impossible to measure with any precision, is undoubtedly considerable. Even more profound is the influence of delinquency on the productivity of the country's economic system. Youngsters who pass time in juvenile institutions rather than in normal home and school settings, plus those who later return to the correctional system as adults for extended stays in prison, represent valuable human resources lost to the community. Not only are such young people unproductive while incarcerated, but many are unable to find employment after their

release from correctional facilities. As a result, the community must bear the financial burden of delinquency for years to come in the form of welfare costs and lost tax payments from citizens who are not productive. In short, the ultimate consequence of delinquency is the creation of a dependent segment of the population whose constructive energies may be lost forever.

If the economic costs of juvenile delinquency to the State and nation are great, the social and emotional costs of youth crime are even greater. The fear of moving freely on the streets, both during the day and at night, which grips most American cities and increasingly more suburbs, is largely a fear of youth crime. Much of the country's population, particularly the elderly, must live with a tragic absence of mobility, because American society has been losing the battle against delinquency. In our schools, too, we confront an atmosphere increasingly characterized by problem behavior. Such a situation leads to the loss of a vital and often unrecoverable learning opportunity that has severe ramifications on both young people and the community at large. The link between delinquency and family disintegration is also inextricable. It is no surprise that delinquent youths often come from unstable family backgrounds. The shock waves felt by a family which experiences a child's involvement with the juvenile justice system frequently compound an already poor situation. Family conflicts escalate as a result of delinquency-related events, and problems in the home fester. Many families find themselves emotionally drained and in a state of desperate unrest. Too often this instability spills over into the community. The social and emotional costs of delinquency to the individuals directly affected and to the community at large are incalculable. The costs represent a human tragedy with which society must come to grips.

American society has traditionally taken an "after-the-fact" approach to the problem of delinquency. It is only after a youngster gets into trouble that the community begins to intervene. A child who violates the law is processed through the juvenile justice system and is either placed on probation, referred to a local agency, or remanded to a State institution. By adopting such an approach society places itself in an exclusively reactive posture. The community invests all of its energies and resources in serving children after, rather than before, crimes are committed.

Statistics on youth crime in Virginia strikingly demonstrate that a reactive strategy has done little to dent the State's delinquency dilemma. Rising juvenile court caseloads and youth arrest rates clearly indicate that a new approach to solving the delinquency problem must be found. To continue pursuing an exclusively reactive strategy is to ensure continuation of the status quo or, judging from the past upward delinquency trend, the development of an even worse situation.

A new strategy must be formulated in the battle against delinquency, a strategy emphasizing prevention--the timely provision of needed services before a child comes into contact with the juvenile justice system. Like other social dilemmas, juvenile delinquency stems from highly complex causal factors and is not open to quick and easy solutions. It is well known, however, that youngsters

who get into trouble generally have a history of problems, be they familial, psychological, physiological, educational, or nutritional, which have gone untreated. A prevention approach to delinquency focuses on both the child and the family. Its goal is to ensure that children and their families receive the services they need to deal effectively with problems before those problems become acute and lead to delinquent behavior. Moreover, a prevention approach stresses the proposition that all youngsters should enjoy access to socially desirable roles and positive experiences at home, in school, at play, and at work, positive experiences which foster sound youth development and minimize the possibility of deviant behavior.

To undertake a prevention strategy, which attempts to guarantee that all youngsters receive needed services and gain access to wholesome activities, is no easy task. It requires the total commitment of the local community. Commitment begins with a community's recognition that it is responsible for its own youth problems and that it must move actively to meet the challenges posed by its youth. Such a recognition must be followed first by a willingness to coordinate all existing youth resources to ensure that children and their families promptly receive the quality services they need to solve problems, and, second, by an inclination to assess community needs comprehensively and to develop programs to fill identified gaps in services.

The prevention approach to delinquency is in its most formative stage of evolution in Virginia. The Delinquency Prevention Service, a State agency whose legislative mandate has been to develop "a delinquency prevention and youth development program to the end that better services and coordination of services are provided to children in danger of becoming delinquent," has been encouraging communities throughout the Commonwealth to experiment with a number of prevention program variations. The Delinquency Prevention Service has supported a prevention approach that allows localities the opportunity to determine their own youth needs and then develop programs to fill identified gaps in services and to correct conditions contributing to delinquency. More than 60 cities, towns, and counties in Virginia have begun to respond to delinquency from the vantage point of prevention. With technical assistance from the State Delinquency Prevention Service staff located in both a central and six regional offices, they have undertaken a variety of prevention programs ranging from youth services commissions, which coordinate dozens of youth-serving agencies, to employment projects, which offer a realistic introduction to the world of work for teenagers. This compendium provides a brief overview, arranged geographically, of almost 90 local prevention-related youth programs with which the Delinquency Prevention Service has been closely associated. These programs are currently providing direct services to approximately 40,000 children per year and planning and coordination services to hundreds of thousands more.

The adoption of a prevention strategy is the only logical method of dealing with the serious delinquency problem now confronting communities throughout Virginia. No approach which attempts to intervene after youngsters wind up in court gives hope of achieving a solution to the problem. In the long run, it is only a prevention approach which offers the promise of reducing the overwhelming human and economic costs of delinquency. Disregarding the need for prevention, postponing a meaningful commitment, is fair neither to our young people nor to ourselves; both will bear the brunt of the consequences.

DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SERVICE
PUBLIC EDUCATION EFFORTS

Before a prevention program can be initiated, the need for such a program must be recognized by the local community. The "after-the-fact" approach to the problem of delinquency serves as a barrier to the development of any real prevention effort. The Delinquency Prevention Service has been engaged in continuous public education activities as an integral part of the prevention program development process. The Prevention Service averages about one hundred public presentations a year and sends Prevention Profiles, the agency newsletter, to over three thousand individuals and agencies four times a year.

During the past five years, the Delinquency Prevention Service has developed five thirty second television spot announcements on prevention and two slide-sound shows as audio-visual aids for public presentations. In addition to Prevention Profiles, the Delinquency Prevention Service has published on a regular basis a number of publications designed to meet specific and general public education needs. A partial list follows.

- Resource Guide for Delinquency Prevention Programs - 1973, 60 pages
- Identifying Exceptional Youth Development - 1974, 19 pages
- Basic Delinquency Prevention Service public information brochure - 1974
- Functions and Responsibilities of Administrative Boards - 1976, 38 pages
- Youth Services Agency Organizational Structure - 1977, 14 pages
- Preventing Delinquency in Your Community: A Manual for Citizens - 1977, 41 pages
- The Appendices to Preventing Delinquency in Your Community - 1977, 133 pages
- Minimum Standards for Delinquency Prevention Programs - 1978, 20 pages

During this period, the Delinquency Prevention Service has also aided a large number of communities in the development of resource and needs assessment survey instruments, public information brochures specific to individual programs, and youth services information manuals for entire communities.

REGION I
TIDEWATER

PROGRAM TITLE: Friends of the Norfolk Juvenile Court, Inc.

