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PART A

Part A of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24 Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) Survey collects information about CCP Membership and implementation of the county’s CCP plan. For detailed guidance on how to complete Part A of the CCP Survey, please refer to the CCP Survey Data Reporting Guide at: https://www.bscc.ca.gov/m_realignment/ Part A is divided into five (5) sections: · Section 1: Respondent Information · Section 2: CCP Membership · Section 3: Goals, Objectives, and Outcome Measures · Section 4: Types of Programming and Services · Section 5: Optional Questions When applicable, use person-first language and terminology that eliminates potential generalizations, assumptions, and stereotypes. Responses to the CCP Survey shall represent the collective views of the CCP and not a single agency or individual.

SECTION 1: RESPONDENT INFORMATION

Section 1 asks questions related to the county for which survey responses are provided, the individual who is completing the survey, and who BSCC may contact for follow-up questions. There are three (3) questions in this section.

1. Identify the county name for which this survey is being submitted.

Shasta County

2. Provide the contact information for the individual completing this survey.

Name of Survey Respondent

Tracie Neal

Survey Respondent's Organization

Shasta County Probation

Email Address of Survey Respondent

Phone Number of
Survey Respondent

3. Identify the individual who may be contacted for follow-up questions. Check the appropriate box to the left of the list.

Same as above

Contact Information
for Survey Follow-up

Survey Contact's
Organization

Email Address for
Survey Follow-up

Phone Number for
Survey Follow-up

SECTION 2: CCP
MEMBERSHIP

Section 2 asks questions related to the CCP composition and meeting frequency. There are four (4) questions in this section.

4. CCP Membership
Roles

Provide the first and last name (and organization if not provided) of each individual fulfilling a CCP membership role as of October 1, 2023 in the spaces below each membership role. · If a public membership role does not exist in the county, respond by indicating “not applicable.” This should only be used if the county does not have the specific position listed. · If a position exists in the county but the membership role is not filled in the CCP, respond by indicating “vacant.” · For county positions, one person may fill multiple roles.

Name of the Chief
Probation Officer:
County Probation
Department

Tracie Neal

Name of the
Presiding Judge of
the Superior Court or
Designee: Superior
Court of California

Melissa Fowler-Bradley

Name of the County
Supervisor or Chief
Administrative Officer
or Designee of the
Board of
Supervisors: Include
their organization

Tim Garman

Name of the District Attorney Role:
County District Attorney's Office

Name of the Public Defender Role:
Include their organization

Name of the Sheriff: County Sheriff's Office

Name of the Chief of Police: Include the city location

Name of the Head of the County Department of Social Services: Include their organization

Name of the Head of the County Department of Mental Health: Include their organization

Name of the Head of the County Department of Employment: Include their organization

Name of the Head of the County Alcohol and Substance Abuse Programs: Include their organization

Name of the Head of the County Office of Education: County Office of Education

Name of the representative from a community-based organization with experience in successfully providing rehabilitative services to persons who have been convicted of a criminal offense:
Include their organization

Danielle Gehrung

Name of the individual who represents the interests of victims:
Include their organization

Angela Mellis

5. How often does the CCP meet?
Check the appropriate answer to the left of the list. Select the one/single option that best describes the CCP's regular meeting schedule.

Semi-annually

Other:

6. How often does the Executive Committee of the CCP meet? Check the appropriate answer to the left of the list. Select the one/single option that best describes the Executive Committee's regular meeting schedule.

Other (please describe below

Other:

Three to four times a year

7. Does the CCP have subcommittees or working groups? Check the appropriate answer to the left of the list.

No

If "Yes," list the subcommittees and/or working groups, and their purpose.

SECTION 3: GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND OUTCOME MEASURES

Section 3 asks questions related to the CCP's goals, objectives, and outcome measures. Please refer to the CCP Survey Data Reporting Guide at: https://www.bscc.ca.gov/m_realignment/ for detailed information about goal and objective statements, and outcome measures.

Updated Information on FY 2022-23 Goals, Objectives, and Outcome Measures

Questions 8, 9, and 10, ask the CCP to provide updated progress information about the goals, objectives, and outcome measures previously reported for FY 2022-23 in the 2022-23 CCP Survey. For each question, provide the goals, objectives, and outcome measures as reported in the FY 2022-23 survey. The progress information should be updated to reflect the progress achieved over the full fiscal year.

8. Describe a goal and the associated objectives as reported in the FY 2022-23 CCP survey. Please provide updated progress toward goal information to reflect the progress achieved over the full FY 2022-23. If no goal, objective, or outcome measure was identified in FY 2022-23 respond by indicating "Not Applicable."

Goal A:

Implement interface between new case management systems with the Superior Court, District Attorney's Office, Public Defender's Office, and the Probation Department.

