



## Engaging Families

IDJC continues to prioritize family engagement as an integral part of our treatment philosophy. We strive to build collaborative relationships in which families are equal partners in the success of their children. This year, IDJC developed the following tools to help better engage families: **1.** Video tours of all three state facilities to educate families and community partners. **2.** An informational video on the Rule 19 screening process to familiarize families and stakeholders with the process prior to screening. **3.** A new aftercare smartphone app for youth returning to the community which allows youth instant access to their Relapse Prevention Plans as well as support in times of crisis. **4.** Videoconferencing for family visits, counseling, and monthly meetings to engage families who live far from where their children are in treatment. **5.** A shuttle for families unable to travel on their own to visit their children from the Nampa-Boise area to the St. Anthony facility in Southeast Idaho.



## JJDPA Compliance

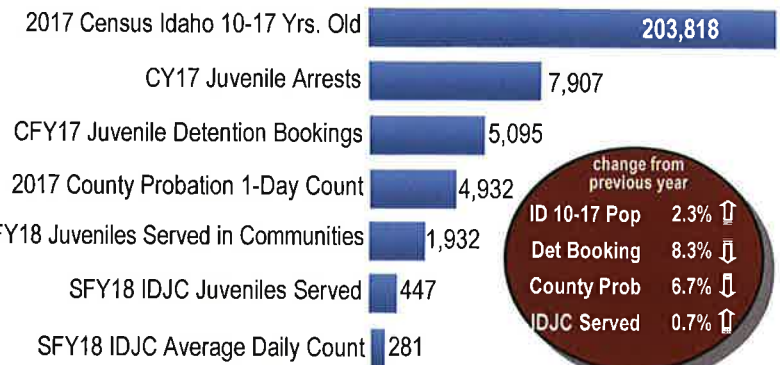
Idaho was determined to be out of compliance with the Deinstitutionalization of Status Offenders (DSO) requirement of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act (JJJPA) for federal fiscal year 2018. The DSO requirement provides that juveniles who have committed an offense that is illegal only due to their status as a juvenile (i.e., runaway, truancy, incorrigible, etc.) shall not be placed in secure confinement. Placing status offenders in detention can have serious negative impacts on their mental and physical health, education, and employment, and can increase their risk of engaging in future delinquent behavior. Because of noncompliance, Idaho was penalized 20% of its formula grant funds; the remaining funds must be reallocated to address the DSO requirement. Current data suggests Idaho will be out of compliance with the DSO requirement for 2018, and will likely remain out of compliance each year unless changes are made system-wide.

IDJC and the Idaho Juvenile Justice Commission recommend a three-pronged approach to meet needs of juvenile status offenders: **1.** Continue to develop and sustain community-based alternatives. **2.** Review and revise statutes and rules related to the detainment of status offenders. **3.** Ongoing evidence-based training for stakeholders.

## Juvenile Probation Standards

IDJC is assisting in updating juvenile probation standards to ensure the facilitation of positive outcomes for juveniles, families, victims, and the community; to reduce recidivism; and to reduce liability. A work group was convened by the Juvenile Training Council consisting of juvenile probation officers throughout the state representing various department sizes and geographic areas. It is anticipated that the revised juvenile probation standards will be reviewed by communities and county commissioners in 2019 and go before the legislature in the 2020 session.

## IDAHO JUVENILE POPULATION



\*Juveniles served locally with IDJC state and federal funds (CIP + MHP + REP + MIL)

## Juvenile Correctional Center Average Costs

The total average cost per day [to provide services] at a Level 4 juvenile correctional center is: **\$273.97**

The Department continually looks at ways to reduce lengths of custody while ensuring community protection.

AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION
\$119.89	Program
\$49.93	Educational Services
\$24.29	Security
\$20.14	Medical Services
\$19.64	Food Services
\$18.53	Administration
\$16.58	Maintenance
\$3.73	Laundry/Clothing
\$1.24	Janitorial/Housekeeping

Note: Based on SFY18 average costs

## DID YOU KNOW? IDJC Demographics 2018

- Gender:** Male - 83% Female - 17%
- Race/Ethnicity:** W - 68% H - 16% B - 4% AI - 6% Other - 6%
- Average Age:** 17.2 years old
- Crime:** Property- 34% Person- 31% Sex Offense- 20% Other- 15%
- Crime Level:** Felony - 54% Misdemeanor - 46%
- Mental Health Diagnosis:** 49%
- Substance Use Disorders:** 65% (drug and/or alcohol)
- Co-occurring Disorders:** 31% (substance use disorder and mental health diagnoses)
- FY18 Avg. Length of Custody:** 18.7 months
- FY18 Recombitment Rate:** 14%
- FY18 Recidivism Rate:** 29%

Receiving Wage Post-Release: 75%  
 Reading Scores Increased: 86%  
 Math Scores Increased: 90%

data date: 10.12.2018