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Norfolk

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide 25 temporary foster homes for Children in Need of Services (CHINS).
2. To provide an alternative residential placement for 60 children in need of services.
3. To provide supportive services to child, natural parents, and volunteer parents.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$17,499

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$17,499

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 51

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via
Department of Corrections pass-through grant
administered by the Delinquency Prevention
Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance;
program monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Big Sisters of the Peninsula

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Hampton, Newport News

START-UP DATE: December, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To organize and operate a Big Sisters program designed to develop a positive self-image in girls ages 8-16 by means of an individualized, voluntary relationship with a mature woman who can provide companionship and understanding
2. To recruit Big Sisters and to provide training to all volunteers.
3. To provide informal counseling and guidance to girls who are experiencing problems at home.
4. To develop a referral mechanism with youth-serving agencies throughout the area.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$17,453

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$17,453

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 26

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections pass-through grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance; program monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Tidewater

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Norfolk, Virginia Beach, Chesapeake, Portsmouth

START-UP DATE: January, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide growth supports to children on waiting list to be matched with adult volunteers through referrals to other helping agencies, regular communications, and visiting activities with children.
2. To develop a more selective and effective intake system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$16,145

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$16,145

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 171

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via
Department of Corrections pass-through grant
administered by the Delinquency Prevention
Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance;
program monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Virginia Beach Comprehensive Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Plan

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Virginia Beach

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To develop a comprehensive plan to prevent and control juvenile delinquency in Virginia Beach.
2. To prioritize solutions to youth problems listed in the comprehensive plan and to assist in their implementation and funding.
3. To develop a program of public education in regard to delinquency prevention in Virginia Beach.
4. To develop a resources directory for youth which outlines all services available to youth in Virginia Beach.
5. To develop cooperative agreements with public and private youth-serving agencies.
6. To expand existing diversion resources and develop new diversion and delinquency prevention resources.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$27,081

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$27,081

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in Virginia Beach

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Virginia Beach

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Developed original grant proposal and provided technical assistance.

PROGRAM TITLE: Virginia Beach Status Offender Diversion and Treatment Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Virginia Beach

START-UP DATE: August, 1973

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert from the Juvenile Court youth who would be charged as Children in Need of Services (CHINS).
2. To eliminate the incarceration of CHINS in the detention home and the commitment of CHINS to State institutions.
3. To reduce the recidivism rate among CHINS.
4. To reduce the number of CHINS who become juvenile and/or adult criminal offenders because of inadequate counseling in the early developmental stages of anti-social behavior.
5. To reduce probation caseloads so that probation officers may spend more time with juveniles who have committed more serious offenses.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$92,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$437,700

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 1941

FUNDING SOURCES: Law Enforcement Assistance Administration
City of Virginia Beach

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Portsmouth Youth Services Coordination

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Portsmouth

START-UP DATE: October, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To implement recommendations from Portsmouth's Comprehensive Delinquency Prevention Plan.
2. To maintain research data on the number of juveniles participating in on-going programs and the number of referrals to those programs from public agencies.
3. To increase citizen participation in problem identification, planning, and implementation of youth programs.
4. To assist private agencies in developing new delinquency prevention programs emphasizing a positive youth development approach.
5. To inform community groups and agencies about available youth services and national juvenile program trends.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$19,850

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$19,850

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in City of Portsmouth

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Portsmouth

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Participation in initial planning efforts; continuing technical assistance.

PROGRAM TITLE: Chesapeake Juvenile Court Diversion Unit

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Chesapeake

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To reduce the number of non-criminal offenses referred to juvenile court.
2. To find alternative shelter for youngsters who cannot return to their homes due to family problems.
3. To detect excessive school absences and to reduce truancy by involving the family in counseling.
4. To provide both family counseling and parenting training services.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$46,509

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$88,790

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Approximately 120 cases (families)

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Department of Corrections

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance; monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Hampton Arbitration Center

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion, Family Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Hampton

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide service alternatives for status offenders (CHINS) and non-delinquents.
2. To reduce the number of non-delinquent juveniles coming before the court by 33%.
3. To provide crisis intervention for young people and their families referred to the Center.
4. To arbitrate and resolve conflicts within referred families.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$60,331

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$123,679

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 165 families

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via
Department of Corrections pass-through grant
administered by the Delinquency Prevention
Service
City of Hampton

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance during
program development; monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Chesapeake Juvenile Court Domestic Counseling Unit

PROGRAM TYPE: Family Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Chesapeake

START-UP DATE: January, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert domestic relations cases from the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court docket and to offer counseling services to those diverted cases when appropriate.
2. To provide referral to appropriate community resources to meet special needs.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$32,573

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$95,928

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 533 cases

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Chesapeake

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development

PROGRAM TITLE: Officer Friendly (Norfolk Police Department)

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Norfolk

START-UP DATE: January, 1979

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide children with the opportunity to develop an intelligent understanding of their rights, responsibilities, and obligations as community members.
2. To provide a realistic understanding of police work and the services police perform in our society.
3. To help establish rapport between elementary school children and uniformed police officers.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$36,964

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$36,964

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 12,000 elementary school children

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Sears and Roebuck

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance regarding program development and funding.

PROGRAM TITLE: Newport News Juvenile Court Parent Counseling Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Newport News

START-UP DATE: March, 1973

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide family counseling to families of children who come within the purview of the Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court.
2. To provide counseling to families in which adults are officially or unofficially before the court with domestic problems.
3. To provide intensive work with families of juveniles who are in State Department of Corrections Learning Centers.

ANNUAL BUDGET: Funded as part of the local court service unit

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$206,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Approximately 200 families

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Department of Corrections

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Portsmouth Juvenile Court Diversion Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Portsmouth

START-UP DATE: September, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert status offenders (CHINS) from traditional court procedures.
2. To provide alternative placement to incarceration of CHINS in jails or detention homes through use of relatives' homes, friends' homes, and Volunteer homes secured through the Court Volunteer Program.
3. To reduce status offender probation caseloads, thereby freeing workers to meet more effectively the needs of delinquent youth.
4. To provide supportive counseling to status offenders and to improve parent-child relationships and communication.
5. To assist school dropouts to re-enter school or secure employment training.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$18,452

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$36,904

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 216 cases

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Portsmouth

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Norfolk Juvenile Court, Wilderness Challenge Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Norfolk

START-UP DATE: May, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide a diversion resource for status offenders (CHINS).
2. To reduce the number of commitments to state institutions.
3. To prevent or reduce the rate of juvenile crime and delinquency.
4. To reduce incidence of drug and alcohol abuses.
5. To provide an additional aftercare program for youth committed to the State.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$19,155

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$19,155

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 30

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Hampton Juvenile Court Family Counseling Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Family Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Hampton

START-UP DATE: July, 1974

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide a family oriented counseling experience for families referred to intake division of the juvenile court.
2. To reduce domestic discord through counseling.
3. To reduce the number of children who become involved in the juvenile justice system due to family problems.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$22,806

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$85,836

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 435

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

NEWPORT NEWS

PROGRAM TITLE: Youth Services of Newport News

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System coordinating office

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Newport News (some projects involving City of Hampton and the rest of the Peninsula)

START-UP DATE: March, 1974

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To identify and positively impact those conditions, institutions, policies, and practices which have a significant impact on youth and which promote youth access to socially desirable roles.
2. To provide the appropriate groups (e.g., civic, citizen, youth, agencies) with information on available community services and to help develop their roles in promoting sound youth development.
3. To directly or indirectly develop programs which focus on meeting identified needs of youth.
4. Specific program objectives for the current year are available from Youth Services of Newport News.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$49,000 plus CETA secretarial position

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: Approximately \$178,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in City of Newport News

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Newport News
Comprehensive Employment and Training Act
Department of Corrections, Division of Youth Services

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Program operation

PROGRAM TITLE: Early Intervention Specialists Project--Newport News Public Schools

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News

START-UP DATE: September, 1979

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide individual and/or group experiences that promote school success and personality development for at least 1700 elementary pupils.
2. To improve the personal and social adjustment of elementary age pupils and to decrease the number of referrals to school principals.
3. To coordinate the efforts of significant adults in the child's environment in understanding and meeting the educational and psychosocial needs of elementary pupils.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$76,886

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$76,886

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Five schools with approximately 3000 students

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Newport News Public Schools

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Identified need in research study; technical assistance to Newport News Public Schools

PROGRAM TITLE: Community Education Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Education, Recreation, Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News (Denbigh area)

