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Koch Crime Institute

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Introduction

The intent and purpose of this directory is to identify juvenile boot camps in the United States for courts, probation officers, law enforcement, and concerned citizens who are seeking alternatives to the traditional sentencing methods currently imposed. This directory is not a recommendation or endorsement of juvenile boot camps or disciplinary style corrections facilities. The Koch Crime Institute has not evaluated juvenile boot camp providers listed in this directory, and makes no guarantees about quality or competence.

For this directory, the Koch Crime Institute used the following to define a juvenile boot camp:

“The only criterion necessary for a juvenile program to be called a boot camp is that it must have a paramilitary style.¹ This style should implement a highly regimented schedule of discipline, physical training, work, drill, and ceremony characteristic of military basic training; provide regular, remedial, special, and vocational education; and provide counseling and treatment for substance abuse and other health and mental health problems.²”

This definition is taken from the Koch Crime Institute White Paper report *Juvenile Boot Camps: Cost and Effectiveness vs. Residential Facilities* (July 1998). The report is available on the Internet at http://www.kci.org/publication/white_paper/boot_camp/overview.htm.

¹ Jacqueline, C. (1998). Boot Camps. *Tallahassee Democrat*. [On-line]. Available Internet: <http://www.labridge.com/change-links/BOOTCAMP.html>. Cited in Zaehring, B. (1998, July). *Juvenile Boot Camps: Cost and Effectiveness vs. Residential Facilities*. Koch Crime Institute. [On-line]. Available Internet: http://www.kci.org/publication/white_paper/boot_camp/overview.htm

² Establishment of Juvenile Boot Camp Program, 42 U.S.C. §5667(f). (1996). [On-line]. Available Internet: <http://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/42/5667f.html>. Cited in Zaehring, B. (1998, July). *Juvenile Boot Camps: Cost and Effectiveness vs. Residential Facilities*. Koch Crime Institute. [On-line]. Available Internet: http://www.kci.org/publication/white_paper/boot_camp/overview.htm

While every attempt was made to locate juvenile boot camps in the United States, a few may have been overlooked. At the end of the directory is a listing of juvenile boot camps that we have identified but do not have enough information about to include in the full directory. These juvenile boot camps were either identified too late for publication or did not respond to the survey.

In the process of researching this directory, we contacted each state's juvenile/youth services division, department of corrections, sheriffs, counties, correctional contractors, private correctional corporations, and many juvenile justice professionals. We thank everyone who participated for their time and effort.

The information in this directory was accumulated by a survey questionnaire and telephone calls. These data are self-reported. No juvenile boot camps were reported or located in the following states: Alaska, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Hawaii, Idaho, Maine, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

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Conditions:

We must be able to verify the juvenile boot camp information submitted. Only the first person to submit information about a previously unlisted juvenile boot camp currently in operation is eligible to receive a free directory. One free directory per person. Submissions should include name, address, and phone number of boot camp and name, address, and phone number of person making submission. Submissions may be sent by e-mail to justask@kci.org, or to Koch Crime Institute, 1 Criminal Justice Place, 714 SW Jackson, Topeka, KS 66603-3714.



Facility/Program name: Camp Robert J. Martin Youth
Leadership Academy

Facility address: 1401 Escambia St.

City: Prichard

St: AL

Zip: 36610

Telephone: (334) 457-1110

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Tim Davis, Assistant Program Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 13 weeks

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 9 months

Program established: 1992

Source of program funding: Private nonprofit

Is the program accredited and through who: In process

Selection criteria: Males, ages 12-18, with no history of armed
violence or sexual offenses

Who does the selection: Court

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:4

Cost per day per youth: \$79.67

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: First Arizona Youth Academy
(F.A.Y.A.)

Facility address: Located inside the Secure Perimeter Fence,
Black Canyon School

City: Phoenix

St: AZ

Zip:

Telephone: (602) 587-8871

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Chuck Isner

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: One year (4 months secure, 8 month after-care)

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 8 months

Program Established: 1983

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Youth age 14 to 17 years, 1 month of age;
risk score based on mental health screening; no adjudications for
serious crimes against persons; county residence; no drug/alcohol
addictions; sixth grade level reading/math or documentation of
ability to improve; no severe emotional or physical/health problems

Who does the selection: The State Youth Agency makes the
determination if youth are committed.