Was this Goal part of the FY 22-23 CCP plan?

Yes

Goal A Objective:

Ensure integration between systems.

Goal A Objective:	Improve data collection and timely sharing of case information.
Goal A Objective:	Improve recidivism data collection.
Goal A Outcome Measure:	Streamline and increase data communication between justice partners.
Goal A Outcome Measure:	Prepare and share statistical data and reports on CCP programs at CCP meetings to make data driven decisions.
Goal A Outcome Measure:	
Briefly describe progress toward the goal.	Progress is being made on the interface between the DA's Office and Juvenile Probation, but no other work has been made on interfaces due to lack of resources. It is anticipated this work will begin at the end of this fiscal year. The Court and Public Defender have made progress with interfaces.
Rated progress toward the goal.	Partially achieved
<p>9. Describe a goal and the associated objectives as reported in the FY 2022-23 CCP survey. Please provide updated progress toward goal information to reflect the progress achieved over the full FY 2022-23. If no goal, objective, or outcome measure was identified in FY 2022-23, respond by indicating "Not Applicable."</p>	
Goal B:	Determine impacts of CalAIM Justice Involved initiative in establish Medi-Cal enrollment prior to release and connecting re-entry individuals to services.
Was this Goal part of the FY 22-23 CCP plan?	Yes
Goal B Objective:	Ensure all eligible individuals are enrolled in Medi-Cal prior to release from the County Jail.
Goal B Objective:	Identify gaps in services, duplication of services, and funding sources for those services if needed.

Goal B Objective:	Identify areas justice agencies are impacted by CalAIM activities.
Goal #2 Outcome Measure:	Coordination of services; reducing duplication and ensuring gaps are reduced.
Goal B Outcome Measure:	Ensure Medi-Cal services are used to address challenges facing justice involved populations.
Goal B Outcome Measure:	
Briefly describe progress toward the goal.	Access to Medi-Cal applications and enrollment while in custody has been implemented. As CalAim continues to identify Medi-Cal eligible services which will be covered in custody prior to release, communication is occurring between partners to ensure continuity of care. Several agencies applied for PATH Justice Involved Capacity Building grant funds to further assist in implementation. This will continue to be a goal.
Rated progress toward the goal.	Partially achieved
10. Describe a goal and the associated objectives as reported in the FY 2022-23 CCP survey. Please provide updated progress toward goal information to reflect the progress achieved over the full FY 2022-23. If no goal, objective, or outcome measure was identified in FY 2022-23 respond by indicating "Not Applicable."	
Goal C:	Increase the utilization of the Shasta County DA's Office Misdemeanor Pre-File Drug Diversion Program.
Was this Goal part of the FY 22-23 CCP plan?	Yes
Goal C Objective:	Evaluate the criteria for eligibility including not limiting the eligible age of 18- to 30-year-olds to determine if an increase in the number of participants can be obtained.
Goal C Objective:	Decrease the impact of low-level drug cases on the criminal justice system.

Goal C Objective:	Increase referrals to services at Hill Country's Community Engagement Program.
Goal C Outcome Measure:	Increase the number of individuals participating in the DA Misdemeanor Pre-Filing Diversion Program.
Goal C Outcome Measure:	Increase the successful completion of the Diversion Program.
Goal C Outcome Measure:	
Briefly describe progress toward the Goal.	The DA's Office evaluated the criteria and determined it to be too restrictive. An update to the criteria has been made to include all individuals, regardless of age, with minimal criminal history. This change allows for consideration of prior felony convictions other than strike crimes or sex offenses. The DA's Office believes this change will increase the number of individuals eligible for the program.
Rated progress toward the Goal.	Partially achieved
If the CCP has identified more than 3 goals, upload additional CCP goal sheet(s) here.	
	Additional CCP goal sheets are located at: https://www.bscc.ca.gov/m_realignment/
Information on FY 2023-24 Goals, Objectives, and Outcome Measures	
11. For FY 2023-24, will the CCP use the same goals, objectives, and outcome measures identified above from FY 2022-23? Check the appropriate answer to the left of the list.	No. The CCP will add and/or modify goals, objectives, and outcome measures. (Continue with the section below.)
	Questions 12, 13, and 14, the CCP is asked to describe a goal and its associated objectives and outcomes for FY 2023-24. For the goal, also provide information about the current progress toward the stated goal. As survey responses are due mid-year, progress information for these goals over the full fiscal year will be requested as part of the FY 2024-25 CCP Survey.

12. Describe a goal for FY 2023-24 and one (1) or more of its associated objectives and outcome measures. Please provide any information about progress toward the goal thus far in the fiscal year. If no goal, objective, or outcome measure was identified in FY 2023-24, respond by indicating "Not Applicable."