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To develop and maintain a citizens advisory committee to assess Denbigh area needs and to develop community education programs.
2. To offer facilities where Denbigh residents can meet for purposes of recreation, education, and community service.
3. To offer programs designed to meet needs identified in the needs assessment.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Projected 500-1000 youth and twice as many adults

FUNDING SOURCES: Newport News Department of Recreation and Parks
Adult Education
VPI/SU Extension Services
CETA

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Service on Community Education Study Committee and Community Education Steering Committee

PROGRAM TITLE: Rent-A-Teen--Youth Services of Newport News

PROGRAM TYPE: Employment

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News

START-UP DATE: April, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide youth with odd jobs in community residences including yard work, babysitting, car washing, pet care, house cleaning, etc.
2. To provide community residents with youth skills and energy to help with household and yard chores.
3. To provide training to Rent-A-Teen to prepare them for household work and improve their job performance

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$12,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$12,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 200

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Program

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Determined need; developed program; program operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: In-school Suspension--Newport News Public Schools

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News

START-UP DATE: November, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide an in-school disciplinary alternative to out-of-school suspension for infraction of school rules.
2. To identify referred pupils' learning problems and to develop appropriate educational programs.
3. To reduce the numbers of second, third, and fourth suspensions per child.
4. To improve school attendance and student discipline.

ANNUAL BUDGET: 1977-78 = \$60,000 (Serving intermediate schools)
1978-79 = \$130,000 (Serving 4 intermediate and 4 high schools)

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$190,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 750 during 77-78
1500 projected during 78-79

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Act
Newport News Public School

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Assisted in program design and initial grant application; monitor project.

PROGRAM TITLE: Community Work Alternative Program --Newport News Juvenile Court Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News, Hampton

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert youth from juvenile court while still making them responsible for their actions.
2. To assign youth, on a voluntary basis, to community service work in lieu of court action.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$10,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$10,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 150

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Program

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and in finalizing interagency agreements.

PROGRAM TITLE: After School Program--Newport News Recreation and Parks

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To care for children of working parents after school so that they are not left alone in their homes or neighborhoods.
2. To provide wholesome recreational activities to these youth.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$21,000 for three school sites

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$21,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 90

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Newport News
Comprehensive Employment Training Act
Fees from parents

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development; publicity.

PROGRAM TITLE: Adventure Playgrounds--Newport News Recreation
and Parks

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Newport News

START-UP DATE: April, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To give children the freedom to create their own playground with boards, hammers, nails, rope, old tires, water, etc.
2. To provide children with a constructive outlet for their destructive tendencies.
3. To give children a challenging, stimulating, and adventurous alternative for use of their free time.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$100,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$100,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 1500

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Program
Donations from businesses

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program design;
location of sites; locating funds; interviewing staff; publicity.

PROGRAM TITLE: Youth Leisure Service Center--Newport News Recreation and Parks

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Newport News

START-UP DATE: January 1979 (Projected)

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To develop two youth Leisure Service Centers, one in Southeast Newport News and one in Denbigh, to provide facilities and coordination for constructive leisure activities for over 1500 target area teenage youth per year.
2. To provide professional individual and group counseling, as well as personal growth workshops, for at least 500 youth in the target areas each year.
3. To form a Youth Advisory Board in each target area with youth representatives to determine the activities and direction the center will take through recommendations to the staff on program development, policy making, discipline, and community involvement.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$40,500

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$40,500

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Projected 1500

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Newport News Department of Recreation and Parks

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Identified need in research study; assisted Recreation and Parks in program design; assisted in grant writing; invited to assist in program evaluation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Temporary Homes for Youth--Hampton Social Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News, Hampton

START-UP DATE: July, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide alternate residential placements to secure detention for status offenders.
2. To provide a normal home-like environment for youth during a crisis situation.
3. To provide short term counseling while a social worker/probation officer is working on a long term plan.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$16,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$16,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 60 during 1st year, more during subsequent years

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Hampton

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in grant preparation; assisted in locating a sponsoring agency; consultation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Parent Education/Family Living Skills Program
(Alternatives, Inc.)

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Education, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Newport News

START-UP DATE: July, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To involve at least 325 parents and 75 youth identified as needing supportive services (showing early signs of family dysfunction, or indicating potential delinquency) in educational workshops which are designed to improve communication and attitudes within the family and to foster more positive parent/child relationships.
2. To provide Newport News with a referral source for prevention and intervention services for CHINS and their families.
3. To promote in the community an awareness of the importance of the family in preventing delinquency, substance abuse, and other problems.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$30,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$30,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 75 children and 325 parents

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Alternatives, Inc.

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Assessed need in research study; wrote grant; conducted "bidding" process for service providers; monitoring; consultation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Youth Employment and Training Program (YETP)
Youth and Community Conservation and Improvement
Project (YCCIP)

PROGRAM TYPE: Employment

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Planning District 21

START-UP DATE: January, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. YETP: To establish programs to make significant long-term impact on the structural unemployment problems of youth, to enhance their job prospects and career opportunities, to provide the training and supportive services necessary to enable participants to secure suitable and appropriate unsubsidized employment in the public and private sectors of the economy.
2. (YCCIP): To establish a program of labor intensive, community conservation and improvement projects to provide employment, work experience, skill training, and opportunities for community service to eligible youths.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$662,700

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$662,700

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 200

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Act
Youth Employment and Training Act

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Member of Youth Task Force which developed and approved plans for both youth employment programs.

REGION II
RICHMOND

PROGRAM TITLE: Richmond Youth Services Commission

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Richmond

START-UP DATE: Ordinance passed December 20, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To "determine the priority of providing services for youth" in the City of Richmond.
2. To seek solutions to the problem of juvenile delinquency by assessing and evaluating community needs and resources relative to youth.
3. To develop, monitor, and assist in the implementation of a comprehensive juvenile delinquency prevention plan.
4. To recommend changes in policies and procedures to promote youth development.
5. To operate youth programs as assigned by City Council.

ANNUAL BUDGET: Approximately \$50,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: Approximately \$160,000. This includes Youth Advisory Council and Office on Youth created in 1973 and grant funds to print INFO I and II (Resource Manuals).

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in the City of Richmond

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Richmond

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST; Technical assistance and consultation to Youth Advisory Council during reorganization into Youth Services Commission. Membership on Education Task Force and Professional Advisory Committee to the Commission.

PROGRAM TITLE: Chesterfield Youth Services Commission

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Chesterfield County

START-UP DATE: Resolution passed June 14, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To advise the County Board of Supervisors regarding planning and policies affecting youth development.
2. To assess youth needs and resources and develop a comprehensive delinquency prevention plan.
3. To provide a public forum on youth issues and to involve the community in the solutions to youth problems.
4. To facilitate access to existing community services for youth.
5. To recommend additional youth services where needed.

ANNUAL BUDGET: None

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: None

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Chesterfield County

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation to Chesterfield Youth Services Task Force; member of subcommittee of Youth Services Commission.

PROGRAM TITLE: Richmond Youth Development Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Richmond

START-UP DATE: February 1, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert status offenders from the juvenile justice system.
2. To provide medical, psychological, nutritional, social, and learning disability diagnostic and treatment services to young people in danger of entering the juvenile justice system.
3. To provide outreach services to clients to insure they get the services they need.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$164,304 (1st year)
\$175,000 (2nd year)

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$164,304

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 450

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections Pass-through Grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service.

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance during grant development and pass-through arrangements; monitoring and consultation during operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Exploring Diversion and Prevention Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion and Delinquency Prevention

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Cities of Richmond, Petersburg, Hopewell and Colonial Heights, and Counties of Henrico, Hanover, Chesterfield and Prince George

START-UP DATE: November 1, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide potential delinquent and status offender youth with a positive youth development program: Exploring sponsored by the Robert E. Lee Council of the Boy Scouts of America.
2. To organize available community resources and to generate adult participation to stimulate growth, positive attitudes, and leadership qualities in young people who are in danger of becoming delinquents or status offenders.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$18,666
(2nd year anticipated)

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$18,666

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 500

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections Pass-Through Grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service.