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8

Cost per day per youth:

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Elkhorn Correctional Facility Boot
Camp

Facility address: 500 E. Elkhorn

City: Caruthers

St: CA

Zip: 93609

Telephone: (559) 864-5933

Fax: (559) 864-3221

Email: N/A

Contact person: Richard H. Simonian, Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 365 days

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 7 to 7 1/2 months

Program Established: 1997

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: Educa-
tional portion of this program is accredited by WISC

Selection criteria: Juvenile offenders, ages 14 years of age and over, who are in need of immediate community removal and placement in a highly structured setting for accountability and personal skill building, legal residents of Fresno County; two or more sustained petitions for misdemeanor offenses or one petition citing multiple misdemeanor offenses, with at least a maximum period of confinement of one year or one or more sustained petitions for felony offenses; an intent to commit juveniles to C.K. Wakefield or CYA if they fail to successfully complete the boot camp program; and medical and psychological clearance.

Who does the selection: Deputy probation officers and ECF
managers

Staff-to-youth ratio: 15 to 1

Cost per day per youth: Approximately \$80.00

Who pays cost for attending: County general fund with
offsetting state and federal revenues and some parental reimburse-
ment under a sliding fee schedule.



Facility/Program name: Youth Track Academy

Facility address: 1600 W. 24th St., Bldg. 108

City: Pueblo

St: CO

Zip: 81003

Telephone: (719) 546-5005

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Jerri Roque

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 60 days

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Varies by judicial district, average is 90 days

Program established: 1993

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who:

Selection criteria: Varies by judicial district; youth sentenced to boot camp as condition of probation-alternative intermediary sentence

Who does the selection: Court with input from probation officers who make the referral. The court then sentences the youth

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:10

Cost per day per youth: Approximately \$99.29 (includes state-provided services such as medical, food, etc.)

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Polk County Juvenile Boot Camp
(Female)

Facility address: 2325 Bob Phillips Road

City: Bartow

St: FL

Zip: 338301

Telephone: (941) 534-0255

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Director Dan Drew

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months boot camp, 4 months transition

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 months

Program established: 1995

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not
available

Selection criteria: 14 to 18 years of age; felony offense other than
capital life, first degree violent felony; must be mentally, emotion-
ally, and physically able to participate in rigorous activities

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Polk County Juvenile Boot Camp
(Male)

Facility street address: 2325 Bob Phillips Road

City: Bartow

St: FL **Zip:** 33830

Telephone: (941) 534-0255 **Fax:** () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Director Dan Drew

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months boot camp, 4 months transition

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 4 months

Program established: 1994

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not available

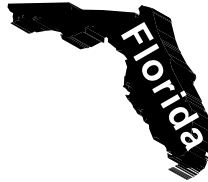
Selection criteria: 14 to 18 years of age; felony offense other than capital, life, first degree violent felony; must be mentally, emotionally, and physically able to participate in rigorous activities

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Pinnelas Boot Camp

Facility address: 14500 49th St. N., Box 130

City: Clearwater

St: FL

Zip: 34762

Telephone: (813) 464-7016

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Lt. Pete Nesbitt

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months boot camp, 4 months transition

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 months

Program established: 1993

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not available

Selection criteria: 14 to 18 years of age; felony offense other than capital, life, first degree violent felony; must be mentally, emotionally, and physically able to participate in rigorous activities

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: State



Facility/Program name: Orange County Sheriff's Office
Saturday Boot Camp

Facility address: Operation Transformation

City: Orlando

St: FL

Zip: 32839

Telephone: (407) 836-8025

Fax: (407) 836-8046

Email: N/A

Contact person: Drill Instructor Katie Jones
(Program Coordinator)

Type of program: Non-residential

Program duration: 22 hours/2 Saturdays

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Follow-up
survey 1 month after graduation

Program established: 1998

Source of program funding: N/A

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Juveniles who are male or female between the ages of 10 and 16 who are court ordered by a judge or placed in the program by a diversionary program. Parents who have children with disciplinary problems may also put their child in the program for \$35.00. It is designed to provide an intensive, structured early intervention program for misguided youth. Youth may have no violent felonies - this is EARLY-INTERVENTION - no long criminal histories.

Who does the selection: Staff

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:5

Cost per day per youth: \$20.00 if court ordered or placed by diversionary program and \$35.00 if placed by parents.

Who pays cost for attending: Funded by County or parents



Facility/Program name: Manatee County Juvenile Boot Camp

Facility address: 14490 Harlee Road

City: Palmetto

St: FL

Zip: 34221

Telephone: (941) 747-3011

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Director Robert Bowden

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months boot camp, 4 months transition

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 4 months

Program established: 1993

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not available

Selection criteria: 14 to 18 years of age; felony offense other than capital, life, first degree violent felony; must be mentally, emotionally, and physically able to participate in rigorous activities

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Bay County Juvenile Boot Camp

Facility address: 456 E. 11th St.

