



# Joint Meeting of the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council (JJCC) & the DJJ Realignment Subcommittee

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APRIL 18, 2023, 3:30 PM

# Introductions – Roll Call

Agenda Item 1

# Public Comment on items not on the agenda

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# DJJ Realignment Subcommittee Update regarding San Francisco's Juvenile Justice Realignment Block Grant Plan Implementation

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# Background on Division of Juvenile Justice Realignment

(SB 823 & SB 92)

- **SB 823 shifts responsibility to the counties** for the custody, care, and supervision of youth who would have otherwise been eligible for the Division of Juvenile Justice (DJJ), California's youth prisons.
  - SB 92 allows counties to establish local **Secure Youth Treatment Facilities** for youth who would have been otherwise eligible for DJJ commitment.
- **Adjusts the Age of Jurisdiction:** Extended to 21, 23, or 25, depending on offense
- **Intake at DJJ stopped July 1, 2021:** Seven young people committed in San Francisco to date.

## Secure Youth Treatment Facility:

- Shall be a secure facility that is operated, utilized, or accessed by the county of commitment to provide appropriate programming, treatment, and education for eligible young people:
  - May be a **stand-alone facility or a unit/portion of an existing county juvenile facility**, including a juvenile hall or probation camp.
  - A county may **contract with another county** having a secure youth treatment facility in lieu of operating its own program.
- A county may establish a secure youth treatment facility to serve as a **regional center** for commitment of young people from one or more counties on a contract basis
- Facilities must comply with **Titles 15 & 24**, CA Code of Regulations

San Francisco  
Juvenile Justice  
Coordinating Council:  
**DJJ Realignment  
Subcommittee  
Membership**

1. Katy Miller, *Probation Chief (Chair)*
2. Jean Roland, *District Attorney's Office*
3. Patricia Lee, *Public Defender's Office*
4. Joan Miller (Jessica Mateu-Newsome, alternate), *Department of Social Services (HSA)*
5. Mona Tahsini, *Department of Mental Health (DPH)*
6. Rachel Noto, *County Office of Education/School District (SFUSD)*
7. Judge Monica Wiley, *Superior Court*
8. Angel Ceja Jr., *Juvenile Advisory Council*
9. Denise Coleman, *Huckleberry Youth Programs/ CARC*
10. Ron Stueckle, *Juvenile Justice Providers Association/ Sunset Youth Services*

Per SB 823, no fewer than three community members defined as individuals who (1) have experience providing community-based youth services, (2) youth justice advocates with expertise and knowledge of the juvenile justice system, or (3) have been directly involved in the juvenile justice system

**Additional Community Member/Youth Advocate Seats:**

11. Liz Jackson-Simpson, *Community-based provider with TAY Workforce & Housing Expertise*
12. Will Roy, *Individual Directly Impacted by Secure Facility*
13. Tiffany Sutton, *Family Member of Youth Impacted by Secure Facility*
14. Chaniel Williams, *Victim/Survivor of Community Violence*
15. Julie Traun, *SF Bar Association Indigent Defense Administrator – Juvenile Delinquency*

# San Francisco's DJJ Realignment Plan

## Key Recommendations

- **Community-Based Services:**

- Leverage what's already in community for young people on probation; use funding to address specific gaps

- **Out-of-home Placement:**

- Identify additional placement options

- **Secure Youth Treatment Facility:**

- Use Juvenile Hall as SF's interim SYTF and to revise SYTF plan once City leadership makes decisions re: SF's place of detention;
- Recommend to City leadership to consider co-locating SF's SYTF and SF's future place of detention;
- Regardless, SYTF should be healing-centered, family-centered, community-connected, and culturally responsive;
- Enable youth to be placed in out-of-county SYTFs as appropriate.