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation during grant development and application process; monitoring and consultation during program operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Rural Delinquency Prevention Project

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Planning District 19 (Cities of Colonial Heights, Emporia, Hopewell, and Petersburg. Counties of Dinwiddie, Greenville, Prince George, Surry, and Sussex)

START-UP DATE: July 1, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide staff support to nine localities in Planning District 19 to develop youth services systems.
2. To organize citizen youth advocacy bodies.
3. To identify youth needs and resources in Planning District 19.
4. To develop comprehensive youth services plans and to seek implementation of recommendations.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$31,872

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$31,872

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Planning District 19

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections Pass-through Grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service.

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Designed original project as part of an LEAA Special Emphasis Grant; provided technical assistance in the change to Department of Corrections grant and subsequent DJCP approval; developed pass-through contract with PDC 19 and served on interview team to hire Juvenile Services Planner; monitoring and consultation during operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Henrico Citizens Interested in Youth

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System Task Force

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Henrico County

START-UP DATE: January, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To examine Henrico County's youth needs and resources.
2. To develop recommendations for the Henrico Board of Supervisors regarding the establishment of a youth services system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Henrico County

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST; Technical assistance; consultation to the Thomas Jefferson Junior Woman's Club as the sponsoring group; citizen membership.

PROGRAM TITLE: Prevention/Community Education Subcommittee of Joint
Mental Health/Mental Retardation Project on Acute
Needs of Children

PROGRAM TYPE: Mental Health/Mental Retardation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Metropolitan Richmond area

START-UP DATE: January, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To examine the delivery of mental health and mental retardation services for youth in the Richmond metropolitan area.
2. To identify gaps in mental health and mental retardation services for youth and to work cooperatively to fill those gaps.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Richmond metropolitan area

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support provided by United Way of Greater Richmond

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Member

PROGRAM TITLE: Delinquency Prevention Workshop of the Juvenile Court-Public School Task Force (Region I)

PROGRAM TYPE: Community Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Juvenile Court-Public Schools Task Force Region I (Juvenile Court Districts 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14)

START-UP DATE: Workshop held February 4, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide regional public and private agency personnel and citizens with information regarding delinquency prevention.
2. To encourage support for coordination of existing or planned youth services programs.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$597.38 (total expenses)

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$597.38

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Region I (attendance at workshop: 100 professionals and citizens)

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Youth Services Workshop Grant (\$100); participant fees

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation; member of both Region I Juvenile Court-Public School Task Force and Workshop Subcommittee; agenda participant.

PROGRAM TITLE: Dropout Advisory Committee of Richmond Public Schools

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Richmond Public Schools

START-UP DATE: Spring, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To offer advice and recommendations to Richmond Public Schools regarding policies and procedures to prevent dropouts including areas such as attendance, discipline, and educational alternatives.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All school age youth in City of Richmond (37,000)

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support provided by Richmond Public Schools

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST; Member

PROGRAM TITLE: Low Income Development Committee of the Robert E. Lee Council, Boy Scouts of America

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Robert E. Lee Council (Cities of Colonial Heights, Hopewell, Petersburg, and Richmond; and twenty-three (23) surrounding contiguous counties)

START-UP DATE: December, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To improve the Council's capability and resources in offering scouting to low income youth.
2. To promote innovative approaches to institutional sponsorship of scouting programs.
3. To develop a uniform exchange and summer camp scholarship program.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth within Council area

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support provided by Scout Council

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Member-at-large of Scout Council; member of Low Income Development Committee; Chairman of Relationships Subcommittee; designed and held Scouting Awareness Workshop on April 18, 1978, to recruit institutional sponsors.

PROGRAM TITLE: Youth Advocates of Petersburg

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Petersburg and surrounding area

START-UP DATE: April, 1974

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To examine youth needs and resources in the Petersburg area.
2. To make recommendations regarding changes in policies and procedures affecting youth development.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in the Petersburg area

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation to Federated Women's Club of Petersburg during their Justice for Juveniles Project; formation of Youth Advocates of Petersburg's predecessor the Youth Advisory Committee; on-going technical assistance and consultation as requested.

PROGRAM TITLE: Explorer Post 900

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Henrico Juvenile Court Service Unit - District 14

START-UP DATE: August, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide youth referred to Juvenile Court structured activities and group interaction that will improve their social skills, self image, and communication.
2. To divert youth from further entry into the juvenile justice system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Approximately 35

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support voluntarily provided by Henrico Juvenile Court

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation beginning in May 1976 with presentation of concept to Court Service Unit Director; subsequent planning with court staff and Exploring Executive; ongoing consultation as requested.

PROGRAM TITLE: Explorer Post 650

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Petersburg Juvenile Court Service Unit - District 11

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide status and minor offenders referred to Juvenile Court an alternative to probation by involvement in structured activities, group interaction focusing on self-awareness, personal growth, and community services.
2. To divert youth from further entry into the juvenile justice system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Approximately 30

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support voluntarily provided by Petersburg Juvenile Court

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation beginning in April, 1977, with presentation of concept to Court Service Unit Director and Chief Judge; subsequent planning meetings with court staff and Exploring Executive; on-going consultation as requested.

PROGRAM TITLE: Explorer Post 600

PROGRAM TYPE: Court Alternative and Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Richmond Juvenile Court Service Unit - District 13

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide delinquent youth referred to Juvenile Court with an alternative in addition to regular probation by involvement in structured activities, group interaction and values clarification.
2. To divert youth from further entry into the juvenile justice system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Approximately 30

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support voluntarily provided by Richmond Juvenile Court

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation with Court staff and Exploring Executive; on-going consultation as requested.

PROGRAM TITLE: Justice and Crime Prevention Advisory Committee

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services Planning

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Planning District 19 (Cities of Colonial Heights, Emporia, Hopewell, and Petersburg. Counties of Dinwiddie, Greenville, Prince George, Surry, and Sussex.)

START-UP DATE: July, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide advice and recommendations to Planning District 19 regarding provision of services to status offenders (Children in Need of Services) since the Juvenile Code Revision (H. B. 518) of 1977.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Planning District 19

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support provided by Planning District 19

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Member; technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: YMCA Virginia Cluster Training

PROGRAM TYPE: Training

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: State of Virginia

START-UP DATE: February 21, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide training on youth program development, funding and implementation to Directors and Administrators of YMCA's within Virginia.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in State

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support provided by YMCA of Metropolitan Richmond

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Conducted training session on Youth Programs and Community Resources.

PROGRAM TITLE: Crime Reduction: Law and Law Enforcement's Role

PROGRAM TYPE: Community Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Professionals and citizens in tri-city (Colonial Heights, Hopewell, and Petersburg) area

START-UP DATE: Panel held on June 22, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To increase public awareness concerning the issues of juvenile and adult crime.
2. To generate support for community involvement projects to reduce crime as part of the National Hands Up Project of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in tri-city area

FUNDING SOURCES: Organization and support provided by the Federated Women's Club of Petersburg and Richard Bland College

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Gave delinquency prevention presentation as a member of Crime Reduction Panel.

PROGRAM TITLE: Camp Brady Saunders Boy Scouts of America

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: State of Virginia

START-UP DATE: Staff development training held June 22, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide a year round camping facility to be utilized by Scout Councils throughout the State for youth recreation and adult leadership development.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: Individual camper fees and community contributions

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Conducted a one-day summer staff development workshop on Working with the Disadvantaged Youth.