City: Panama City

St: FL

Zip: 32401

Telephone: (904) 872-7330

Fax: () -

Email:

Contact person: Lt. Mike Thompson

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 month boot camp, 4 months transition

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 months

Program established: 1994

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not available

Selection criteria: 14 to 18 years of age; felony offense other than capital, life, first degree violent felony; must be mentally, emotionally, and physically able to participate in rigorous activities

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Juvenile Offender Training Center

Facility street address: 800 S.E. Monetrey Road

City: Stuart

St: FL **Zip:** 34994

Telephone: (561) 220-7260 **Fax:** (561) 220-7264

Email: N/A

Contact person: Lloyd L. Jones/Robert Seaman

Type of program: Boot Camp and Transition Boot Academy

Program duration: Average length of stay is one year

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 4 months

Program established: 1994

Source of program funding: State Department of Juvenile
Justice

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: 14 to 17 years of age; adjudicated delinquent transfers from other level six programs or less restrictive programs, classified level six, moderate risks to public safety; complete physical examination and psychological assessment to ensure youth physical health/mental health profile are conducive

Who does the selection: Juvenile Justice Commitment
Manager

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: Public



Facility/Program name: Leon County Juvenile Boot Camp

Facility address: P.O. Box 727a

City: Tallahassee

St: FL

Zip: 32302

Telephone: (904) 921-5800

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Capt. David Walker

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months boot camp, 4 months transition

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 months

Program established: 1994

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not available

Selection criteria: 14 to 18 years of age; felony offense other than capital, life, first degree violent felony; must be mentally, emotionally, and physically able to participate in rigorous activities

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: The Augusta Boot Camp

Facility street address: 3134 Mike Padgett Highway

City: Augusta

St: GA **Zip:** 30906

Telephone: (706) 772-9722 **Fax:** () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Richard Singleton

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 days

Aftercare: No **Aftercare duration:**

Program established: 1997

Source of program funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Male first- and second-time offenders

Who does the selection: Georgia Department of Juvenile
Justice and court

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8

Cost per day per youth: \$72.36

Who pays cost for attending:



Facility/Program name: Three Springs - McIntosh Youth
Development Campus

Facility address: 1200 Hwy. 251

City: Darien

St: GA

Zip: 31303

Telephone: (912) 437-6036

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: James Albury

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 days

Aftercare: Varies **Aftercare duration:** Dependent upon
home location of offender

Program Established: 199

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: First-time male offenders

Who does the selection: Court

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:7

Cost per day per youth: \$90.00

Who pays cost for attending:



Facility/Program name: Eastman Youth Development Campus

Facility address: P.O. Box 235a

City: Eastman

St: GA

Zip: 31023

Telephone: (912) 374-6900

Fax: ()

Email: N/A

Contact person: Jack Lee, Institutional Program Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: Sentences vary from 30 to 180 days; most common is 90 days

Aftercare: No **Aftercare duration:**

Program Established: 1997

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: All male youth whom a juvenile judge chooses to send to the boot camp

Who does the selection: Court of Department of Juvenile Justice Screening Committee

Staff-to-youth ratio: Security 1:8, counseling 1:19, education 1:14, resident staff 1:3

Cost per day per youth: Approximately \$43.00, not including building cost

Who pays cost for attending:



Facility/Program name: Irwin Youth Development Campus

Facility address: 132 Cotton Drive

City: Ocilla

St: GA

Zip: 31774

Telephone: (912) 468-9390

Fax: ()

Email: N/A

Contact person: Bill Bateman

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 days

Aftercare: No **Aftercare duration:**

Program Established: 1995

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes,
American Correctional Association and National Commission on
Correctional Health Care

Selection criteria: Males per judicial sentence

Who does the selection: Department of Juvenile Justice

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:1.7 overall

Cost per day per youth: \$96.90

Who pays cost for attending:



Facility/Program name: Pelham Youth Development Campus

Facility address: 410 Mize

City: Pelham

St: GA

Zip: 31779

Telephone: (912) 294-2500

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Choice Nelson

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 days

Aftercare: No

Aftercare duration:

Program Established: 1998

Source of Program Funding: Private

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Male nonviolent offenders

Who does the selection: Georgia Department of Juvenile
Justice

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:24

Cost per day per youth: \$90.00 or more

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Wrightsville Youth Development
Campus