Goal D:	Offer a tattoo removal service to justice involved adults and youth to remove barriers to employment and/or to remove tattoos related to being commercially sexually exploited.
Was this Goal part of the FY 23-24 CCP plan?	Yes
Goal D Objective:	Complete contract with Shasta Community Health Center (SCHC).
Goal D Objective:	SCHC to purchase the tattoo removal equipment and provide training on the equipment to their qualified staff.
Goal D Objective:	Create referral process for the service to be shared with community agencies. Continue to educate agencies to ensure referrals for the service are made.
Goal D Outcome Measure:	Creation of location and schedule of tatoo removal services.
Goal D Outcome Measure:	Screening and consultation plan implemented.
Goal D Outcome Measure:	Implementation of tattoo removal services.
Briefly describe current progress toward the Goal.	The County is currently working on a contract to partner with Shasta Community Health Center to purchase the equipment and begin providing this service.
Rate the current progress toward the Goal.	As expected

13. Describe a goal for FY 2023-24 and one (1) or more of its associated objectives and outcome measures. Please provide any information about progress toward the goal thus far in the fiscal year. If no goal, objective, or outcome measure was identified in FY 2023-24, respond by indicating "Not Applicable."

Goal E:	Coordinated efforts to obtain MediCal services and ensure connections to care for justice involved individuals.
Was this Goal part of the FY 23-24 CCP plan?	Yes
Goal E Objective:	Ensure eligible individuals are enrolled in MediCal prior to release.
Goal E Objective:	Identify gaps in services and expand or enhance community based services and supports.
Goal E Objective:	Identify MediCal services which can be provided in custody.
Goal E Outcome Measure:	Coordination of services; reducing duplication and ensuring gaps are reduced.
Goal E Outcome Measure:	Ensure MediCal services are used to address challenges facing justice involved populations.
Goal E Outcome Measure:	Provide MediCal eligible services in custody.
Briefly describe current progress toward the Goal.	Agencies continue to work towards new CalAim initiatives. Work is being done to ensure services can begin before release to ensure continuity of care. Several agencies applied for PATH Justice Involved Capacity Building grant funds to assist in implementation.
Rate the current progress toward the Goal.	As expected

14. Describe a goal for FY 2023-24 and one (1) or more of its associated objectives and outcome measures. Please provide any information about progress toward the goal thus far in the fiscal year. If no goal, objective, or outcome measure was identified in FY 2023-24, respond by indicating "Not Applicable."

Goal F:	Implement interface between new case management systems with the Superior Court, District Attorney's Office, Public Defender's Office, and the Probation Department.
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Was this Goal part of the FY 23-24 CCP plan?	Yes
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Goal F Objective:	Ensure integration between systems.
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Goal F Objective:	Improve data collection and timely sharing of case information.
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Goal F Objective:	Improve recidivism data collection.
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Goal F Outcome Measure:	Streamline and increase data communication between justice partners.
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Goal F Outcome Measure:	Prepare and share statistical data and reports on CCP programs at CCP meetings to make data driven decisions.
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Goal F Outcome Measure:	
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Briefly describe current progress toward the Goal.	As noted above, this will be an on-going goal until the project is completed. The Court and the Public Defender have active interfaces.
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Rate the current progress toward the Goal.	Substantially slower than expected
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Additional CCP goal sheets are located at: https://www.bscc.ca.gov/m_realignment/	
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SECTION 4: TYPES
OF PROGRAMMING
AND SERVICES

Section 4 asks questions about the types of programs and services provided during FY 2022-23. For each type of program or service provided, identify the agency(ies) that provide the program or service and at what stage(s) the program or service is provided (in-custody, supervision, other). Definitions are provided for each program or service type, however, you may refer to the CCP Survey Data Reporting Guide for more clarity on the definition of each type of program and service listed and the stage(s) of program or service.

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Programs/Services:

Mental
Health/Behavioral
Health - services
designed to improve
mental health.

Are Mental
Health/Behavioral
Health services
provided?

Yes

What is the Providing
Agency? (check all
that apply)

Behavioral Health
A Community-Based Organization

If "Other," describe
below:

At what Stage(s) is
Service Provided?
(check all that apply)

Supervision

If "Other," describe
below:

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Programs/Services:

Substance Use -
services designed to
assist with
substance use.

Are Substance Use
services provided?

Yes

What is the Providing
Agency? (check all
that apply)

Behavioral Health
A Community-Based Organization

If "Other," describe
below:

At what Stage(s) is Supervision
Service Provided?
(check all that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

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Programs/Services:
Housing - services
designed to assist
with housing after
release.

Are Housing services Yes
provided?