PROGRAM TITLE: Listening Post of American National Red Cross
Richmond Chapter

PROGRAM TYPE: Informal Counseling and Referral

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Richmond and Hanover County

START-UP DATE: Training session held December 19, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide non-professional counseling and referral services to youth through volunteer big brothers and sisters.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in City of Richmond and Hanover County

FUNDING SOURCES: Staff support provided by Red Cross

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Conducted training session for volunteers on Community Relations and Resource Development.

PROGRAM TITLE: Urban Day Camps - Richmond Community Action Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation, Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Richmond

START-UP DATE: Summer, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide organized summer recreational and educational activities for youngsters ages 8-13 who cannot afford to go to camp.
2. To maintain the educational progress of students by providing them with positive educational experiences during the summer months.
3. To promote positive attitudes and a sense of responsibility in youth.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$20,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$80,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 900

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Act

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Chaired Urban Day Camp Committee of Richmond Youth Advisory Council; program development; technical assistance.

REGION III
NORTHERN VIRGINIA

PROGRAM TITLE: Loudoun County Office of Youth Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Loudoun County

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To plan, coordinate, and advocate for youth services in Loudoun County.
2. To establish emergency shelter and group homes.
3. To assist in manpower program planning for youth.
4. To promote understanding and awareness of youth services through public education.
5. To promote recreation and other needed programs for county youth.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$17,500

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$17,500

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in Loudoun County

FUNDING SOURCES: Loudoun County

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultant services to youth coordinator and board.

PROGRAM TITLE: Alexandria Youth Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Alexandria

START-UP DATE: July, 1971

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To establish goals and priorities for city youth services.
2. To undertake comprehensive assessment of youth needs.
3. To develop a stronger network of public and private youth-serving agencies.
4. To improve awareness of youth programs among youth and their families.
5. To increase youth employment opportunities and improve youth job readiness.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$25,080

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$374,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in City of Alexandria; direct services to 2,640

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Alexandria

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultation to the director and technical assistance in the needs assessment process.

PROGRAM TITLE: Fairfax YMCA: Looking Glass I

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: County of Fairfax

START-UP DATE: February, 1975

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To change conditions in Fairfax County that foster delinquency.
2. To maintain a free counseling and referral service for teens and young adults.
3. To provide a drop-in center on weekends where teens can interact with their peers and counselors.
4. To provide opportunity for positive group interaction through conferences, classes, outings, and discussions.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$12,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$31,700

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 300

FUNDING SOURCES: YMCA

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultation, primarily in regard to fundraising; staff training

PROGRAM TITLE: Fairfax YMCA: Looking Glass II

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: County of Fairfax

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide youth in the Herndon-Reston area with long-term counseling services.
2. To provide counseling services to pre-delinquent youth and status offenders.
3. To improve the behavior and attitudes of client as reflected in their actions at home at in school.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$16,480

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$16,480

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 50

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via
Department of Corrections pass-through grant
administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation during grant development and application process; monitoring and consultation during program operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Boys Club of Prince William County - Youth Employment Service

PROGRAM TYPE: Employment

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Prince William County

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To function as a cooperative resource agency for law enforcement authorities and the juvenile court.
2. To provide counseling services to youth as an alternative to entry into the juvenile justice system.
3. To assist youth referred by the juvenile court in finding employment.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$16,475

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$16,475

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 62

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections pass-through grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation during grant development and application process; monitoring and consultation during operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Project Reach - Northern Virginia Urban League

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Alexandria

START-UP DATE: December, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide individual, group, and family counseling to male youths, ages 13-14, who have been referred by the police, juvenile court, and schools.
2. To divert youth from entry into the juvenile justice system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$18,750

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$18,750

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 60

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections pass-through grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation during grant development and application process; monitoring and consultation during program operation.

PROGRAM TITLE: Fauquier County Youth Committee

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Fauquier County

START-UP DATE: May, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To coordinate and improve services to youth in Fauquier County. (Program is in its formative stage and a full set of objectives is now being determined.)

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All youth in Fauquier County

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultation in developing a new youth services program; technical assistance in regard to alternative organizational structures and goals.

PROGRAM TITLE: Alexandria United Way

PROGRAM TYPE: All youth services

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Alexandria

START-UP DATE: N/A

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To co-sponsor with Alexandria Youth Services a Task Force to study the Alexandria youth needs assessment and report to Alexandria City Council with recommendations.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: United Way

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance regarding youth services programming; consultation on composition of the task force and its subcommittees.

PROGRAM TITLE: Arlington Mental Health and Mental Retardation Youth Services Project

PROGRAM TYPE: Mental Health

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Arlington County

START-UP DATE: May, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To define the nature and the extent of the mental health problems of Arlington County's youth population.
2. To inventory existing resources for meeting these problems.
3. To assess the current and projected need for specific services and facilities for the target group.
4. To identify and make recommendations for meeting needs and avoiding duplication of services.
5. To develop priorities for future programs, continuation and expansion of existing services, and elimination of unnecessary projects.
6. To develop strategies for implementing program priorities.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$24,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$24,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in Arlington County

FUNDING SOURCES: Virginia Department of Mental Health/Mental Retardation

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultation at the request of program director, with emphasis on youth services program development.

PROGRAM TITLE: Arlington Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court

PROGRAM TYPE: Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Arlington County

START-UP DATE: N/A

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To sponsor a two-part seminar on domestic violence

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Organized panel; coordinated publicity; co-sponsored the project.

PROGRAM TITLE: Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Public Education Program for Northern Virginia

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Entire Northern Virginia region including Alexandria, Arlington, Prince William, Loudoun, Falls Church, Fairfax, Fauquier, and Rappahannock

START-UP DATE: July, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To raise the awareness level of Northern Virginians regarding juvenile justice and delinquency prevention issues through the sponsorship of a series of workshops, seminars, newspaper articles, television, radio programs, and mailings

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Working with citizen and media advisory committee to organize and carry out all aspects of this program.

PROGRAM TITLE: In-service training for workers and organizations involved in delinquency prevention activities

PROGRAM TYPE: Training

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Entire Northern Virginia region including Alexandria, Arlington, Prince William, Loudoun, Falls Church, Fairfax, Fauquier, and Rappahannock

START-UP DATE: July, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide meaningful support through the provision of information and training on a voluntary basis. Topics covered will include fundraising, use of media, communications skills, legislative process, sexual abuse in families, introduction to and explanation of parent training programs.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: N/A

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Working with Youth Worker Advisory Committee to plan and carry out all aspects of this program.

REGION IV
VALLEY

PROGRAM TITLE: Staunton Youth Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service System, Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Staunton

START-UP DATE: September, 1975

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To enhance coordination of activities among youth-serving agencies in Staunton.
2. To provide short-term and in-depth counseling services to children referred by other agencies.
3. To assist in formation and operation of a Big Sisters and Big Brothers program in conjunction with Mary Baldwin College.
4. To assist youngsters in finding summer job opportunities.
5. To develop an employment-oriented educational program designed to provide career skills and prevent school dropouts.
6. To sponsor, in conjunction with Blue Ridge Mental Health Center, parenting education classes.
7. To sponsor a Youth Council.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$14,625
\$88,000 CETA Title III grant for Employment Program

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$54,457
\$88,000 CETA Title III

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Approximately 350

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Staunton
Youth Employment Training Act
Comprehensive Employment and Training Act

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and establishment of Commission; needs assessment; draft of Commission report to establish Office on Youth; on-going technical assistance in program development and evaluation; specific assistance in on-going needs assessment.