# San Francisco's DJJ Realignment Plan

## Proposed Use of JJRBG Funds

### **Across All Settings (Community, Placement, & SYTF):**

- Credible messenger life coaches
- Whole family support
- Flexible funding, including direct funding to young people and their families
- Collective training for all system stakeholders and partners

### **In SYTF: Flexible funding for personalized programming & support**

- Education – including two- and four-year college, intensive tutoring, and support
- Workforce – including certification opportunities and vocational support
- Behavioral health and wellness – including indigenous, nontraditional approaches
- Parenting – for young parents in SYTF
- Substance Abuse – including harm reduction and holistic approaches
- Reentry/Transition – including life skills and financial literacy support

**Leverage community providers for these services; issue RFP/RFQ for any new programming**



# San Francisco's DJJ Realignment Plan

## JJRBG Funding

Fiscal Year	Amount
FY 21/22	<b>\$ 805,571</b> (actual)
FY 22/23	<b>\$1,682,848</b> (actual) (reduced from original est. \$2,810,123)
FY 23/24	<b>\$2.7M</b> (projected)

# San Francisco's DJJ Realignment Plan

## DCYF-JPD Grantees

Grantee	Program	Award (FY 22/23)	Status
Us4Us (Renaissance for Parents)	Credible Messenger Life Coaches (Community Based)	\$175,000	Contract Pending
Bay Area Community Resources	Credible Messenger Life Coaches (Community Based)	\$200,000	Contract Pending
Success Centers	Credible Messenger Life Coaches (Juvenile Hall)	\$450,000	Planned launch 6/2023
San Francisco Pretrial Diversion Project	Flexible Funding for Families Program for Juvenile Justice System Impacted Youth (Whole Family Support)	\$172,500	Contract Pending
City Youth Now	Flexible Funding for Families Program for Juvenile Justice System Impacted Youth (Whole Family Support)	\$75,000	Contract Pending
Young Community Developers	Flexible Funding for Families Program for Juvenile Justice System Impacted Youth (Whole Family Support)	\$172,500	Launched 1/2023

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## DCYF-JPD Grantees

Grantee	Program	Award (FY 22/23)	Status
Border Youth Tennis Exchange	Sport for Healing & Trauma-informed Development	\$40,200	Contract Pending
Five Keys Schools and Programs	Academic & Counseling Program	\$83,000	Planned launch 5/2023
Insight Prison Project (Five Keys)	Victim Offender Education Group (VOEG)	\$76,582	Launched 1/2023
Occupational Therapy Training Programs	Life Skills	\$41,500	Launched 3/2023
Sharp Circle, Inc.	Life Ownership Plan Program	\$61,400	Contract Pending
Success Centers	This Way Out: Job Skills Training	\$83,205	Planning Underway
Success Centers	This Way Out: Wraparound Supports	\$83,128	Planning Underway
Success Stories	Success Stories Program	\$82,610	Contract Pending
Sunset Youth Services	Parenting Programming	\$25,000	Contract Pending
Sunset Youth Services	Vocational Support Programming	\$65,000	Contract Pending

# San Francisco's DJJ Realignment Plan

- Step Up/Step Down Update:
  - Meeting with Youth Law Center.
- Annual Plan Submission:
  - To continue receiving state funding, the subcommittee must meet at least every 3 years to review the county's plan. Every year, the subcommittee must submit the plan to the Office of Youth and Community Restoration (OYCR) by May 1, regardless of changes to the plan.
  - Currently implementing plan; will submit plan with no changes, per OYCR guidance.
  - Implementation update will be posted to JPD website.