What is the Providing Behavioral Health
Agency? (check all
that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

At what Stage(s) is Supervision
Service Provided?
(check all that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

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Programs/Services:
Employment -
services designed to
provide clients with a
job and/or to provide
job training to
improve chances of
finding employment
after release.

Are Employment Yes
services provided?

What is the Providing A Community-Based Organization
Agency? (check all Other
that apply)

If "Other," describe Day Reporting Center and SMART Center
below:

At what Stage(s) is Supervision
Service Provided?
(check all that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

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Programs/Services:
Education - focuses
on academic
achievement.

Are Education
services provided? Yes

What is the Providing Sheriff
Agency? (check all Probation
that apply) Other

If "Other," describe STEP-UP Program at Shasta College
below:

At what Stage(s) is In-Custody
Service Provided? Supervision
(check all that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

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Programs/Services:
Family - family-
oriented education,
service, and training.

Are Family services Yes
provided?

What is the Providing A Community-Based Organization
Agency? (check all
that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

At what Stage(s) is Supervision
Service Provided?
(check all that apply)

If "Other," describe
below:

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Programs/Services:
Domestic Violence
Prevention - support
and intervention.

Are Domestic Violence Prevention services provided?	Yes
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What is the Providing Agency? (check all that apply)	A Community-Based Organization
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If "Other," describe below:	
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At what Stage(s) is Service Provided? (check all that apply)	Supervision
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If "Other," describe below:	
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Programs/Services:
Physical Health -
services designed to
improve clients'
physical well-being.

Are Physical Health services provided?	Yes
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What is the Providing Agency? (check all that apply)	A Community-Based Organization Other
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If "Other," describe below:	County Mobility Admin Office
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At what Stage(s) is Service Provided? (check all that apply)	In-Custody Supervision
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If "Other," describe below:	
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Programs/Services:

Quality of Life – services that enhance the standard of happiness, comfort, and well-being of an individual to participate in life events (e.g., assistance in getting a driver's license, opening a bank account, etc.).

Are Quality of Life services provided? Yes

What is the Providing Agency? (check all that apply) Probation
Behavioral Health
A Community-Based Organization
Other

If "Other," describe below: Misdemeanor Community Engagement Program

At what Stage(s) is Service Provided? (check all that apply) Supervision

If "Other," describe below:

SECTION 5: OPTIONAL QUESTIONS Section 5 asks optional questions about evaluation, data collection, programs and services, and local best practices. There are 9 questions in this section. Responses will be used by the BSCC and its justice-system partners to better understand the needs of counties. If the CCP chooses not to answer an optional question, please respond "Decline to Respond."

15. Describe the process the CCP uses to determine potential programs and/or services for local implementation using Realignment funds. As needs become apparent through offender contact and completed assessments, services to address the needs are researched and a request for funding is brought before the CCP Executive Committee during budget preparation for the next fiscal year. The proposal and the availability of funds are discussed and the CCP Executive Committee has an opportunity to approve or deny the program.

16. Does the county evaluate the effectiveness (as defined locally) of programs and/or services funded with its Public Safety Realignment allocation? Check the appropriate answer to the left of the list.

Yes

If "Yes," explain how.

Evaluation efforts remain in place to determine the effectiveness of many of the programs/services funded within the Public Safety Realignment allocation. Contracted providers either prepare monthly data reports or submit real-time data via our partner portal in our case management system to include referrals, attendance, progress, and completion of the program. CCP funded programs and services continue to provide updates and/or annual presentations at CCP meetings. Probation staff review a number of data measures about program participants to include: new arrests, technical violations, successful completion of supervision, new convictions, and warrant status. These data measures are reviewed, at minimum, on an annual basis.

The Day Reporting Center (DRC), in conjunction with the CCP and the Probation Department, establishes goals and outcomes and reports on the progress bi-annually at CCP meetings. The DRC creates and presents an annual report at the CCP. In addition, the Probation Department reviews recidivism and program costs annually.

Focus continues on evaluating programs utilizing the Correctional Program Checklist tools (CPC and/or CPC-GA) and 2 programs are evaluated on an annual basis. The CPC tools help determine the extent to which different types of programs/groups are aligned with the principles of effective correctional intervention. A site visit is conducted to ensure interventions are being provided with fidelity to the models that have proven to be effective with the offender population. In addition to assuring fidelity, this process provides information about a program/group's strengths, areas where improvements may be needed, and targeted recommendations are provided in a written report. The CPC team, or other probation staff, also collaborate with providers to develop an improvement plan when needed or when requested by the provider. Two groups, HOPE City's Nurturing Fathers and Wright Education's Moral Reconciliation Therapy, were evaluated during fiscal year 2022/2023. Two groups have been identified to be evaluated during fiscal year 2023/2024.

