

YOLO COUNTY

Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) Plan Implementation

Describe an accomplishment or highlight (as defined by the CCP) achieved in FY 2011-12 and or 2012-13.

- Reduced supervised adult caseloads from (in some cases) 300/1 to 50/1 for high risk offenders;
- Provided training on the Static Risk and Offender Needs Guide (STRONG) assessment tools to risk assess the entire adult population and provide needs assessments to entire high risk population;
- Implemented Motivational Interviewing through purchase orders with Eckmaas & Associates;
- Established residential substance abuse treatment placement capacity Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with 4th and Hope and Cache Creek Lodge Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Provider;
- Established out-patient substance abuse and dual diagnosis placement capacity through MOU with CommuniCare Health Services;
- Established a Day Reporting Center (DRC) through a MOU with Sacramento County Office of Education. DRC services include development of a Personal Life Plan, parenting classes, money management classes, Why Try? curriculum, anger management classes, Thinking for a Change, Courage to Change, WorkNet, Job Development/Search, Northern California Construction Training referrals, advanced Job Readiness Course, GED preparation and testing, Introduction and Advanced Computer Education, Yolo County Office of Education Programs, basic literacy, Substance Abuse Education: Relapse Prevention, on-site substance abuse testing, referrals to individual mental health counseling with CommuniCare's Dual Diagnosis Program, 52-Week Batterers Intervention, DUI-Courses, 12 Step Support Meetings, benefit screening and transitional housing referrals to Cache Creek Lodge;
- Hired 7 Probation Officers and 2 Supervising Probation Officers;
- Developed a Graduated Sanction Matrix;
- Provided training with Judge Couzens on sentencing changes;
- Provided training with Dr. Ed Latessa on evidence-based practices;
- Created an AB 109 website to encourage information sharing;
- Hired consulting data analyst Kevin O'Connell and created operation agreement with CCP partners to share justice-involved data with each other;
- Developed a Data Dashboard to display monthly PRCS/1170 population and arrest activity to the CCP and Board of Supervisors to inform on management of realignment impacts;
- Completed long-term planning session facilitated by MOU with Center for Collaborative Policies based out of Sacramento State University;
- Developed 8 charters for working groups made up of and chaired by CCP members to research and make recommendations on areas of need for FY 2011-12. Working Groups include: Alternative Sentencing, Victims' Rights, Policing, Risk Assessment/California Risk Assessment Pilot Project (CalRAPP), Community Corrections Treatment, Sustainability, Justice Reinvestment Initiative and the Data Workgroup;
- Developed capacity to refer high-risk mentally ill offenders to Yolo County Alcohol, Drug, and Mental Health;
- Public Defender's Office used realignment funding to employ interns to offset attorney workload related to AB 109;
- District Attorney's Office funds 2 Deputy District Attorneys, 1 DA investigator and 1 Legal Secretary to adjudicate AB 109 Realignment-related cases;
- Expanded Electronic Monitoring Program from capacity of 20 to a capacity of 100 and freeing up jail beds; and
- Realignment funding supports the funding of 5 front-line police officers in the cities of Yolo County, which include Davis, West Sacramento, Woodland, and Winters.

Describe a local success story (as defined by the CCP).

An offender was released to Yolo County on Post-Release Community Supervision (PRCS) with a history of domestic violence and alcohol abuse. He began his supervision without employment, residing with his mother and father and requiring supervised visitation with his 7-year-old daughter. On his initial check-in from release an Offender-Needs-Guide was completed with his probation officer to identify his top three criminogenic needs. These needs were substance abuse, employment and family relationships. To prevent him from feeling overwhelmed and to avoid triggers his probation officer prioritized one need at a time and addressed his needs over multiple visits. To address his family relationship need the offender made an appointment with family court, and with the assistance of his probation officer developed a plan to obtain partial custody of his daughter. While working on family court requirements he entered the Yolo County Day Reporting Center to address his substance abuse and employment needs. At the DRC he consistently tested negative for illegal substances, participated in a vocational education program and graduated the program with a union job. This information was provided to family court and he was granted 50% custody of his daughter. He has since successfully terminated his term of PRCS.

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For FY 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14 rank the priority areas^ of the CCP on a scale from 1 to 9. A rank of 1 indicates that area was the HIGHEST priority (as defined by the CCP) and a rank of 9 indicates that area was the LOWEST priority (as defined by the CCP).

| FY 2011-12 | FY 2012-13* | FY 2013-14* |
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| 1. Staffing | 1. Staffing | 1. Staffing |
| 2. GPS | 2. Day Reporting | 2. Day Reporting |
| 3. Data | 3. Health | 3. Health |
| 4. Risk Assessment | 4. GPS | 4. Risk Assessment |
| 5. Staff Training | 5. Data | 5. GPS |
| 6. Law Enforcement | 6. Law Enforcement | 6. Medical |
| 7. Health | 7. Risk Assessment | 7. Data |
| 8. Medical | 8. Staff Training | 8. Staff Training |
| 9. Day Reporting | 9. Medical | 9. Law Enforcement |

^Priority areas are representative of the information counties included in the FY 2011-12 and 2012-13 CCP plans and the information BSCC received from counties and published in the report *2011 Public Safety Realignment Act: Report on the Implementation of Community Corrections Partnership Plans*.

Priority areas: Day Reporting Center, Data (e.g. data identification, collection, analysis, etc.), GPS/Electronic Monitoring, Staff Training (e.g. Probation Dept., District Attorney’s Office, etc.), Local Law Enforcement (municipal police), Public Health/Mental Health (e.g. substance abuse, treatment, etc.), Medical Related Costs, Risk Assessment Instruments (COMPAS, STRONG, etc.), and Staffing (e.g. Victim Witness Advocate, Deputy Sheriff, Deputy Probation Officer, etc.).

*FY 2012-13: The FY 2011-12 plan was the initial mitigation plan, the FY 2012-13 plan reprioritized strategies based on the work done from the workgroups established in the first year of realignment.

*FY 2013-14: This plan takes into account cost-of-living increases for the current levels of staffing. An independent program assessment of the operations of Probation and the Sheriff’s Electronic Monitoring programs informed the reprioritization of system-wide utilization of risk-assessment tools. Data management needs continue to be a priority to establish outcomes for newly established programs in the previous fiscal year. The launch of the Affordable Care Act has created opportunities recognized by the CCP to expand services to the offender population and those efforts are underway.