PROGRAM TITLE: Waynesboro Youth Commission and Office on Youth

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service System, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Waynesboro

START-UP DATE: February, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide formal and informal counseling of young people in the absence of existing services.
2. To offer consultation services to local agencies in assessing service needs, resources and referral mechanisms.
3. To develop a comprehensive plan for youth services in Waynesboro and to implement programs as indicated in comprehensive plan.
4. To provide a public forum for discussion of youth concerns.
5. To act as an advocate for all youth in Waynesboro and make the public aware of new and innovative programs available.
6. To encourage communication among all youth-serving agencies in the City.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$24,500

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$24,500

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in City of Waynesboro

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Waynesboro

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation in all aspects of the development of the Commission; goal setting, program development and problem solving; assistance in drafting of recommendation to City Council for formation of Commission; drafting of ordinance establishing the Commission and Office on Youth; assistance in development and writing of grant for Office on Youth.

PROGRAM TITLE: Rockbridge Area Committee for Youth

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System (steering committee)

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Rockbridge County, Cities of Lexington and Buena Vista

START-UP DATE: February, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To identify agencies which serve youth in the impact area and to define services available and agencies' ability to meet youth service needs in the area.
2. To compile a cross-referenced directory of all youth services, hours of operation, key contact people, and brief program description.
3. To compile a youth needs assessment which will study youth perception of problems and needs in area and provide a complete picture of youth problems, resources, and gaps in services.
4. In cooperation with local news media to keep public and local jurisdictions aware of needs of community and to advocate for needed changes.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$650

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: Local businesses and civic organizations

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation primarily in areas of public awareness, goal setting, and action planning; public education including workshops and presentations; assistance in design of survey instruments and methodology.

PROGRAM TITLE: Charlottesville Youth Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service Bureau, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Charlottesville

START-UP DATE: March, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To inform citizens about youth services available in the city and to refer them to the appropriate agency.
2. To diagnose the problems of children and to design appropriate plans for problem alleviation, and to follow-up on cases to assure service has been delivered.
3. To make information on employment and careers available to youth and to provide placements for youth under the Youth Employment and Training Program.
4. To study and catalogue existing services in the city on an on-going basis and to develop a resource directory which will be updated annually.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$14,400
\$99,800 CETA Title III - Employment and Career Counseling

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$14,400
\$99,800 CETA

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 400

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Comprehensive Employment and Training Act - Title III
United Way

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation in all phases; specific assistance in development of Steering Committee and grant application procedure

PROGRAM TITLE: Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Harrisonburg-Rockingham County

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Harrisonburg, Rockingham County

START-UP DATE: January, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide boys and girls between the ages 7 and 18 who are experiencing family problems with a one-to-one relationship with an older person.
2. To provide recreational opportunities for youngsters for whom adult volunteers are not available.
3. To promote positive youth development and to prevent delinquency.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$22,698

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$38,098

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 100

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Act
United Way
Title XX
Individual donations

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and continuing consultation on program development; specific assistance in developing funding base and application to Big Brothers/Big Sisters National Organization

PROGRAM TITLE: Community Juvenile Services Coordinator

PROGRAM TYPE: Community-school relations

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Orange County

START-UP DATE: June, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To reduce the number of children entering the juvenile justice system through the coordination of efforts of the school and the community.
2. To strengthen ties between families and the school and to reduce excessive absenteeism by coordination of efforts between the school and youth-serving agencies.
3. To enhance referral mechanisms to insure maximum utilization of existing resources and to reduce the likelihood of children becoming lost in the "system."
4. To enhance school-family communication by providing an avenue for the exchange of concerns of parents.
5. To increase citizen involvement in the schools by making volunteers available to the schools for non-professional roles.
6. To stimulate public awareness by holding public workshops on topics of interest to school professionals and community residents.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$17,922

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$17,922

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Orange County School Board

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation; direct assistance in preparation of grant application and in gathering resource and data information

REGION V

ROANOKE

PROGRAM TITLE: Pittsylvania County Youth Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: 22nd Judicial District: Pittsylvania County,
Chatham

START-UP DATE: December, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To coordinate youth-serving agencies in Pittsylvania County to ensure that children receive complete services.
2. To provide guidance and counseling to youth.
3. To provide alternative counseling services to youth diverted from the juvenile court.
4. To develop in-school suspension and other innovative education-related programs.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$31,473

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$87,123

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: All children in Pittsylvania County
(155 children receive direct services)

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Pittsylvania County

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation; grant monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Appomattox Court School Counselor

PROGRAM TYPE: Education, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City and County of Appomattox

START-UP DATE: September, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide a court-school coordinator for dropouts, truants, and children with school-related behavioral problems.
2. To provide special counseling services to youth in danger of becoming delinquent.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$13,878

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$13,878

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City and County of Appomattox

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in writing grant proposal; consultation; monitoring

PROGRAM TITLE: Appomattox County Alternative Education Plan

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Appomattox County

START-UP DATE: September, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide special services to children in danger of becoming delinquent.
2. To prevent school dropouts.
3. To prepare young people for the world of work.

ANNUAL BUDGET: To be determined

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: County of Appomattox
Comprehensive Employment and Training Act

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultant in establishing action plan; technical assistance in developing application for funding

PROGRAM TITLE: Campbell County Delinquency Prevention Specialist

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Employment, Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Campbell County

START-UP DATE: 1975

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert youth from the juvenile justice system.
2. To provide special services to children in danger of becoming delinquent.
3. To provide services to young people who are experiencing problems in school.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$15,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 150

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Campbell County

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Amherst County Delinquency Prevention Specialist

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System, Counseling, Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Amherst County

START-UP DATE: 1975

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert youth from the juvenile justice system.
2. To provide special services to children in danger of becoming delinquent.
3. To provide services to young people who are experiencing problems in school.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$14,500

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Amherst County

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Lynchburg Youth Services, Inc.

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Service System, Diversion, Employment,
Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Lynchburg

START-UP DATE: December, 1972

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To divert youth from the juvenile justice system.
2. To provide service brokerage to youth in danger of entering the juvenile justice system.
3. To provide informal counseling and employment services to youth.
4. To encourage cooperation among youth-serving agencies in Lynchburg.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$110,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$350,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 400

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via
Department of Corrections pass-through grant administered by the Delinquency
Prevention Service; Comprehensive Employment and Training Act; City of
Lynchburg; United Fund

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in both
program development and grant writing; monitoring and consultation during
program operation

PROGRAM TITLE: Roanoke Valley Office on Youth

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke, Roanoke County, Salem, Vinton

START-UP DATE: To be determined

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To establish a mechanism to coordinate all youth-serving agencies in the Roanoke Valley.
2. To assess youth needs and to develop plans to augment existing youth services.
3. To reduce the incidence of delinquency in the Roanoke Valley.

(Project is currently in the steering committee phase.)

ANNUAL BUDGET: To be determined

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: Will serve all children in the Roanoke Valley

FUNDING SOURCES: To be determined

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultant services to steering committee

PROGRAM TITLE: Roanoke City School Resource Officers

PROGRAM TYPE: Education, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke

START-UP DATE: September, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide the opportunity for positive contact between students and law enforcement officials.
2. To provide young people who are experiencing education problems with special services while they remain in school.
3. To reduce school problems that lead to court contact.