17. Does the county consider evaluation results when funding programs and/or services? Check the appropriate answer to the left of the list.

Yes

If "Yes," explain how.

The contractor performance and, when available, the outcomes for the offenders and cost benefit are considered when funding programs and renewing contracts. Program evaluation continues to be a focus of the CCP with a goal of evaluating two programs per year. The written program evaluations are provided to the programs and follow up regarding areas of improvement is made as needed. Evaluation results may be considered during ongoing funding conversations. The CCP received a presentation this fiscal year on the CPC/CPC-GA evaluation process to continue to educate members and the public on this evidence-based evaluation process.

CCP funded programs provide presentations and data at CCP meetings. This allows CCP members to understand services provided, the target population, and outcomes. It also provides members an opportunity to ask questions and provide input.

18. Does the county use BSCC definitions (average daily population, conviction, length of stay, recidivism, and/or treatment program completion rates) when collecting data? Check yes or no to the left of each BSCC Definition listed, as applicable.

<https://www.bscc.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/AB-1050-Key-Term-Definitions.pdf>

Average Daily Population Yes

Conviction Yes

Length of Stay Yes

Adult Recidivism No

Treatment Program Completion Rates Yes

19. What percentage of the Public Safety Realignment allocation is used for evidence-based programming (as defined locally)?
Less than 20%
Check the most appropriate answer to the left of the list of percentages.

20. The BSCC would like to better understand the county's capacity to offer mental health, substance use disorder, behavioral health treatment programs, and/or other services. What type and level of services are now available?

Mental Health and Alcohol and Drug Assessments are conducted at the Community Corrections Center. For offenders with a low to moderate mental health need, services are available through Shasta Community Health Center and other local providers. County Mental Health services are available to offenders with a severe mental health need. In addition, for those with mental health issues we provide a Behavioral Health Collaborative Court as well as the Addicted Offender Program, a Collaborative Court which supports participants who are addicted to illicit substances (not CCP funded).

Shasta County currently offers a Day Reporting Center, inpatient and outpatient alcohol and drug treatment, sober living, Moral Reconciliation Therapy (MRT), Aggression Replacement Training (ART), parenting programs, Domestic Violence Treatment, anger management programs, child abuse programs, sex offender treatment, Nurturing Fathers, the STEP-UP program (a secondary education program), cognitive-based journaling programs, and a housing program.

Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) continues to be a priority for our county. Shasta Community Health Center, Hill Country Health and Wellness Center, Groups Recover Together and Aegis Treatment Centers are organizations in the county that provide services for those who need MAT, which includes medication, weekly meetings, and individualized treatment plans. The jail continues to work with their medical provider to provide MAT services as needed.

The County contracts with two service providers for residential treatment. Visions of the Cross provides residential and outpatient treatment as well as transitional housing. Empire Recovery Center provides detoxification services and out-patient treatment.

The County has partnered with Hill Country Health and Wellness Center who is currently providing a mobile crisis outreach team (not funded with CCP dollars) to provide on-the-spot urgent mental health services to people suffering severe mental illness. This team includes a clinician and case manager who work closely with law enforcement, emergency rooms, business, and agencies to provide direct face-to-face support for those in crisis. The team works to improve the experience of the individual who is going through a crisis, provide an evaluation of client needs, create a safety plan, and arrange for follow up care. Hill Country additionally provides a number of mental health services, case management, and re-entry services.

The Redding Police Department and Shasta County Health and Human Services Agency have a Crisis Intervention Response Team (CIRT) with the goal of deescalating situations involving someone experiencing a mental health crisis and work to divert them from the criminal Justice System.

21. What challenges does the county face in meeting the above program and service needs?

Offender engagement and attendance in programming and services remains a significant challenge. This challenge is difficult to address as some offenders are simply not ready to change. Efforts have continued to regularly communicate with the providers to quickly determine attendance or engagement issues and work to support the offender in meeting attendance or engagement goals. This has included implementation of our Partner Portal in our case management system which allows providers to provide real-time updates to this information. When attendance issues or lack of engagement is identified, Probation Officers work more closely with the offenders to assist in their success. Offenders reporting to probation to allow for proper assessment and referrals to treatment, also remains an on-going concern. All Probation Officers have been trained in Effective Practices for Community Supervision (EPICS) and receive motivational interviewing with the goal of improving engagement and rapport. Evidence-Based Programming that specifically addresses the top criminogenic needs is of prime importance. For some of these criminogenic needs, there are not currently agencies in Shasta County that are certified to provide services. In particular, there are currently a minimal number of services for those offenders with co-occurring disorders and the offender population with these disorders continues to grow. In addition, many of the programs currently available in the county are not evidence based and lack cognitive restructuring with skill-based training.