Facility address: P.O. Box 344a, Donovan Road

City: Wrightsville

St: GA

Zip: 31096

Telephone: (912) 864-4100

Fax:) -

Email:

Contact person: Glenn E. Rich, Director

Type of program:

Program duration:

Aftercare: No

Aftercare duration:

Program Established: 1996

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Males; status or delinquent juvenile offenders

Who does the selection: Court

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:20 days, 1:25 nights

Cost per day per youth: \$50.00

Who pays cost for attending:



Facility/Program name: Illinois Youth Center - Murphysboro

Facility address: 626 Boot Camp Road, P.O. Box 1507

City: Murphysboro

St: IL

Zip: 62966

Telephone: (618) 684-8500

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Superintendent Anthony Ramos

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 6 months

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 6 to 12 months

Program Established: 1997

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes

Selection criteria: 13 to 19 year old males committed to Illinois Department of Corrections Juvenile Division for nonviolent offenses

Who does the selection: Juvenile Division Assignment Coordinator on behalf of the Deputy Director of the Illinois Department of Corrections, Juvenile Division

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:17

Cost per day per youth: \$130.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Camp Summit Boot Camp
Facility address: P.O. Box 156, 4904 W. Johnson Road
City: LaPorte
St: IN **Zip:** 46350
Telephone: (219) 326-1188 **Fax:** (219) 326-9218
Email: N/A
Contact person: Cecil K. Davis, Superintendent
Type of program: Residential
Program duration: 120 days
Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Determined by
Parole Services
Program Established: 1995
Source of Program Funding: State/Indiana Dept. of Correc-
tions
Is the program accredited and through who: No;
however, the American Correctional Association accreditation
process is targeted to begin in 1999
Selection criteria: Adjudicated male delinquents sentenced to the
Indiana Dept. of Correction between the ages of 13 to 17 years of
age. All offenses, excluding the following: rape, robbery, murder,
use of a firearm, or felony battery. No re-commit's to Camp
Summit. Offenders must reside in the geographical region.
Who does the selection: Staff at the Intake & Diagnostic
Facility Dept. of Correction
Staff-to-youth ratio: 1.03
Cost per day per youth: \$100.00
Who pays cost for attending: Public



Facility/Program name: Labette Correctional Conservation
Camp

Facility address: 2501 West 7th

City: Oswego

St: KS

Zip: 67356

Telephone: (316) 795-2925

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Tom Bringle, Administrator

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 6 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Provided by
community corrections until released from probation

Program Established: 1991

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Nonviolent crimes; however, the Waiver Board
can override the criteria and admit certain violent offenders

Who does the selection: Courts as a condition not to serve
time in prison and as a condition of probation

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:4

Cost per day per youth: Approximately \$38.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Cadet Leadership and Education Program

Facility address: 2665 KY HWY 30 West

City: Jackson

St: KY

Zip: 40322

Telephone: (606) 295-2267

Fax: (606) 295-2274

Email: msnickel@mail.state.ky.us

Contact person: Mark Nickell

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months residential, 4 months intensive aftercare

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 months

Program Established: 1999

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes;
American Correctional Association

Selection criteria: 14-17 years old, no sex offenders

Who does the selection: Superintendent

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:1.3

Cost per day per youth: Not enough data yet

Who pays cost for attending: Public



Facility/Program name: Louisiana Intensive Training and Education Program (LITE) at Tallulah Correctional Center for Youth

Facility address: 1005 West Green

City: Tallulah

St: LA

Zip: 71282

Telephone: (377) 574-1899

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Warden Jack Patton

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 to 120 days

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: Varies

Program Established: 1994

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes;
American Correctional Association

Selection criteria: Delinquent males 15 years and older who have not committed a violent offense

Who does the selection: The state Department of Public Safety and Corrections with the consent of sentencing judge

Staff-to-youth ratio: 2:44

Cost per day per youth: \$71.81

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Backbone Leadership Challenge

Facility address: 124 Camp 4 Road

City: Swanton

St: MD

Zip: 21562

Telephone: (301) 359-9190

Fax:

Email: N/A

Contact person: Robert McElvie, Administrative Officer III

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 22 weeks

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 12 months

Program Established:

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Male juvenile offenders 14 to 18 years old

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:65

Cost per day per youth: Approximately \$98.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Savage Leadership Challenge

Facility address: 164 Freedom Lane

City: Lonaconing

St: MD

Zip: 21539

Telephone: (301) 463-2244

Fax: -

Email:

Contact person: Richard Kerr, Administrative Officer III

Type of program:

Program duration: 22 weeks

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 12 months

Program Established: 19

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Male juvenile offenders age 14 to 18