# DJJ Realignment Facility-Specific Funding

- **Youth Programs & Facilities Grant (YPPG):**

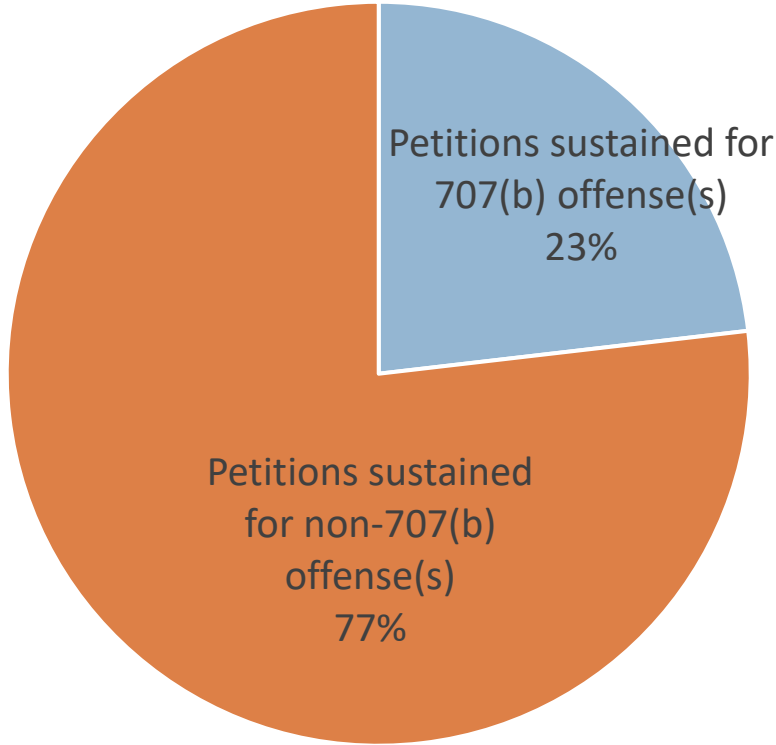
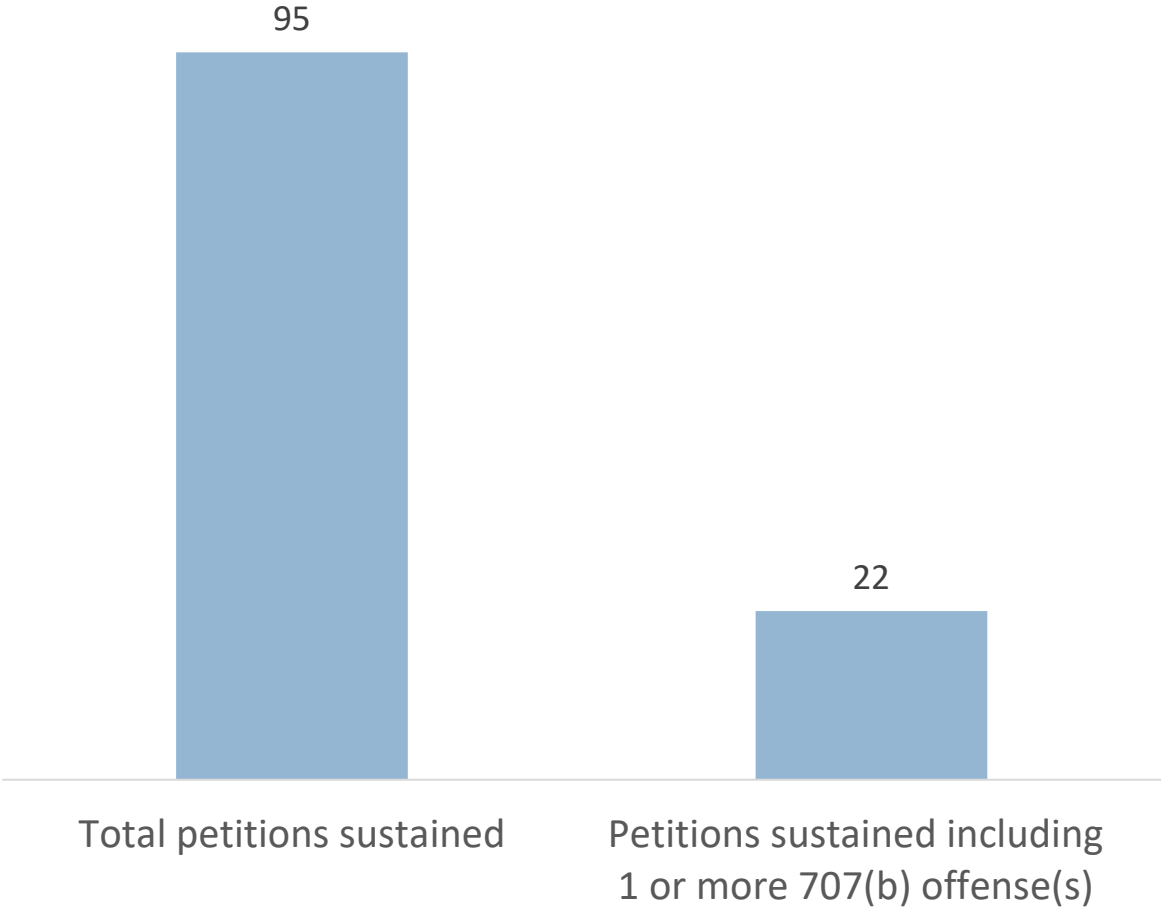
- SF Allocation: \$152,571
- One-time funding for infrastructure needs to facilitate youth programming that maintains trauma-informed, culturally relevant and gender appropriate services to youth in the care of counties.
- Expenditures to Date: \$35,367 – Moveable furniture and equipment and programming materials/supplies for an outdoor kitchen, including a grill, prep tables, cooking utensils, outdoor seating.

