

**Progress Report Form**  
**Valencia County**  
**General Fund**  
**June 1 – June 30, 2013**

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

<b>Boy Scout Diversion Program – Continuum Program</b>		
<b>Performance Measure</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
Amount of grant funds allocated for this program.	0	
Use of “best practice” models. (y/n)	yes	
<b>The number of program youth served.</b>	29 participants were active in June	<b>Number of youth served by gender:</b> Female = 15 Male = 14  <b>Number of youth served by race/ethnicity:</b> African American = 1 Caucasian = 5 Hispanic = 20 Native American = 1 Unknown = 2  <b>Number of youth served by age:</b> 12 yr. old = 2 13 yr. old = 8 14 yr. old = 8 15 yr. old = 5 16 yr. old = 6
<b>The number and percentage of youth who complete the requirements of the program.</b>	<u>111 successful grads</u> 150 past participants	74% of the students who are accepted into ScOutreach graduate.
The number and percentage of program youth who	3%	There are no graduates who reoffended during the

offend while in the program or who re-offend within 90 days of completing the program.		program. 4 of 111 graduates who reoffended during or within the first 90 days of completion.
The average length of time (in days) clients remains in the program.	4 months	
A cost analysis of savings to the county that can be attributed to the program.	\$5.58 for every \$1 in program costs.	
Average length of stay of clients completing program	4.5 months	
Number of clients discharged/released from program this month (Reason in Description)	6	5 students graduated in June and 1 was terminated due to no contact or lack of participation.
Average length of stay of clients not completing program requirements	Less than a month.	Participants not completing the program requirements usually have transportation issues and exit the program early on. Occasionally a participant exits the program early due to a move or by committing another offense while in programming.
The number of community service hours completed	111	A total of 111 hours of community service was completed in Valencia County by ScOutreach participants in June.
Number and percent of youth re-referred to juvenile probation/parole within 90 days of completing program	3%	4 out of 111 graduates reoffended in the first 90 days
Number and percent of youth re-referred to juvenile probation/parole within 1 year of completing program	22%	25 out of 111 graduates reoffended in the first year
Number and percent of youth reporting satisfaction with program if group ended this month	100%	
Number and percent of families reporting satisfaction with program if group ended this month	100%	

<b>Maintain A Juvenile Justice Continuum Advisory Board</b>		
<b>Performance Measure</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
The Board includes representation from all required agencies.	Yes	The board includes all required representation

The Board meets regularly and a quorum is maintained.	Yes	Board meets monthly for both general and executive board meetings. Attendance averages 30 members
The Board sets policy for the Comprehensive Strategy Plan and the activities.	Yes	Board meets annually to revise overall strategic plan. Board meets monthly, including subcommittees, to plan activities
The Board provides oversight for the programs.	Yes	All programs report to the board at the monthly meeting. Additionally, all programs provide written monthly reports. These reports are posted on the board's website
Develop and implement a plan to address disproportionate representation of minority youth in the program.	Yes	This is an on going activity

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

## June 2013

In the month of June, participants attended 2 meetings and 3 community service events. Before every meeting we, as a group, did a check in with each other to see how everybody was doing, and then we moved into an ice-breakers activity that is relevant to the lesson topic.

### June 3, 2013

#### Community Service: Anna Becker Park

Participants and staff met at Anna Becker Park in Belen. This was our first time cleaning up with park! ScOutreach and Teen Court/ YDI's Youth Outreach have officially adopted Anna Becker Park in Belen! This means one of the groups will be at the park at least once a month to help maintain the park.

We started with a ice breaker to check in with the participants. Then we introduced the students to the park and shared the good news. Lenore from The City of Belen shared a bit about the projects we can do as a team. They were told the projects that were available to work on, then they chose which projects they wanted to complete. They all started by picking up the large pieces of trash in their area of the park.

The project options were: sweep the sidewalks, paint the play equipment, paint the benches/tables, sift the sand under the swings, paint the electrical boxes, sweep up the dirt near the curbs, and get rid of extra grass in the sidewalk cracks. The students worked hard to make an impact and we are excited to continue working with Lenore to create a clean and safe environment for everyone who visits Anna Becker park.



