Youth Justice and the Dane County Juvenile Court Program



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Dane County Juvenile Court Program

- Juvenile Reception Center (JRC) provides custody intake services for youth 10-16 referred on state law violations.
- Juvenile Detention Center provides temporary secure custody for youth 10-17 years old.
- Juvenile Shelter Home provides temporary non-secure housing for 10-17 year old youth in the YJ and CPS systems.
- Home Detention Program provides community-based supervision of 10-17 year old youth while court is pending.
- Judicial and system role

Opportunity Youth Coalition

- Origins
- Membership
- Focus and work to date

Work in progress

- OY Coalition
- MPD/City federal grant possibility-wraparound
- Coordination with PHMDC Violence Prevention Plan
- Coalition stakeholder survey and other input
 - Top focus areas
 - Parent input
 - Youth input

Focus areas and ideas

- Prevention
- Paid Mentoring
- Age appropriate activities
- Supported employment
- Intensive wraparound for youth and families
- Housing stability
- Youth mental health



Questions and discussion

Thank you

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