California Project Abstract

The Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) is California's State Administering Agency (SAA) for funding awarded by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). BSCC uses these funds to support communities in serving at-risk and system-involved youth.

The State Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (SACJJDP) is California's State Advisory Group (SAG). SACJJDP serves as a standing Executive Steering Committee (ESC) of the BSCC.

SACJJDP has identified the following priority areas:

- Keeping youth out of the Juvenile Justice system by promoting community and family supports; and
- Promoting youth success by reducing recidivism.

Work in these priority areas will be accomplished through the Title II grant program under one or more of the formula grant program areas of Aftercare/Reentry, Alternatives to Detention, Community-Based Programs & Services, Diversion, Mental Health Services, and Mentoring, Counseling & Training Programs. The BSCC will administer one or more grant programs to allocate funds to local jurisdictions to achieve the identified goals and objectives. The BSCC will adopt all performance measures required by the OJJDP and will collect data in accordance to federal requirements. In addition, all grantees will be required to submit quarterly progress reports and comply to monitor visits throughout the grant term to ensure adherence to federal and state requirements.

California will not be using any Title II funding to conduct research.