



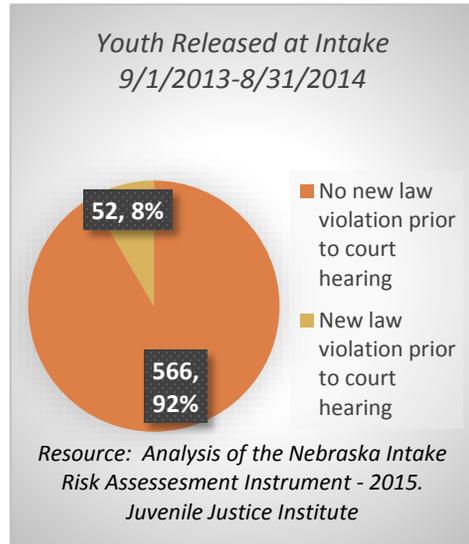
Probation Juvenile Justice Reform Efforts

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF PROBATION

June 2015 Report

Intake and Detention Alternatives

- The University of Nebraska Omaha (UNO) completed the study of the Nebraska Juvenile Intake Screening Risk Assessment (also known as the RAI).
 - The study verified the tool accurately assesses youth who can be released.
 - The study encourages the reduction in overriding the tool to increase validity. This will be accomplished by continuing to develop detention alternatives.
- Detention Alternatives, Tracker and Electronic Monitoring (EM) booster training will occur statewide for probation staff and providers.
- Juvenile Detention Alternative Initiative (JDAI) finalizing infrastructure to expand to new site by the end of the year.
 - JDAI data group is developing standardized definitions for detention and detention alternative system points.



Pre-adjudication and Investigations

- Crossover Youth Practice Model implementation continues expansion to Sarpy County with the goal of increased information sharing for youth involved in the child welfare and juvenile justice systems.

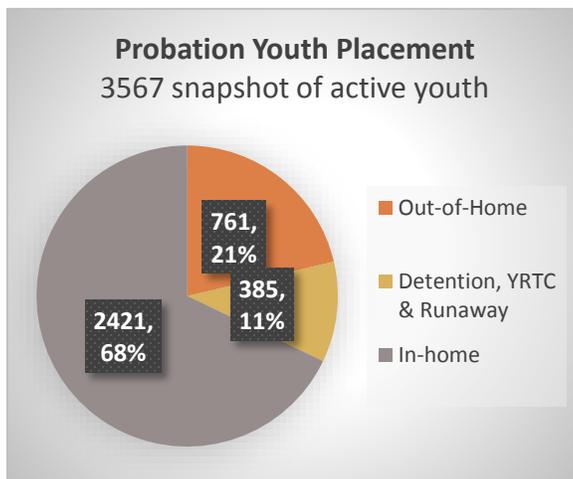
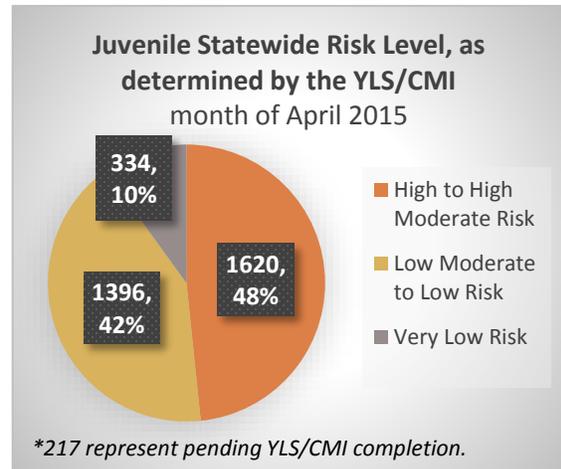


- Financial Resource titled “Pre-planning and Applying for Medicaid and Magellan Financial Assistance” has been trained and distributed to all probation staff enhancing skill in family engagement and support when completing the application.
- Youth Behavioral Health Services Stakeholder Collaboration is focused on assisting youth and families in accessing funding for needed services.

- Updated Predisposition Investigation (PDI) training for new Probation Officers has been implemented.
- Creation of a pilot to implement the MAYSI-2, mental health screening.

Case Management and Services

- A new web-training “Juvenile Service Delivery and Targeting Interventions” was trained to all probation staff that work with juveniles, which included:
 - Service matching;
 - Critical thinking and levels of care; and
 - Transition planning for youth placed out-of-home.
- Development of specialized case management for “Non-Delinquent Status Youth.”
- Continued creation of the new Juvenile Services Guide planned for completion in

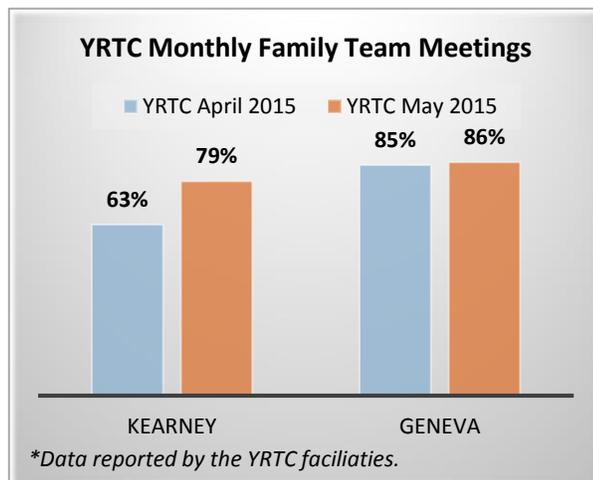


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- Implemented the Assessment Services Engagement (ASE) Team which is a resource for the judiciary and probation to assist in development of a supervision / placement plan for youth at risk of out-of-home placement.
- Intensive In-Home Service expansion continues.

Reentry

- The Individualized Reentry Plan (IRP) has been updated to include judicial feedback and has been trained to probation staff.
- Collaboration with the YRTC's in implementation of a youth and family reentry survey.
- Planning underway to share the scores of the Youth Level of Service/Case Management Inventory (YLS/CMI) assessments to reduce unnecessary multiple assessments and improve tool fidelity.



- Shared supervision programming enhancement is underway to improve supervision of youth placed in another court jurisdiction.

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