- **AB 178 Juvenile Facility Grant:**

- SF Allocation: \$1,072,479
- One time funding to modernize units and sleeping rooms; create more normative space; add treatment, vocational, educational, recreational, visitation, and family engagement space; and enhance security infrastructure.
- JPD will accept and expend via City budget process. Chief meeting with impacted youth to inform uses.

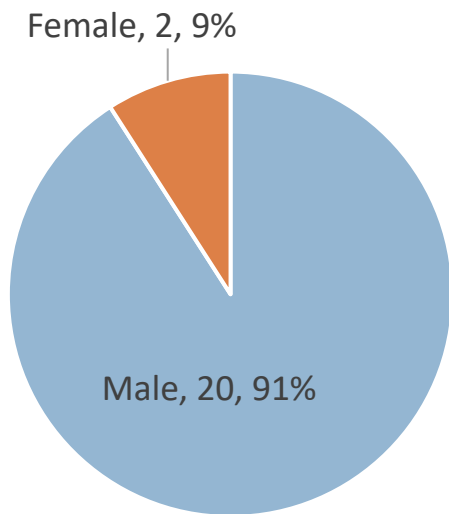
# DJJ Realignment Data - 2022

# Petitions Sustained for 707(b) Offenses in 2022

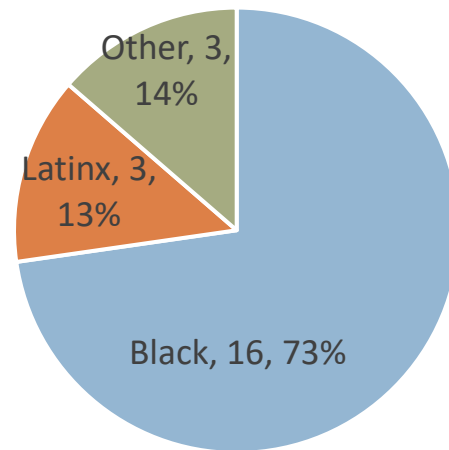


# Youth with 707(b) Petitions Sustained in 2022 by Demographics

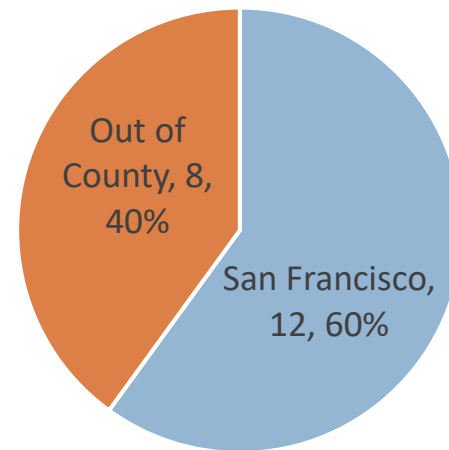
By Gender



By Race/Ethnicity

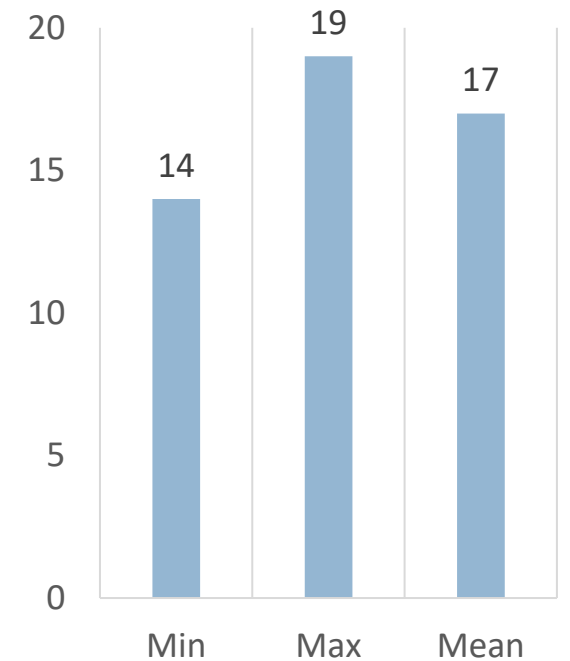


By Residence\*



\*Note: Residence data unavailable for 2 youth

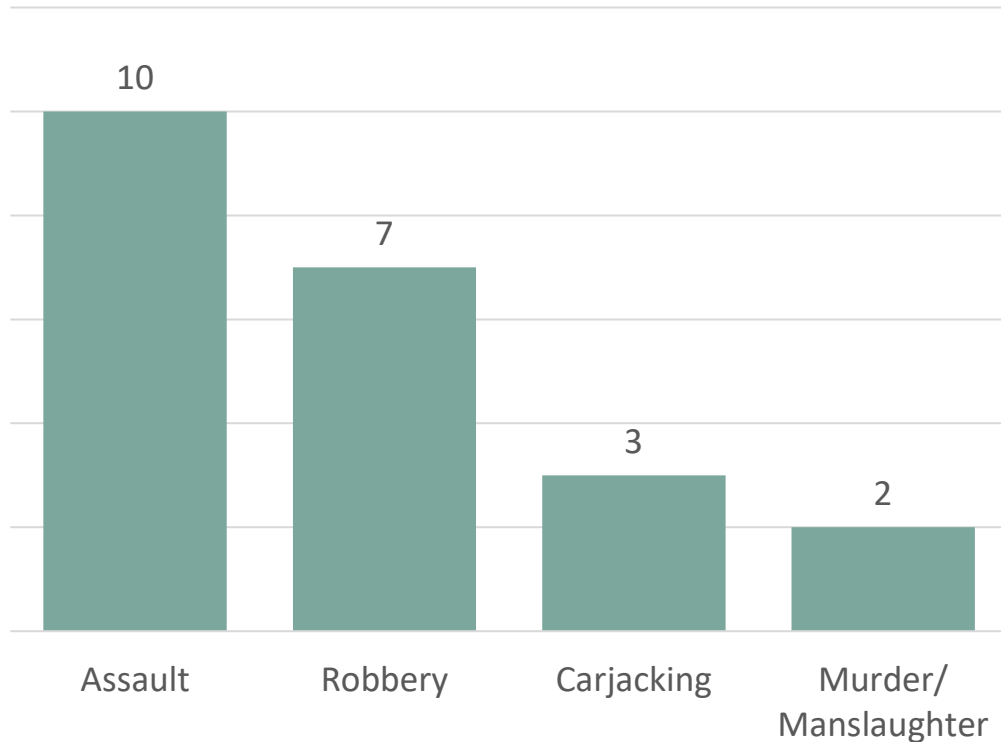
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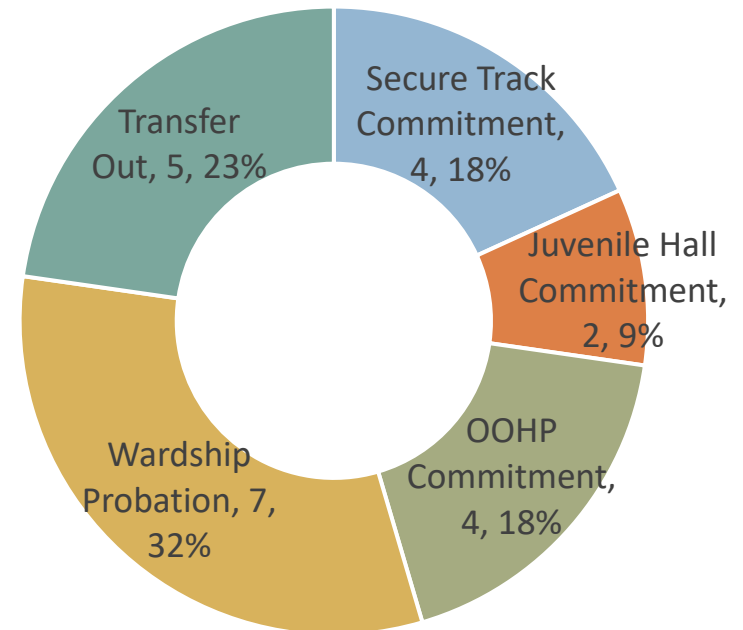


