## Progress Report Form Valencia County General Fund (July 2013 Monthly Report/FY14)

(Bolded Performance Measures are DCTAT, Federally required data reporting information)

YDI-Valencia Teen Court				
Performance Measure	Number	Description		
Amount of grant funds allocated for this program.	\$25,000	Awarded for FY14		
Use of "best practice" models. (y/n)	Yes	Restorative Justice Model		
The number of <i>new</i> program youth served this month.	5			
The number of <i>new</i> program youth served by	Male-4			
gender	Female-1			
The number of <i>new</i> program youth served by	Hispanic-3			
ethnicity	Anglo-1			
	Asian-1			
The number of <i>new</i> program youth served by age	14 yr old-1			
	15 yr old-4			
The number of <b>carryover</b> youth served this month	22			
The total number of <b>carryover</b> youth served by	Male-14			
gender	Female-8			
The total number of youth served this month	27	27 active and new cases for FY14		
The total cumulative number of youth served by	Male-18			
gender (cumulative=FY14)	Female-9			
The total cumulative number of youth served by	Native			
ethnicity (cumulative=FY14)	American=0			
	Hispanic=19			

	African American=0 Caucasian=7 Asian=1	
The total cumulative number of youth served by age	Unknown 12 yr. old=1	
	13 yr. old=6	
(cumulative=FY14)	14 yr. old=3	
	15 yr. old=10	
	16 yr. old=4	
	17 yr.old=3	
The number and percentage of youth who	4 0:	
complete the requirements of the program.	4 successful	
	grads in	
(Total number is for FY14)	FY14	
The much or of community comics have completed	160/160	Cumulative amount is for FY14
The number of community service hours completed this month/cumulative	160/160	Cumulative amount is for FY 14
The number and percentage of program youth who	1	The case was sent back to JPO for non-compliance and for
offend while in the program or who re-offend within	1	offending while in program
90 days of completing the program.		offending winte in program
The average length of time (in days) clients remains	90 days	
in the program. (for those who complete program)		
A cost analysis of savings to the county that can be	\$3,915.00	Daily cost of juvenile detention (\$145.00) x total number of
attributed to the program.		youth served this month (27)
Number of clients discharged/released from program	1	The client was discharged for non-compliance (failure to show
this month (Reason in Description)	1	for appointments and for being arrested while enrolled in
(********************************		program)
Number of clients who successfully completed the	4	
program this month (closed cases)		
Average length of stay of clients <u>not</u> completing	Less than a	
program requirements	month.	

Number and percent of youth referred to juvenile	0	None reported
probation/parole within 1 year of completing		
program		
Number and percent of youth reporting satisfaction	100%	Anecdotal: positive verbal feedback; no complaints received
with program if group ended this month		
Number and percent of families reporting	100%	No complaints received: see above
satisfaction with program if group ended this month		
	20	
Total number of youth volunteers this month		
(Youth who were not referred for Teen Court)		
Number of youth this month who continue to	3	
volunteer after sanctions completed.		

Maintain A Juvenile Justice Continuum Advisory Board				
Performance Measure	Number	Description		
The Board includes representation from all required	Yes	All required agencies are members of the board.		
agencies.				
The Board meets regularly and a quorum is	Yes	The board meets monthly and quorum is maintained.		
maintained.				
The Board sets policy for the Comprehensive Strategy	Yes	The board reviews the Strategic Plan annually and revises as		
Plan and the activities.		needed. The board plans and approves activities.		
The Board provides oversight for the programs.	Yes	The board provides oversight of all programs and requires		
		reporting at general meeting and in written form.		

Note that you may develop and include additional Activities and Performance measures that are specific to your contract.

Please submit the completed form to:

**CYFD** 

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YDI VALENCIA TEEN COURT PROGRAM NARRATIVE (FY13)

## DELAYS/BARRIERS/CHALLENGES

- 1. Teen Court which is usually held the first Thursday of every month but was held on the second Thursday in July because the first Thursday was July 4. This schedule change allowed for less time between July and August court dates.
- 2. The Teen Court facilitator returned one non-compliant case back to JPO.
- 3. Increasing the quality of community service and expanding Teen Court to better serve the community has become more challenging without a full-time employee.

## **ACCOMPLISHMENTS/SUCCESSES**

- 1. The July 11 Teen Court session was extremely successful. We processed the highest number of cases (10) to date. Alonzo Garcia was the presiding judge and he was both efficient and effective in moving the cases along in a timely manner, as he also took the time to communicate with the teens and their parents.
- 2. In addition to the high number of cases, the number of jury members and volunteers was high. This was important because many of the defendants were involved in the same case-thus necessitating jury rotation.
- 3. Devon Caldarera and Tasa Stromei met with Cynthia Ferrari to present a proposal for funding from the county to help expand Teen Court and allow for a full-time employee.
- 4. Supervised Community Service was held at two locations: Starbuck's for Valencia County Animal Adoption (teens raised \$200.00, bringing the total amount raised to just over \$1,000, and at Anna Becker Park in Belen. At the parks, the teens painted the gazebo, power washed the structures, picked up trash, and maintained the landscaping. Both activities resulted in high turnout and were very successful. Lenore Pena of Parks and Recreation in Belen was satisfied with both the work and behavior of the teens.
- 5. The principal at Valencia High School is interested in Teen Court-for students who offend and for students who volunteer. More discussion to follow.
- 6. The Teen Court Program Manager continues to work with teen attorneys in small groups of 3 or 4 to better help them understand and prepare for trial.
- 7. The Teen Court facilitator received approval to attend the 8<sup>th</sup> Global Justice Teen Court Conference in Las Vegas, December 3-5. She will also attend the NMTCA quarterly meeting in September (Otero County location).
  - a. By attending this conference, the facilitator hopes to enhance teen court process and training, learn more about grant sources, etc., with the ultimate goal of expanding Teen Court to reach more youth in Valencia County.