Substance addiction continues to be a challenge in Shasta County and a large number of offenders are using substances on a regular basis. Significant work has been done to increase Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) within the criminal justice system and develop a collaborative approach. The community has a number of MAT providers, and the county has worked to develop protocols for those detained in the jail to ensure standard medical practice is implemented as well as warm handoffs to outside providers.

Homelessness is an ongoing challenge for our county. Our county lacks affordable rentals and has very low inventory when it comes to small rental units. Individuals struggle with finding housing as well as having the fiscal means to have what is needed to secure a rental, pay monthly bills, or even open an account due to lack of credit or poor credit.

Another challenge is our court's failure to appear rate, and this has been an ongoing topic at the CCP since inception. While many efforts have been implemented over the years, the failure to appear rate remains high.

Shasta County is over 3,800 square miles in size and has a rural population that is often underserved due to their geographic location. The vast size of the County makes access to treatment and services difficult in areas outside the main three cities. There are multiple small communities located an hour or more outside of the county seat, where many services are not available. Shasta County applied, and received funding, for the Mobile Probation Van and efforts are under way to move forward with this project.

22. What The Probation Department conducted the first Successful Transitions on

programmatic changes and/or course corrections has the CPP made in the implementation of Public Safety Realignment that it believes other counties would find helpful?

Probation and Parole (STOPP) meeting in January 2016. This monthly event occurs in conjunction with Parole to provide access to treatment and services for those offenders being placed on Probation, Post Release Community Supervision (PRCS), Mandatory Supervision (MS) and Parole. Offenders being released from custody and under the supervision of either agency are required to attend this mandatory monthly meeting within 30 days of release. This exposes offenders to necessary treatment and services in one-location as quickly as possible. During the STOPP meeting, offenders are required to meet with a minimum of five service providers and sign up for a minimum of one treatment program or service. Between referrals from both Probation and Parole, approximately 65 offenders are referred each month. Those offenders who attend the program report the resources and information provided is extremely helpful. The Probation Department has also continued to develop relationships with additional vendors and community-based organizations to participate in the STOPP event. Over 25 state and local agencies currently participate. Historically, STOPP has been successful in engaging our offenders early in their grants of supervision.

The Probation Department participates in PRCS Video Conferencing. A Probation Officer connects with PRCS offenders prior to their release from state prison with the goal of increasing successful re-entry into the community by improving case management, reviewing conditions of release, connection to services, and increasing PRCS compliance. It also allows offenders to ask questions which can be answered and researched if necessary. While this activity was not occurring during the pandemic, operations have resumed.

The Correctional Program Checklist (CPC) and Correctional Program Checklist-Group Assessment (CPC-GA) are evidence-based evaluation tools to determine the extent to which correctional programs adhere to evidence-based practices, including the principles of effective intervention. In addition to evaluating the overall program/group, the evaluation processes allow a forum for meaningful conversations between Probation and the treatment providers. The tool assists with identifying areas of strength, determining areas for improvement, and allows the evaluator(s) to provide specific recommendations that will bring a program closer in adherence to evidence-based practices. It also allows probation to improve processes related to information sharing and assists in identifying appropriate referrals.

In 2017, as part of a multi-agency collaboration regarding behavioral health needs of those individuals entering the criminal justice system, Shasta County participated in the Sequential Intercept Mapping (SIM) process. SIM assisted in developing a comprehensive picture of how individuals with mental health illness and co-occurring disorders flow through the criminal justice system along six distinct intercept points; identify gaps, resources, and opportunities at each intercept; and development of priorities for activities to improve the system and service level for individuals in the target population. The Brief Jail Mental Health Screening tool was implemented by the Probation Department in October 2017 as part of the assessment process for supervised release from the jail. In April 2020, the tool was expanded to include questions on housing, substance use, and

military service. As indicated by the tool, individuals are referred to a mental health or substance abuse clinician and/or treatment. For Fiscal Year 2022/2023, 552 individuals were screened which indicated 43 individuals needed mental health assistance, 75 individuals were using substances, 66 individuals reported needing assistance with housing, and 16 individuals were veterans. On-going efforts continue regarding making referrals for these individuals to treatment and services when possible.

The Striker Caseload has been an on-going effort to work with those offenders who have two strikes in an effort to reduce the number of offenders who return to state prison. During Fiscal Year 2022/2023, 12 people successfully completed supervision and 29 Offender Needs Guide Assessments were conducted in order to support these offenders with the treatment and services they need to be successful within the community.

23. Describe a local best practice or promising program that has produced positive results. If data exists to support the results, please share.