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:76

Cost per day per youth: Approximately \$98.00

Who pays cost for attending:



Facility/Program name: Crossroads for Youth

Facility address: 930 E. Drahnner Road

City: Oxford

St: MI

Zip: 48371

Telephone: (248) 628-2561

Fax: (248) 628-3080

Email: Janetmcpeek@crossroads.org

Contact person: Janet McPeek, Ph.D., Executive Director

Type of program:

Program duration: 18 weeks

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 to 6 months

Program Established: Not available

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: In process;
Council on Accreditation

Selection criteria: Referrals come primarily through the probate court and Family Independence Agency. Residents must be eligible for low to medium secure placements and be 15-18 year old males.

Who does the selection: Referrals are made to the agency;
intake worker verifies that referral meets eligibility criteria

Staff-to-youth ratio: 7:11

Cost per day per youth: \$97.18

Who pays cost for attending: Per diem; public dollars from
Probate Court and Family Independence Agency



Facility/Program name: Crossroads for Youth

Facility address: 930 E. Drahnner Road

City: Oxford

St: MI

Zip: 48371

Telephone: (248) 628-2561

Fax: (248) 628-3080

Email: Janetmcpeek@crossroads.org

Contact person: Janet McPeek, Ph.D., Executive Director

Type of program:

Program duration: 18 weeks

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 4 to 6 months

Program Established: Not available

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: In process;
Council on Accreditation

Selection criteria: Referrals come primarily through the probate court and Family Independence Agency. Residents must be eligible for low to medium secure placements and be 15-18 year old males.

Who does the selection: Referrals are made to the agency; intake worker verifies that referral meets eligibility criteria

Staff-to-youth ratio: 7:11

Cost per day per youth: \$97.18

Who pays cost for attending: Per diem; public dollars from Probate Court and Family Independence Agency



Facility/Program name: Youth Experiencing Alternatives

Facility address: 1450 Energy Park Drive, Suite 200

City: St. Paul

St: MN

Zip: 55108-5219

Telephone: (651) 642-5219

Fax: (651) 642-5219

Email: N/A

Contact person: Dave Ellis

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: Approximately 12 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Continuous

Program Established: 1998

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: First- and second-time offenders and at-risk youth

Who does the selection: Police, youth service agencies, and schools

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:5

Cost per day per youth: Less than \$10.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Stabilization & Reintegration Program

Facility address: 800 Carranza Road

City: Tabernacle

St: NJ

Zip: 08088

Telephone: (609) 268-1440

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Major B. Smith, Superintendent

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 6 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Varies according to length of sentence

Program Established: 1996

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Youth over the age of 13 adjudicated of any crimes except murder, first degree robbery, or sexual offenses

Who does the selection: Classification Committee at the New Jersey Training School

Staff-to-youth ratio: Custody 1:14, civilian 1:9

Cost per day per youth: \$117.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Sgt. Henry Johnson Youth Leadership Academy

Facility address: Route 10, P.O. Box 132

City: South Kortright

St: NY

Zip: 13842

Telephone: (607) 538-1401

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Doug Cannastra

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 6 months

Aftercare: Yes; City Challenge Program

Aftercare duration: 6 months

Program Established: 1992

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes,
American Correctional Association

Selection criteria: Juvenile delinquents and restricted juvenile delinquents

Who does the selection: Family court places youth with agency and the agency places with academy

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:2

Cost per day per youth: \$134.25

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Impact East

Facility address: P.O. Box 211

City: Hoffman

St: NC

Zip: 28347

Telephone: (910) 281-5156

Fax: (910) 281-5722

Email: N/A

Contact person: Colonel John D. Taylor

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 - 120 days

Aftercare: Some counties

Aftercare duration: 15 months

Program Established: 1989

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Anyone placed on probation by a judge

Who does the selection: Judges

Staff-to-youth ratio: 3:1

Cost per day per youth: \$56.13

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Impact West

Facility address: P.O. Box 2668

City: Morganton

St: NC

Zip: 28680

Telephone: (828) 439-2319

Fax: (828) 439-2324

Email: N/A

Contact person: Major Charles A. Harris

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 81 to 120 days

Aftercare: TASC **Aftercare duration:** 18 months

Program Established: 1994

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes;
Department of Corrections - North Carolina

Selection criteria: Age 16-30; court ordered; non-assaultive crimes

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: \$51.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Fort Ruben Rivers

Facility address: Highway 36, Box 109

City: Faxon

St: OK

Zip: 73540

Telephone: (580) 597-6689

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Lenward Nealy

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 90 days

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: Varies

Program Established: 1996

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: In process;
American Correctional Association