ANNUAL BUDGET: To be determined

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Roanoke

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Consultant to City administration
in development of the program

PROGRAM TITLE: Salem School Resource Officer

PROGRAM TYPE: Education, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Salem

START-UP DATE: September, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide the opportunity for positive contact between students and law enforcement officials.
2. To provide young people who are experiencing education problems with special services while they remain in school.
3. To reduce school problems that lead to court contact.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 130

FUNDING SOURCES: City of Salem

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Youth Activities Centers - Total Action Against Poverty

PROGRAM TYPE: Counseling, Education, Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke

START-UP DATE: September, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To operate community-based youth centers in four areas where high concentrations of juvenile offenders live.
2. To provide recreational and educational services to young people.
3. To provide informal counseling to young people.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$81,534

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$81,534

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 400

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Roanoke

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance to Total Action Against Poverty, the agency operating this program

PROGRAM TITLE: Outward Bound

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke

START-UP DATE: 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide out-of-doors recreational outlets to children in danger of becoming delinquent.
2. To provide youngsters with a sense of responsibility and self-reliance in order to help them deal more effectively with their problems.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$65,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$130,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 125

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Roanoke

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Coach Program (sponsored by Total Action Against Poverty)

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To offer daily, organized recreational activities in areas where high concentrations of delinquent and pre-delinquent youth reside.
2. To use athletics to reach youngsters who do not ordinarily participate in youth-serving agency activities.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$18,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$18,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 475

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention via Department of Corrections pass-through grant administered by the Delinquency Prevention Service

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance and consultation during grant development and application process; monitoring and consultation during operation

PROGRAM TITLE: Coordinated Youth Services (sponsored by Total Action Against Poverty)

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System, Employment

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke

START-UP DATE: 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To refer youngsters in need of services to the proper agency.
2. To provide youth with employment information.
3. To provide counseling services to youth.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$56,168

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION; \$150,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 1300

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Total Action Against Poverty
City of Roanoke

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Danville Alternative Education Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Danville

START-UP DATE: September, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide alternative educational opportunities for youngsters who manifest behavioral problems.
2. To divert youngsters who are experiencing school problems from the juvenile justice system.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$130,000 (pending approval)

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$130,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Act
(pending approval)

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and application for funds; consultation to school superintendent

PROGRAM TITLE: Roanoke County Youth Bureau

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Services System, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Roanoke County

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To encourage the sheriff's department to divert youth from the juvenile justice system.
2. To stimulate cooperation among youth-serving agencies.
3. To refer youngsters in need of services to the proper agency.

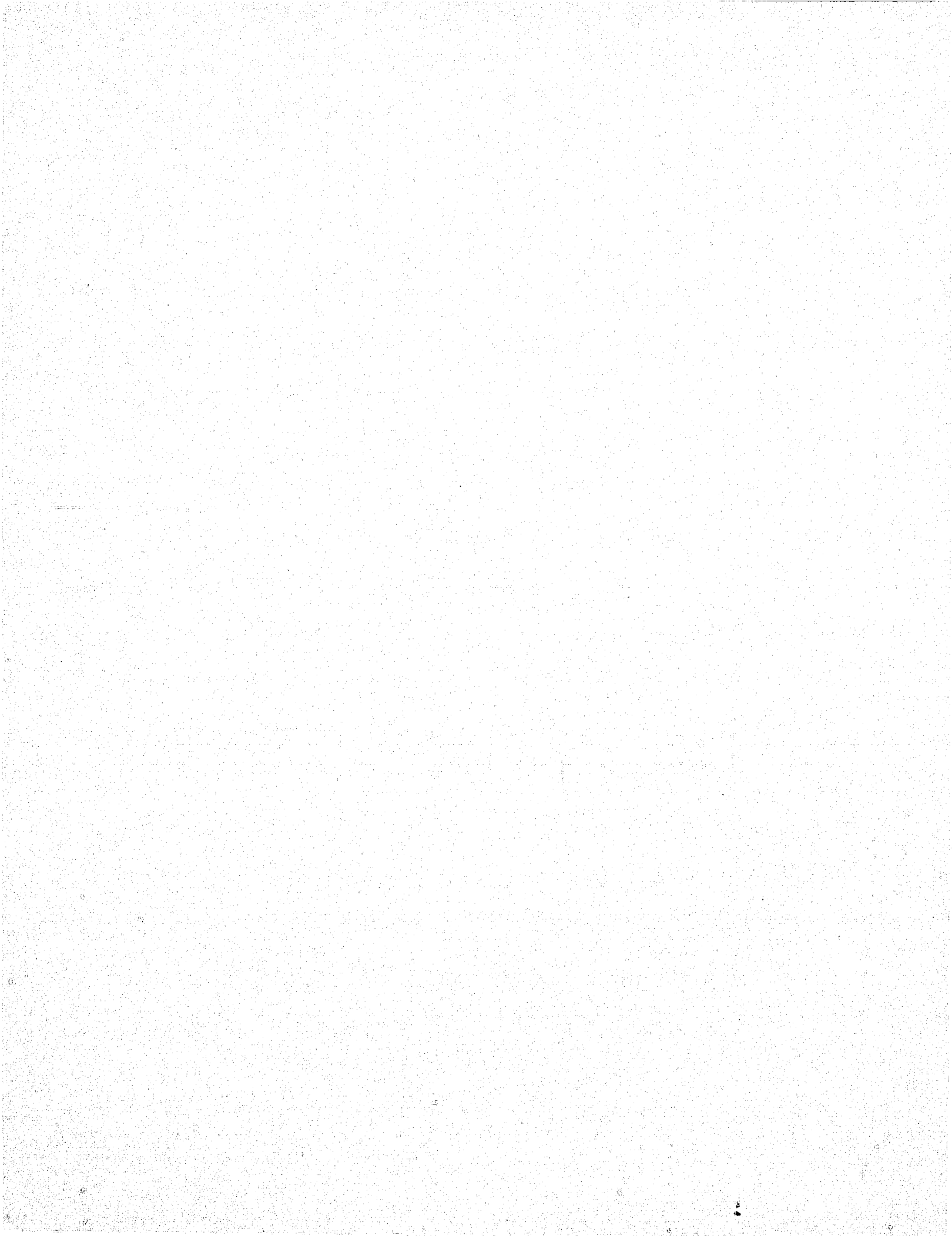
ANNUAL BUDGET: \$53,300

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$106,600

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
County of Roanoke

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance; serving on Board of Directors



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PROGRAM TITLE: City of Roanoke Alternative Education Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Roanoke

START-UP DATE: October, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To provide an alternative education program for students who are having academic and/or behavioral problems.
2. To encourage dropouts to return to school.
3. To provide counseling services to reduce tension in the Roanoke schools.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$140,922

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$140,922

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 125

FUNDING SOURCES: Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Office of Education

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance; serves on Board of Directors

REGION VI
SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA

PROGRAM TITLE: Wise County-Norton Alternative School

PROGRAM TYPE: Education, Counseling, Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Wise County-Norton

START-UP DATE: February, 1979

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To develop an alternative education program designed to meet the needs of children experiencing educational and behavioral problems.
2. To operate a tutorial program for children in need of remedial attention.
3. To operate an outreach program for families in need of special services.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$43,186

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development, community organization, and preparation of grant

PROGRAM TITLE: 28th Juvenile Court District Status Offender Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Bristol, Washington, and Smyth Counties

START-UP DATE: June, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To develop diversion resources for alleged or potential status offenders.
2. To survey existing resources for youth and to coordinate youth-serving agencies to avoid duplication and lack of follow-up.
3. To develop appropriate residential services for status offenders who can no longer remain at home.
4. To assist in the development of one alternative educational program for truants.
5. To recruit volunteers to assist agencies which are working with status offenders.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$13,614

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION; \$13,614

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 60

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Department of Corrections

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and preparation of grant; on-going monitoring and consultation

PROGRAM TITLE: Boys Club Outreach Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: City of Bristol

START-UP DATE: July, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To identify pre-delinquent youth as determined by information received from schools, courts, and other social agencies.
2. To involve identified youth in program of the Boys Club and/or other youth-serving agencies.
3. To provide each child with a minimum of one hour of personal counseling per week during the first eight weeks of program involvement.
4. To recruit and train volunteers who will assist in providing personal contacts.
5. To provide a minimum of 15 hours per week of social and recreational activities for each individual, using the Boys Club facilities or other appropriate agencies.
6. To conduct a quarterly review of all program participants to determine their interest level or reasons for their failure to participate.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$11,697

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: \$11,697

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 150

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
City of Bristol

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and preparation of grant; consultation

PROGRAM TITLE: Odyssey

PROGRAM TYPE: Youth Development, Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Region VI - Southwest Virginia

START-UP DATE: September, 1976

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To design and develop a series of experiential programs to be made available to youthful offenders and those identified as potential offenders.
2. To recruit and train community volunteers to take part in the programs and participate in follow-up activities.
3. To acquaint all court counselors and judges in Southwest Virginia with the program's methodology.
4. To evaluate the program's effectiveness in reducing recidivism in youthful offenders.
5. To develop a scholarship program based on local donations through which students can earn a portion of their trip expenses by means of public service activities.
6. To establish a program model which will be transferable to other areas.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$27,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 160

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Localities in Southwest Virginia

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and preparation of grant; secured camp location on a lease of \$1 per year; on-going consultation

PROGRAM TITLE: Lee County Recreation Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Recreation

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Lee County

START-UP DATE: October, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To augment recreational opportunities for youth in Lee County.
(Additional objectives are currently in the formulation stage.)