The Probation Department contracts with a community-based organization, Northern Valley Catholic Social Services to provide a housing program for offenders under probation supervision. The goal of the program is for each offender to obtain, safe, stable, and suitable permanent housing, learn to budget their income, develop communication skills with landlords/property management, and gain the tools to properly interact with other tenants and/or address issues involved with living in a community complex. The housing program is located within our Community Corrections Center and has been in place since October 2013. During Fiscal Year 2022/2023, a total of 27 offenders were housed for 30 days or more.

The Probation Department contracts with GEO Reentry Services to provide a Day Reporting Center. The Shasta Day Reporting Center (DRC) is located next door to the Community Corrections Center and opened in April 2013. The DRC serves up to 75 offenders with up to 10 participants being served in-custody. From April 2013 to April 2023, the DRC served a total of 1293 unique participants. 201 offenders have graduated from the program during this time. The DRC utilizes the criminal thinking scale as one tool to measure success. A pre and post-test is completed, and results indicate a significant change in thinking during the post test. They also administer an offender need assessment and measure the change in criminogenic needs.

The Shasta-Technical Education Program (STEP-UP) began in September 2014 supporting one cohort of 25 students. This program had 152 students in STEP-UP during the 2022/2023 fiscal year. According to Shasta College, in 2022/2023, STEP-UP students had a GPA of 3.36 compared to a GPA of 2.68 for students in the general student population. In the Fall of 2022, there were 29 STEP-UP students on the Dean's List, and in Spring 2023, there were 33 students on the Dean's List. Also, in 2022-23 a total of 18 STEP-UP students graduated with an associate degree or certificate.

The Behavioral Health Collaborative (BHC) Court started in January 2014. The BHC is a voluntary collaborative court serving individuals whose criminal activity is linked to a severe and persistent mental health diagnosis. The BHC serves up to 20 participants. There has been a total of 31 graduates from inception to June 30, 2023.

Optional Highlight or Success Story

If the CCP would like to provide the BSCC with any supplementary information, you may upload a maximum of five (5) additional files.

[shasta_county_public_safety_realignment_plan_2021-22_final.pdf](#)

PART B - CCP
Survey Excel
Workbook

Part B of the CCP Survey collects information about the allocation of Public Safety Realignment dollars. The form to upload is available at: https://www.bscc.ca.gov/m_realignment/ For detailed guidance on how to complete Part B of the CCP Survey package, please refer to the CCP Survey Data Reporting Guide at the link provided above. Part B is divided into two sections: Section 6: FY 2022-23 Public Safety Realignment Funding Allocation Section 7: FY 2023-24 Public Safety Realignment Funding Allocation

Upload the completed CCP Survey, Part B below. (Excel format only)

[Copy_of_FY_23-24_CCP_Survey_Part_B_Final.xlsx](#)

Updated CCP Plan
for 2023-2024.

Counties are eligible to receive funding if they submit an updated Community Corrections Partnership plan and a report (CCP Survey) to the Board of State and Community Corrections by December 15, 2023.

Upload the CCP Plan for 2023-2024 below. (maximum of 3 files)

[2021_Public_Safety_Realignment_Plan.pdf](#)

The complete CCP Survey package, including all required attachments, shall be completed and submitted through the BSCC-Submittable online portal by December 15, 2023. Please be aware that a complete CCP Survey package, including an updated CCP plan for 2023-24, MUST be submitted to the BSCC to receive compensation.

NOTE: The information provided in the CCP Survey package will be made public by the BSCC in the annual report to the Governor's Office and the Legislature on the implementation of Community Corrections Partnership plans on the BSCC website.

Questions and/or
Technical Assistance

If you have any questions or need assistance on the CCP Survey, attachments, and/or the BSCC-Submittable online portal, please contact: Helene Zentner, Field Representative at helene.zentner@bscc.ca.gov or 916.838.7777. Thank you.

**FY 2023-24 Community Corrections Partnership Survey
PART B**

Part B of the CCP Survey collects information about the allocation of Public Safety Realignment dollars.

For detailed guidance on how to complete Part B of the CCP Survey package, please refer to the FY 2023-24 CCP Survey Data Reporting Guide at:
https://www.bscc.ca.gov/m_realignment/

The first question in this file, question 24, requests the name of the county for which the survey is being submitted.

Following the identification of the county, Part B is divided into two sections:

Section 6: FY 2022-23 Public Safety Realignment Funding Allocation

Section 7: FY 2023-24 Public Safety Realignment Funding Allocation

24. Please identify the county for which this portion of the survey is being submitted:

County Name: **Shasta**

SECTION 6: FY 2022-23 Public Safety Realignment Funding Allocation

Section 6 contains questions related to the allocation of FY 2022-23 Public Safety Realignment dollars. There are three (3) questions in this section.