Selection criteria: Level I through L

Who does the selection: Courts, parole officers

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8

Cost per day per youth: Varies

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Tillamook Youth Accountability Camp

Facility address: 6700 Officer Row

City: Tillamook

St: OR

Zip: 97141

Telephone: (503) 842-2565

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Terry Younkin, Camp Director; Robert Fleming,
Treatment Manager

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 4 months

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 8 months

Program Established: 1997

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Property and some person-to-person offenders

Who does the selection: All youth offenders are sent to the Oregon Youth Authority (OYA) by the courts. OYA places youth in the camp through a voluntary consent process

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:5

Cost per day per youth: \$95.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Cornell Abraxas Leadership Development Program

Facility address: 10058 South Mountain Road, P.O. Box 354

City: South Mountain

St: PA

Zip: 17621

Telephone: (717) 749-7440

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Keith Welsh, Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 15 weeks

Aftercare: Varies - depending on committing county

Aftercare duration: Varies

Program Established: 1994

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Currently participating in Association Experiential Education process and beginning to explore American Correction Association

Selection criteria: Adjudicated of any charges except murder and arson; must have I.Q. over 80; no psychotropic medications

Who does the selection: County courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:6

Cost per day per youth: \$123.57

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Patrick Henry Brady Boot Camp

Facility address: R.R. 1, Box 98

City: Custer

St: SD

Zip: 57730

Telephone: (605) 673-2521

Fax: (605) 673-3489

Email: N/A

Contact person: Mark V. Snyder, Director; and Jeff Haiar,
Assistant Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 120 days

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 6 to 12 months

Program Established: 1996

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Low and medium risk juvenile males ages 14
to 18

Who does the selection: Juvenile Correction Agent/Intake
staff at facility

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:15 average

Cost per day per youth: \$70.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: La Salle County Boot Camp

Facility address: 703 N. Main St.

City: Cotulla

St: TX

Zip: 78014

Telephone: (830) 879-2528

Fax: (830) 879-2608

Email: N/A

Contact person: Lynn Tankersley

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 2 to 12 months

Aftercare: No

Aftercare duration:

Program established: 1995

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes, Texas

Juvenile Probation Commission

Selection criteria: Court referral

Who does the selection: County judges

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8 day; 1:12 sleep

Cost per day per youth: Varies

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Haris County Juvenile Boot Camp:
Delta III

Facility address: 9120 Katy-Hockley Road

City: Katy

St: TX

Zip: 77433

Telephone: (281) 394-4600

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Colonel Larry Smith, Superintendent

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: Not available

Aftercare: N/A

Aftercare duration: Not available

Program Established: Not available

Source of Program Funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Not
Available

Selection criteria: Males ages 15-17

Who does the selection: Not available

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: Not available

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: South Texas Juvenile Boot Camp

Facility address: 2330 West Highway 77, P.O. Box 1573

City: San Benito

St: TX

Zip: 78586

Telephone: (956) 361-3509

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Jesse Villarreal

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 6 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Not available

Program established: 1998

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes, Texas
Juvenile Probation Commission

Selection criteria: Males, 13 to 17 years of age

Who does the selection: Cameron County Court and surrounding court counties

Staff-to-youth ratio: Not available

Cost per day per youth: \$85.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Hays county Juvenile Boot Camp

Facility street address: 1309 Uhland Road

City: San Marcos

St: TX **Zip:** 78666

Telephone: (512) 392-7330

Fax: ()

Email:

Contact person: Pete Gonzales, Administrator

Type of program:

Program duration: 6 months

Aftercare: No **Aftercare location:**

Program established: 1993

Source of program funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: 15 to 16 years old misdemeanor and felony offenders

Who does the selection: Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:12 awake hours, 1:20 sleeping hours

Cost per day per youth: \$85.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Sheffield Boot Camp, a facility of the
Texas Youth Commission

Facility street address: P.O. Box 510, School Road

City: Sheffield

St: TX **Zip:** 79781

Telephone: (915) 836-4624 **Fax:** () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Al Elizondo, Commandant

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 9 to 12 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 3 months at
Schaeffer Halfway House in El Paso (community reintegration)

Program established: 1995

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Males, type B violent offenders and general
offenders

Who does the selection: Texas Youth Commission

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8

Cost per day per youth: \$71.31

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Bowie County Juvenile Justice Center