# 707(b) Petitions Sustained in 2022 by Top Charge and Disposition

By Top Charge Category



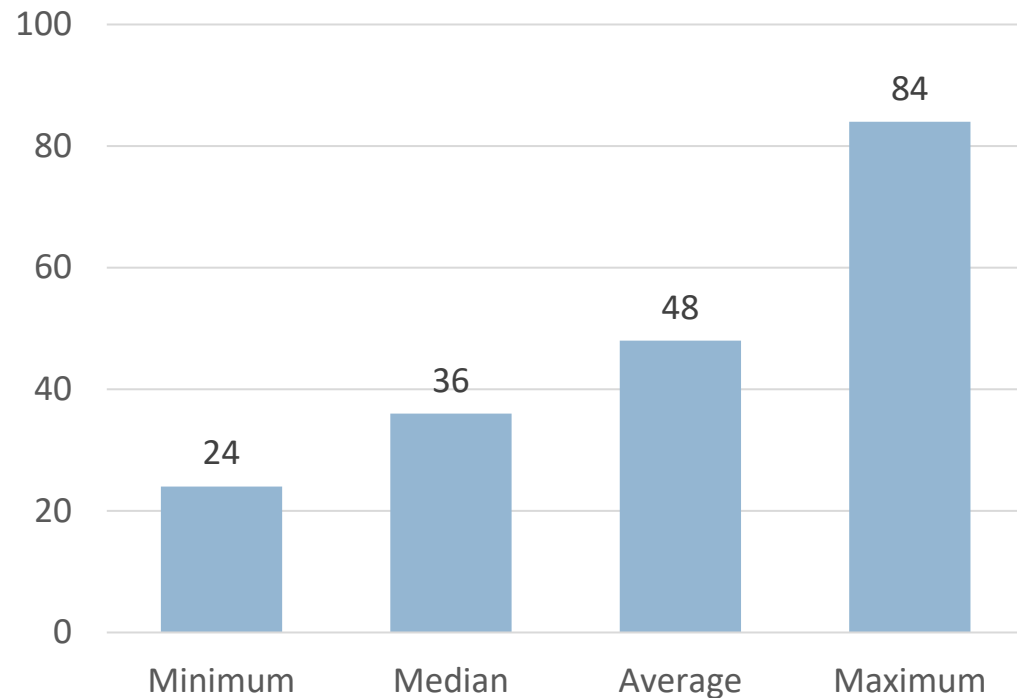
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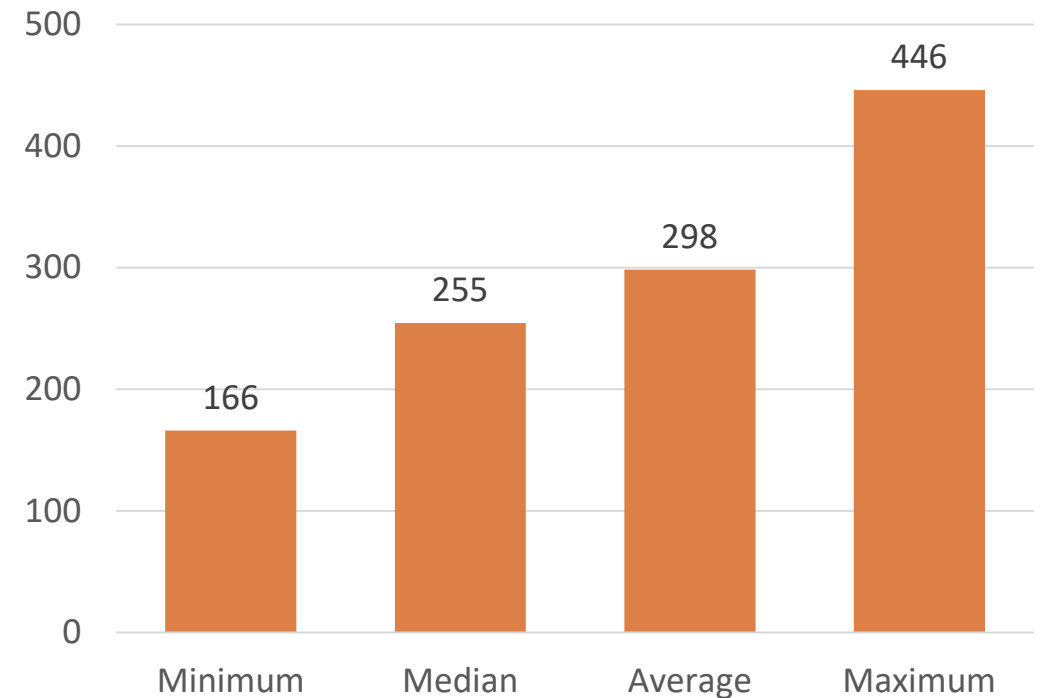
\*Notes: (1) Wardship probation includes wardship redeclared. (2) Youth in commitments are also on wardship probation. These youth are categorized by commitments for the purpose of this graph.