When answering these questions, consider the funds allocated in FY 2022-23 and include any monies from 2021-22 growth funds and 2022-23 programmatic funding.

25. Of the total funds received in FY 2022-23, how did the CCP budget the allocation? Input the total allocation in the cell above the table. Within the table, identify where funds were allocated to, and include if the county used any carry-over funds (monies from previous annual CCP allocations) and/or if the county put any funds into a reserve fund (i.e., funds specifically set aside to be used when budget is disrupted or decreased so operations can continue). Please correct the information provided if there is a difference showing between the stated total allocation and the calculated amount (directly below the table). Differences will automatically display in **red**. Please correct any cells displaying **red** prior to submitting.

Total Allocation: \$ **9,910,977**

Where funds were allocated to:	Amount
Probation	\$ 7,097,362
Sheriff's Dept. (Sheriff/Jail)	\$ 2,063,760
Social Services (Mental Health/Social Service)	\$ 66,160
Public Defender	\$ 275,340
District Attorney	\$ 208,870
Victim Witness	\$ 199,485

(Total sums to) \$ **9,910,977**

Please spell out all names and do not
use acronyms.

Difference from
Stated Allocation: \$ -

26. Of the total funds received in FY 2022-23, how much did the CCP allocate to public agencies for programs and services? How much did the CCP allocate to non-public agencies for programs and services? Input the total allocations in the cells above each table. Within the tables, identify where funds were allocated to. Please correct the information provided if there is a difference showing between the stated total allocation and the calculated amount (directly below the table). Differences will automatically display in red. **Please correct any cells displaying red prior to submitting.**

Total Allocation to non-public agencies:	\$ 1,904,596
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(Total sums to)	\$	1,904,596
Difference from		
Stated Allocation:	\$	-

27. How much funding, if any, was allocated to data collection and/or evaluation of AB 109 programs and services?

We conduct program evaluation on an annual basis by using the evidenced based correctional program checklist. CCP dollars have been utilized to pay for the training.

SECTION 7: FY 2023-24 Public Safety Realignment Funding Allocation

Section 7 asks three (3) questions related to the allocation of FY 2023-24 Public Safety Realignment funding.

When answering these questions, consider the total funds allocated in FY 2023-24 and include any monies from 2022-23 growth funds and 2023-24 programmatic funding.

28. Of the total funds received in FY 2023-24, how did the CCP budget the allocation? Input the total allocation in the cell above the table. Within the table, identify where funds were allocated to, and include if the county is using any carry-over funds (monies from previous annual CCP allocations) and/or if the county is putting any funds into a reserve fund (i.e., funds specifically set aside to be used when budget is disrupted or decreased so operations can continue). Please correct the information provided if there is a difference showing between the stated total allocation and the calculated amount (directly below the table). Differences will automatically display in red. **Please correct any cells displaying red prior to submitting.**

Total Allocation: \$ 10,937,640

Where funds were allocated to:	Amount
Probation	\$ 7,933,006
Sheriff's Dept. (Sheriff/Jail)	\$ 2,056,425
Social Services (Mental Health/Social Service)	\$ 99,000
Public Defender	\$ 420,339
District Attorney	\$ 208,870
Victim Witness	\$ 220,000

(Total sums to) \$ 10,937,640

Please spell out all names and do not
use acronyms.

Difference from
Stated Allocation: \$ -

29. If known: of the total funds received in FY 2023-24, how much did the CCP allocate to public agencies for programs and services? How much did the CCP allocate to non-public agencies for programs and services? Input the total allocations in the cells above each table. Within the tables, identify where funds were allocated to. Please correct the information provided if there is a difference showing between the stated total allocation and the calculated amount (directly below the table). Differences will automatically display in red. Please correct any cells displaying red prior to submitting.

Total Allocation to non-public agencies:	\$ 1,605,079
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(Total sums to)	\$	1,605,079
Difference from		
Stated Allocation:	\$	-

30. How much funding, if any, is being allocated to data collection and/or evaluation of AB 109 programs and services?

We conduct program evaluation on an annual basis by using the evidenced based correctional program checklist. CCP dollars have been utilized to pay for the training.

NOTE: The information contained in this report will be made public by the BSCC in the annual report to the Governor's Office and the Legislature on the implementation of Community Corrections Partnership plans on the BSCC website.

IMPORTANT

A complete FY 2023-24 CCP Survey Package includes Part A (online portal form), Part B, Highlight or Success Story (optional), **and** an updated CCP Plan. All attachments by must be submitted to the BSCC through the BSCC-Submittable online portal no later than Friday, December 15, 2023.

If you have any questions or need technical assistance with the BSCC-Submittable online portal, please contact:

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