Facility street address: 141 Plaza West

City: Texarkana

St: TX **Zip:** 75501

Telephone: (903) 791-1512 **Fax:** () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Pete Asher, Executive Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 9 months to 2 plus years

Aftercare: No **Aftercare duration:**

Program Established: 1997

Source of Program Funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes, Texas
Juvenile Probation Commission

Selection criteria: Male youth committed by Texas Youth
Commission or Federal Bureau of Prisons for felony

Who does the selection: Texas Youth Commission, Federal
Bureau of Prisons

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8

Cost per day per youth: \$90.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Stuart E. Nunn Juvenile Center

Facility street address: 1324 Seventhy Street

City: Texarkana

St: TX

Zip: 75501

Telephone: (903) 791-1597

Fax: -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Sharon Long

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 3 to 6 months

Aftercare: No

After care duration:

Program established: 1997

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Yes, Texas
Juvenile Probation Commission

Selection criteria: Female post-adjudicated felony offenders

Who does the selection: Probation officers, courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:8

Cost per day per youth: \$85.00

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Youth Services International - Camp
Washington or Virginia Juvenile Boot Camp

Facility address: 4007 Burdette Road

City: Carrsville

St: VA

Zip: 23315

Telephone: (757) 562-7270

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Dayna Barksdale-McCain, Executive Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 5 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 6 months

Program established: 1996

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: Working
toward

Selection criteria: 14 to 18 year olds; medically screened and cleared by a physician to participate in contact sports; misdemeanor/repeat offenders; test positive on Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory; I.Q. of 70 or better; not previously attended a boot camp; no prior or current violent felony offense

Who does the selection: Commonwealth of Virginia's Department of Juvenile Justice and court service units

Staff-to-youth ratio: Day - 1:10; night - 1:16

Cost per day per youth: \$95 Monday through Friday; \$75 on Saturday and Sunday; aftercare \$25

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Rebound Camp Kenbridge

Facility address: 215 Hickory Road

City: Kenbridge

St: VA

Zip: 23955

Telephone: (804) 676-1631

Fax: () -

Email: N/A

Contact person: Col. Todd Speight, Director

Type of program: Residential

Program duration: 120 days

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration: 6 months

Program established: 1998

Source of program funding: State

Is the program accredited and through who: No

Selection criteria: Youth not previously committed and received by Department of Juvenile Justice; not previously attended a boot camp program; no prior or current violent felony offense; participation assessment completed; space availability

Who does the selection: Juvenile court judges directly place eligible juveniles in the facility through a deferred disposition

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:10 day, 1:16 night

Cost per day per youth: \$108.46; aftercare \$11.83

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies will bill the parents for services.



Facility/Program name: Camp Outlook at Connell Basic
Training Camp

Facility address: 1270 North Ephrata

City: Connell

St: WA

Zip: 99326

Telephone: (509) 234-5200

Fax: () -

Email:

Contact person: Not available

Type of program:

Program duration: 120 days

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** At least 12 weeks
or maximum sentence

Program established: 1997

Source of program funding:

Is the program accredited and through who: In process;
American Correctional Association accreditation and state licensing

Selection criteria: Male or female nonviolent, non-sex offenders
between the ages of 12-19

Who does the selection: JRA/Washington Department of
Health and Social Services recommended by Courts

Staff-to-youth ratio: 1:1.5

Cost per day per youth:

Who pays cost for attending: If the child is sent to the
program by the courts or a governmental agency, the costs are
generally paid by the government. However, some state agencies
will bill the parents for services.

IOWA



Facility/Program name: S.U.M.M.T. Boot Camp

Address: 2800 Eastern Ave., Davenport, IA 52804

Contact person: Chris Griffith, Program Director

Program duration: 90 days

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** 30 days

IOWA



Facility/Program name: Woodward Academy

Address: 1251 334th St., Woodward, IA 50276

Telephone: (515) 438-3482

Contact person: Mandy Loving-Moses, Executive Director

Program duration: 90 days

LOUISIANA



Facility/Program name: Louisiana Youth Academy

Address: 400 John Allison Drive, Alexandria, LA 71303

Telephone: (318) 449-4366

Other Camps

Through research, the Koch Crime Institute located a number of boot camps that did not reply to requests for information. Those camps are listed here alphabetically by state, with all available information.