# Commitments to SYTF in 2022 by Term Ordered and LOS in SYTF

SYTF Terms Ordered at Disposition  
(in Months)



Length of Stay in SYTF  
(in Days)\*



\*Note: LOS is measured as the number of days between the date of commitment to SYTF to April 11, 2023.

# San Francisco's Secure Youth Treatment Facility

- To date, 7 youth have been committed by the San Francisco Juvenile Court to the Secure Youth Treatment Facility
  - 6 are housed in Juvenile Hall.
    - JPD currently operates 2 units for youth committed to Juvenile Hall.
  - 1 is housed in County Jail on a pending criminal matter.
- Secure Youth Treatment Facility Partners Meetings (JPD, SPY, SFUSD)
- Youth Team Meetings
  - Young person
  - Family members identified by the young person
  - Defense attorney
  - Any other individuals identified by the young person as support team
  - All additional professionals working with young person (i.e. mentor, case manager, program provider, tutor, etc.)
  - Secure Youth Treatment Facility Partners meet monthly (JPD, SPY, SFUSD)

# Presentation of the comprehensive multiagency Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Act (JJCPA) Annual Plan

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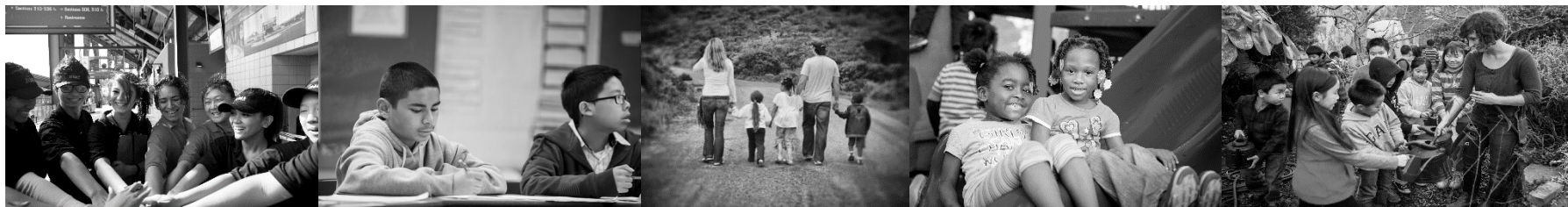


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## JUVENILE JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL

FY2023-2024: JJCPA OVERVIEW  
APRIL 18, 2023

# Overview

- JJCPA-YOBG Block Grant Consolidation Plan
- Due May 1<sup>st</sup>
- Base Allocation: TBD (per FAQs, County allocations will be determined as part of the annual state budget process, on/about July 1st and funding should be allocated in September; FY22-23 allocation was \$2.3M)

# Highlights

- Guided by the Local Action Plan
- Continuing work with Juvenile Probation, Adult Probation, Sheriff's Office, and District Attorney
- Completing evaluation with American Institutes for Research (AIR)
- Convening Juvenile Justice Partners for shared planning
- Ongoing Technical Assistance and Capacity Building: NICJR's Positive Youth Development, ROCA's Rewire Training, Crisis Mgmt and De-Escalation, Vicarious Trauma Management, School Crisis Supports Training
- Continuous funding of existing programs – final year of the previous funding cycle

# DCYF's Work

- **Community Needs Assessment (CNA) Completion**
  - DCYF's 2022 CNA documents service needs expressed by youth and families, including justice-involved youth and TAY
- **Services Allocation Plan (SAP) and RFP Development**
  - Responding to findings from our CNA and ongoing evaluation, DCYF's SAP and RFP aim to refine services for justice-involved youth and TAYA and align efforts among City partners, including SFJPD, DA, APD, SHF



# Questions

# Announcements and Requests for Future Agenda Items

Agenda Item 5

# Adjournment

Agenda Item 6