

# Department of Community Corrections and Rehabilitation

## Community Based Array of Services Outcome Summary

### Executive Summary

This report contains referral, discharge, and outcome data for the 2021 Community Based Array of Services. In 2021, the community, and community providers, demonstrated their resiliency. It is important to remember, the COVID-19 pandemic, civil and social injustices, along with the murder of George Floyd, resulted in adjustments for our community-based programming. To ensure the safety and wellness of our youth and families, some programming was delivered in a virtual platform with a focus on making sure electronic devices and connectivity were not barriers for any young people. Despite all these barriers and endless trauma in the community, community providers consistently showed up and positively impacted the lives of young people and families. Identifying trends, shifting needs, and problem-solving barriers, helped to support increased success in outcomes and overall program delivery.

The full report can be viewed [online](#).

June 2022

For questions, please  
contact:  
[DOCCR@hennepin.us](mailto:DOCCR@hennepin.us)

### Findings<sup>1</sup>

In 2021, 84% of young people on supervised probation identified as Black, Indigenous, and People of Color. Approximately 86% of young people referred to community-based programs identified as BIPOC. A total of 586 young people (84% male/male identified and 16% female/female identified) participated in Community Based Array of Services interventions in 2021:

- 251 young people (79% male/male identified and 21% female/female identified) completed Community Based Array of Services interventions.
- 135 young people (90% male/male identified and 10% female/female identified) did not complete Community Based Array of Services interventions.
- 17 young people (100% male/male identified) were administratively discharged from Community Based Array of Services.

### Program Completion

- Family based interventions had a 63% aggregate successful completion rate. Family based interventions are designed to support an entire family and include in home and/or in community therapeutic and wraparound modalities, with the goal of building informal, natural and community supports for young people and families.
- Interventions designed for female/ female identified young people had an 80% successful completion rate. Gender responsive interventions include individual and group opportunities for empowerment and leadership in group settings, non-traditional trauma healing and individualized support in education, workforce development and career exploration, healthy relationships, housing and independent living skills development, and connections to pro-social activities.
- Resources designed for support of young people at risk of sexual exploitation and trafficking, or young people that have been trafficked or exploited, had a 66% successful completion rate. This includes youth referred to these programs through Health and Human Services (HHS). In addition, early intervention, and educational

information regarding the risks of exploitation and trafficking were shared with 395 young people and 56 parents and caregivers.

- Young people participating in individualized supportive services had a 64% aggregate successful completion rate. Interventions included mentoring, restorative justice, chemical health support, and individualized support in education, healthy relationships, basic needs, health and wellness, identifying and connection to pro-social activities, housing and independent living skills and employment.
- Male and male identified young people participating in a combination of individual case management and group programming had a 58% aggregate completion rate. These interventions included support around trauma work, managing emotions, social and emotional skills learning, cognitive and behavioral skill learning and overall well-being support.
- Young people participating in boundaries, primary and aftercare outpatient sexual health treatment had an 86% aggregate successful completion rate.

## Goal Achievement

The pandemic shifted educational spaces, ways of learning, and success for young people. Many of our community partners work to support the educational achievement and growth of justice involved youth. 191 young people had a goal related to successful educational progress and achievement and 81% (N = 154) achieved that goal.

Connecting young people to positive, pro-social activities is an important component for many community-based interventions. While the pandemic again pivoted the options and opportunities for young people to participate in pro-social activities, 113 young people had a goal related to pro-social activities and 79% (N = 89) achieved this goal.

In 2021, working in partnership with many community-based agencies, there was a shift in aligning outcome goals to the increased health and well-being of young people participating in community-based interventions. 71% (220/311) of young people participating in community-based programs saw an increase in outcome areas pertaining to increased health and wellness.

286 young people had a goal of improved relationships; 79% (N = 211) reported increased positive relationships with family, peers, and other trusted adults. In addition, of the 133 young people referred to community interventions that have outcomes related to engaging positively in the community, increasing natural and community supports, and participation in restorative justice practices, 73% (N = 97) successfully completed.

Of the 112 youth referred to interventions that help to support increased emotional and behavioral functioning and increased coping skills, 58% (N = 65) successfully completed the intervention.

## Recommendations/Lessons Learned

1. Continue engagement and dialogue with community partners and stakeholders regarding the collection of racial and ethnic identity as it relates to how this information is collected in contract outcome grids.
2. Continue the practice of ensuring community partner voice is included in the process of contract outcome development. What type of support(s) would be helpful?
3. Continuation of providing culturally responsive, trauma recovery and gender affirming interventions in the growth of the Community Based Array of Services.

---

<sup>i</sup> The findings include all young people who participated in a Community Based Array of Services intervention in 2021. Young people who started an intervention in 2020 and continued into 2021 are included in the participation data. Young people who were referred to an intervention in 2021 but did not complete until 2022 are not included in the discharge and outcome data. In addition, a young person can be referred to, and participate in, more than one contracted Community Based Array of Services intervention at the same time and can be referred to an intervention at differing times throughout probation. Data source: CSTS and POWER BI