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$10,000

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION; \$10,000

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: Comprehensive Employment and Training Act
Lee County

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance

PROGRAM TITLE: Buchanan County Dropout Prevention Program

PROGRAM TYPE: Education, Counseling

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Buchanan County

START-UP DATE: February, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To identify 200 potential dropouts in the four schools of the target area.
2. To establish personal contact with 150 of the identified young people for the purpose of determining what services should be offered.
3. To provide tutoring for individual students or small groups in order to upgrade basic academic skills.
4. To identify sources of part-time employment in Buchanan County, and to establish agreements with them to provide part-time employment for potential dropouts.
5. To assist the Buchanan County school system in exploring the development of an in-school suspension program.
6. To contact families of potential dropouts to encourage them to support efforts to keep their children in school.
7. To provide a presentation to individual classes at the elementary and junior high level on the values of obtaining a high school education.

ANNUAL BUDGET: \$9,500

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION; \$9,500

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: To be determined

FUNDING SOURCES: Buchanan County

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and preparation of grant; on-going consultation

PROGRAM TITLE: Television series on Child Development

PROGRAM TYPE: Education

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Viewing area of WCYB-TV (Southwest Virginia and parts of West Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, and North Carolina)

START-UP DATE: June 14, 1978

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To produce a series of television programs designed to provide useful information to young parents on topics related to child development including perceptual development, nutrition, the effects of divorce, emotional needs, child abuse.

ANNUAL BUDGET: N/A

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION: N/A

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: N/A

FUNDING SOURCES: Time provided free by WCYB-TV, Bristol, Virginia

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Organized and coordinated entire television series.

PROGRAM TITLE: New River Valley Youth Services

PROGRAM TYPE: Diversion

JURISDICTIONS SERVED: Pulaski, Montgomery, Giles, Floyd Counties,
City of Radford

START-UP DATE: September, 1977

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. To complete five youth needs assessments, one for each jurisdiction.
2. To assist in the development of an alternative residential center for status offenders and problem youths.
3. To develop 15 agreements with existing service agencies for referral of alleged and adjudicated status offenders and problem youths.
4. To develop, through the coordination of existing resources, a program of individual and family counseling, and crisis intervention for problem youth and their families.
5. To establish jurisdictional youth councils in three jurisdictions to provide input of needs and information to the district-wide youth program.
6. To plan for and assist in the development of three alternative educational, recreational, and/or creative programs for alleged and adjudicated status offenders and problem youths.
7. To promote awareness of and foster development of at least two programs of life planning skills for status offenders. These programs would encompass such fields as personal accounting, nutrition, sexuality, substance abuse, and inter-personal communications skills.

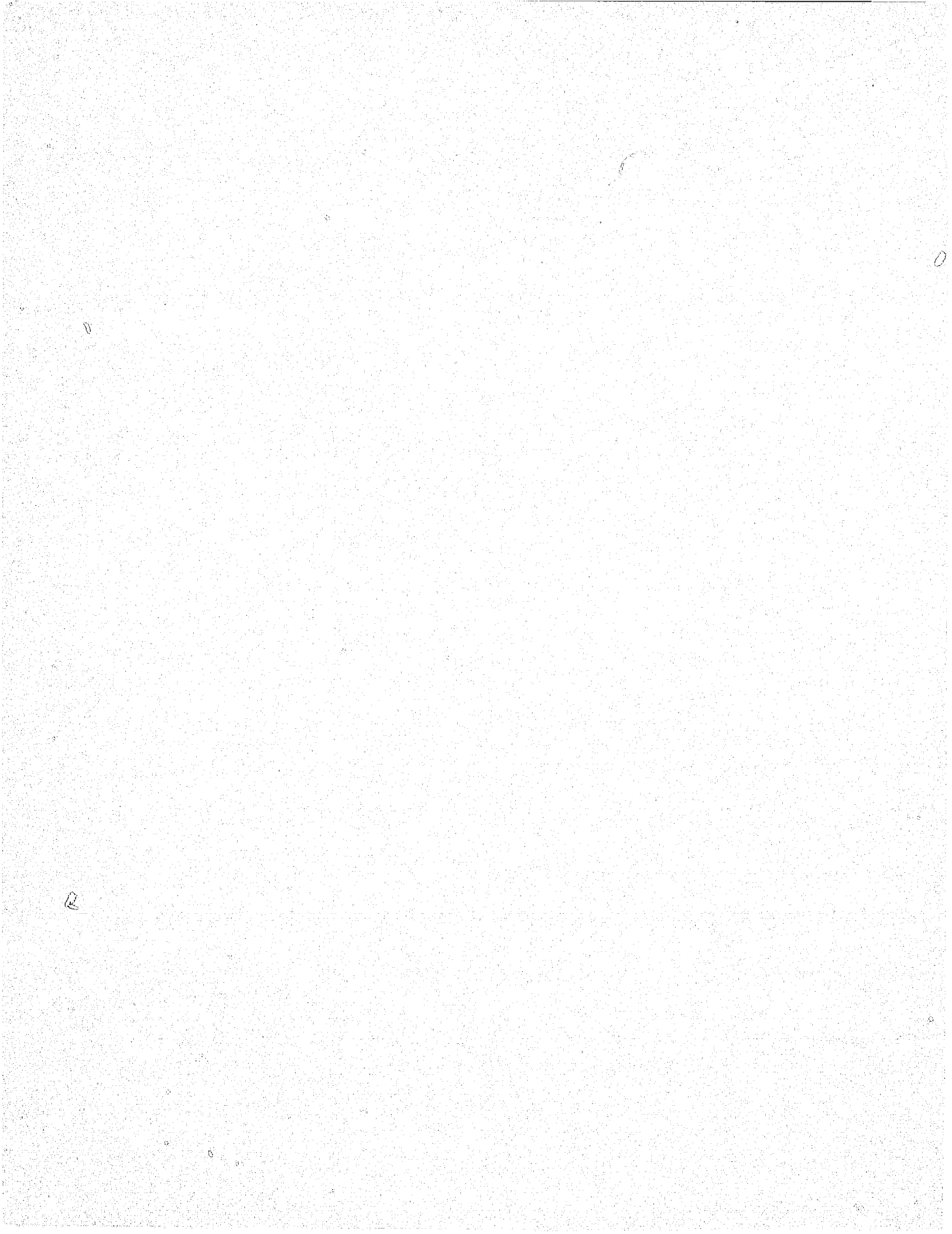
ANNUAL BUDGET: \$51,753

TOTAL FUNDING SINCE INCEPTION; \$51,753

ANNUAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED: 150

FUNDING SOURCES: Division of Justice and Crime Prevention
Department of Corrections

ROLE OF DELINQUENCY PREVENTION SPECIALIST: Technical assistance in program development and preparation of grant; on-going monitoring and consultation.



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