**June 8, 2013**  
**Community Service: Sierra Springs Assisted Living Center**

Participants and staff met at the Sierra Springs Senior Living Center at 1pm. While there, we played Bingo with a few of the residents. Most of the residents paid 5 cents per card per game, and the first person to get a Bingo won the money that was collected for that round. The residents and participants had fun. Since the residents usually only play games for 1 hour each Saturday, they were really tired afterwards and ready for an afternoon nap. It was great to see some of the interactions between the generations.



**May 11, 2013**

**Meeting: ScOutreach Mini Conference – Safe Teen Dating and A Call to Men**

We had guest speakers Erwin Rivera from NMHU's Enlace program and Michelle from the Sandoval County volunteered their time to teach our participants about "A Call to Men" and "Safe Teen Dating". Participants from Bernalillo, Sandoval, and Valencia counties met at the Albuquerque Main Library at 10:30am. In total we had about 30 participants attend our event.

After everyone was settled in, Erwin spoke to the whole group and showed a short video called "A Call to Men" which discussed the various ways that men devalue women in today's society. After that, the groups settled into gender-specific meetings. The boys stayed with Erwin to learn more about creating a culture of respect to women and their own partners. The girls met in the auditorium and were led by Michelle in a discussion about safe teen dating. Here they learned about the warning signs of an unhealthy relationship and what a healthy relationship looks like.

At the end, we came back together as a group to figure out how men can treat women and their partners with more respect. There was time for the girls to tell the boys what they want changed with their behavior. Things said were "No means no not maybe. Or maybe later.", "create a space in your relationship to talk about things openly, before it turns into anger." Another comment was "If you don't respect us, we don't want anything to do with you." It was great to see that the girls in our group felt they were in a safe space to say these statements.

It was a good introductory lesson on this. I hope that we can have Erwin and Michelle back for longer discussions with our participants on these same topics.



**June 18<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

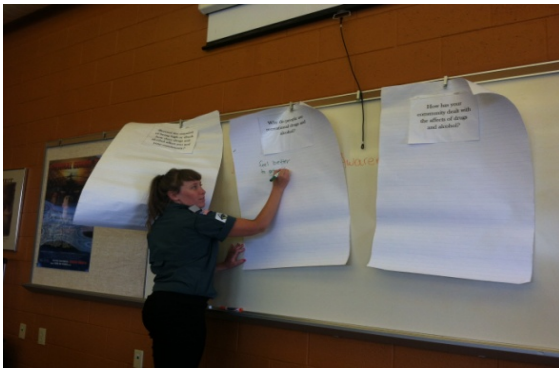
**Meeting: Drug and Alcohol Awareness**

This week, ScOutreach taught the Drug and Alcohol Awareness lesson. We started off with an activity called “Cross the Line”. The students were asked a series of questions from “You go to school in Los Lunas/Belen” to “You have been offered alcohol”. This allowed them to see the abundance of alcohol and drugs in their community. They saw that they were not the only ones that have been offered drugs and alcohol. This opened up the discussion on this topic. After this Liza asked three questions to the participants: Why do people use recreational alcohol and drugs?, Beyond the sensation of feeling high or drunk, how does drugs and alcohol affect you and your community? and how has your community dealt with the affects of drugs and alcohol? This allowed students to reflect on these issues in their community and think of ways we can reverse the negative effects.



After the discussion we read a comic called “Free at Last” from *The Real Cost of Prisons Project Comixs*. We talked about the effects of drugs on a person that went to prison due to drugs. Then we talked about their life after prison. They were able to see the consequences of drug use in their life.

From there we were worked on collages that focused on the reasons they did not want to get addicted to drugs and alcohol. They cut out photos from magazines to tell their story in a visual form. This activity was relaxing and a great way to think about all of the things they have and the goals they want to accomplish. When they were finished they were able to share their collage and their reasons.



**June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013**

### **Community Service: The Whitfield Wildlife Conservation Center**

Participants and staff met at the Whitfield Wildlife Conservation Center. At the beginning Tad gave us a tour of the reserve. We learned that the space used to be a dairy farm, now it is a refuge for wildlife. From birds to coyotes seek shelter here, we got to see and hear a bull frog in their pond. We learned about the land, how it is used and the importance of this kind of space.

After the tour we worked with Mark (WWCC member) as a team to remove invasive Kochia from a plot of land. It was hard work but each student persevered and worked in teams to finish our task. We hope to come back in the fall to help with the landscape.



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