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Building Resilient Youth – A Multidisciplinary Approach

The Clayton County Youth Services Partnership

Program Outcomes

Youth & Family Goals

On The Drawing Board

24/7 Dads

24/7 DAD am / 24/7 DAD pm

***The* [Ten-Step] Rites of Passage**

NFLEC Multi-Ethnic Model

Mentoring Children of Prisoners

Youth Violence Reduction Through Mentoring

Say Yes to N.O.

Eradicating Cardiovascular Disease, Obesity & Diabete

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A Message from The Executive Director



Since its founding in 2003, The Advocacy Foundation has become recognized as an effective provider of support to those who receive our services, having real impact within the communities we serve. We are currently engaged in several community and faith-based collaborative initiatives, having the overall objective of eradicating all forms of youth violence. In carrying-out these initiatives, we have adopted the evidence-based strategic framework developed and implemented by the Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). The stated objectives are:

1. Community Mobilization;
2. Social Intervention;
3. Provision of Opportunities;
4. Organizational Change and Development; and
5. Suppression [of unlawful activities].

Moreover, it is our most fundamental belief that in order to be effective, prevention and intervention strategies must generally be Community Specific, Culturally Relevant, Evidence-Based, and Collaborative.

The Violence Prevention and Intervention programming we employ in implementing this community-enhancing framework include the programs further described herein. We sincerely appreciate your review of our programs, as well as your consideration for tax deductible contributions.

Always feel welcome to contact me directly with any questions, comments or concerns.

Thank you for all you do!

Jack Johnson

John C. (Jack) Johnson III, JD
Executive Director

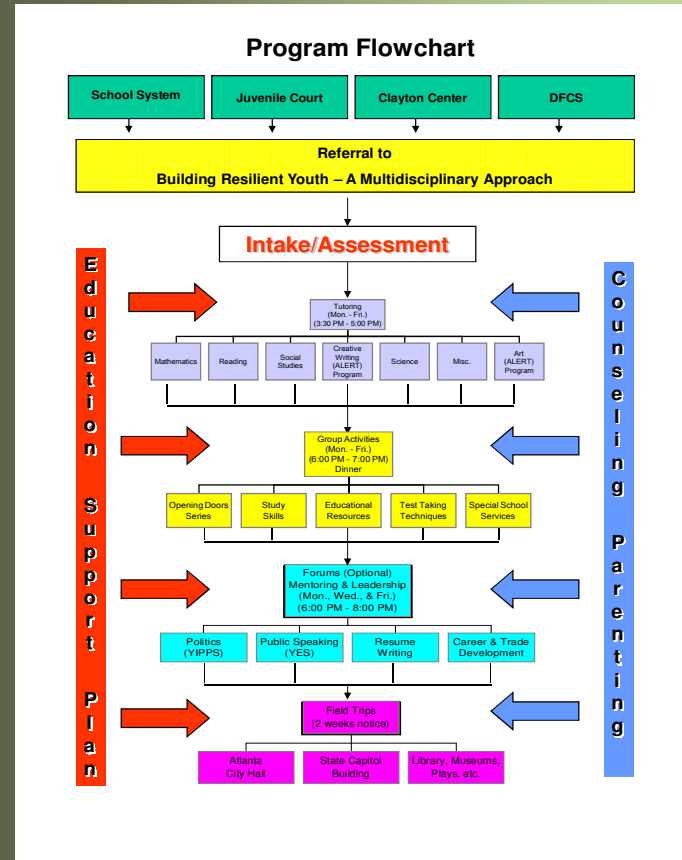


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Program Operations



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OUR MISSION

To Prepare Individuals, Communities and Organizations to Achieve Their Full Potential through Entity Structuring, Support Services, Leadership Development & Training, and the Acquisition of Funding.



Building Resilient Youth – A Multidisciplinary Approach

The Clayton County Youth Services Partnership

Mentorship, Character Development,
Violence Prevention and Intervention

Internships, Workforce Development, Leadership and Parenting
Skills Development, Homework Clubs; Tutoring; Workshops
Educational & Vocational Planning

Building Resilient Youth is a multi-year effort to address the needs of troubled youth and assist in the breaking of dysfunctional and destructive family and social cycles. We help our young people break through disparaging paradigms regarding their education, literacy, pregnancy, substance abuse, and violence. A majority of the participants in the program receive remedial and tutorial assistance in basic subjects such as reading, mathematics, art, and social sciences. They also participate in a myriad of sports related, social, and vocational activities designed to stimulate and enhance their natural talents and abilities, as well as help them prepare their primary and secondary plans for the future.

Program Outcomes

(Youth & Family Goals)

Through our sustained and collaborative partnerships, no less than 85% of our program participants will accomplish the following in each program year:

1. Placement in internships, jobs, or community service;
2. Decreased criminal activity and violence, culminating in significantly decreased aggressive behaviors;
3. Decreased involvement in gangs, resulting in a significant reduction in gang-related activities;
4. Decreased alcohol and drug use;
5. Improved school functioning and performance, with a significant increase in school attendance and improved grades;
6. Improved family functioning and interaction, with parents (or caregivers) attending at least one “Family Involvement” trip;
7. Increased involvement in extra-curricular activities such as sports, music, and/or arts for at least five (5) consecutive months;
8. Increased youth workforce development skills and access to jobs;
9. Improved attitudes toward self, home, and school;
10. Improved social-competence skills such as self-esteem, peer relations, socialization, social problem-solving techniques, and cognitive problem-solving skills;
11. Eliminated rate of recidivism.

On The Drawing Board

(Evidence-Based Programs for Children of Promise)

24/7 Dads

An Advocacy Foundation—Clayton County Fatherhood Initiative Partnership, Inc.—National Fatherhood Initiative Supported Project

24/7 Dad AM (Basic Fathering)
24/7 Dad PM (Advanced Fathering)



The [Ten-Step] Rites of Passage

A Lion of Judah CDC—Advocacy Foundation—NFLEC Supported Project

Personal, Emotional, Mental, Economic, Spiritual, Social, Physical, Political, Historical, and Cultural Rites of Passage

W.A.V.E.

(War Against Violence Everywhere)

Life Skills through Sports Programming
Basketball, Football, Volleyball, Softball, Track & Field, Swimming

Mentoring Children of Prisoners

An Advocacy Foundation—Clayton County Youth Services Partnership—Amachi Training Institute Supported Project

Youth Violence Reduction through 1-to-1 Mentoring









Say Yes to N.O.

An Advocacy Foundation—Cardiovascular Health Care Initiative

Targeting Cardiovascular, Disease, Obesity and Diabetes in At-Risk Adults and Youth

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