COLORADO



Facility/Program name: Rebound/Lookout Mountain Camp

Facility address: 1700 Broadway, Suite 2200

City: Denver

St: CO

Zip: 80290

Telephone: (303) 861-9717 **Fax:** () -

Contact person: Bob Hietala, Program Director

Type of program:

Program duration: 60 days plus aftercare

Aftercare: Yes

Aftercare duration:

Program established: 1994

Is the program accredited and through who:

Selection criteria: Adjudicated, delinquent males sentenced by the court to regimented juvenile training; 12 to 18 years old; psychologically capable of handling a confrontational, disciplinary milieu; physically capable of participating in an intensive training regimen

Who does the selection: The judge hearing the case makes the initial sentencing decision based in part on the presentence report of the juvenile's probation officer.

Staff-to-youth ratio:

Cost per day per youth:

Who pays cost for attending:

MASSACHUSETTS



Facility/Program name: Massachusetts Boot Camp
Address: 2 Administration Road, Bridgewater, MA 02324
Telephone: (617) 727-1507
Contact person: Mike Corsini
Program established: August 1992

NEW JERSEY



Facility/Program name: Not available
Address: Wharton State Forest, South Jersey
Program duration: 5 months
Aftercare: Yes
Program established: 1996

OHIO



Facility/Program name: Camp Roulston, Cuyahoga County
Juvenile Court Boot Camp

Address: 2163 East 22nd St., Cleveland, OH 44115 (Note: Boot
camp is located on the grounds of the Youth Development Center
in Hudson, Ohio)

Telephone: (216) 443-8432

Contact person: Tim Howard

Program length: 3 months

Aftercare: Yes **Aftercare duration:** Up to 8 months

Program established: 1992

Selection criteria: Male juvenile offenders age 14 to 17

Who does the selection: Court

* This camp is scheduled to close on June 30, 1999.

TEXAS



Facility/Program name: Caldwell County Juvenile Justice Center

Address: 202 East San Antonio, Lockhart, TX 78666

Telephone: (512) 398-6850

Contact person: Dwight Stewart, Executive Director

Selection criteria: 13 to 18 year old adjudicated youth

TEXAS



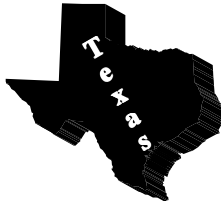
Facility/Program name: Challenge Program

Address: Sweetwater, Texas

Program duration: 120 days

Selection criteria: 13 to 16 year olds

TEXAS



Facility/Program name: Colorado County Juvenile Facility

Address: Eagle Lake, Texas

Contact person: Dalton Sherrill

Program length: 180 days

Established: April 1998

What is the National Guard ChalleNGe Program?

It's not a boot camp, but the program is run with a military structure. The primary mission of the ChalleNGe Program is to effect the socialization of “at-

risk youth” by elevating their academic level; improving their self-esteem, pride, and confidence levels; and teaching them basic life skills essential to successfully compete in the workplace and manage a healthy family environment. It is specifically oriented to improving the “whole person.” (<http://www.tya.onenet.net/history.htm>)

ChalleNGe is meant to be a “challenge,” and it is. The Challenge comes from living with a group of individuals from all life-styles for 22 weeks while participating in an academic and life skills curriculum coupled with a rigorous military structured discipline regime. Youth learn anger management; drug, crime, and gang prevention; group dynamics; how to find a job and other skills.



Photo courtesy of the Louisiana Youth Challenge Academy
excel in an interview, and many

The program is of no cost to the student. Students are provided everything, from toothpaste and socks to notebooks and pencils. Students may also be provided a living stipend during their stay and a stipend after graduation to assist in furthering their life plans (be it military, school, or work). Check with your individual state for exact details. Parents are responsible for maintaining health insurance coverage.

Phase 1: Five and one-half month residential phase.

- Military-based training significantly improves life skills and employment potential by providing a preventive rather than remedial program based on eight core components that support development of mind, body, and personal values, emphasizing self-discipline, self-esteem, education, and development of healthy life-styles.
- Eight Core components: Leadership/Fellowship; Community Service; Job

Skills; Academic Excellence; Responsible Citizenship; Life Coping Skills; Health, Sex Education, & Nutrition; and Physical Education.

- Attendees are called Corpsmembers.

Phase 2: One-year post-residential mentoring (Critical to overall program success).

For acceptance into the ChalleNGe Program, an applicant must be:

- at least 16, but not older than 19 at the time of entry into the program
- a high school dropout and have not completed GED requirements
- a U.S. citizen or legal resident and resident of state where program is offered
- free from use of illegal drugs and substances
- free from serious involvement in criminal justice systems (no felonies)
- physically and mentally capable of completing the program
- unemployed or underemployed
- pass a medical screening during the first week of the program
- a volunteer
- motivated and committed to turning his or her life around

What individuals gain

- GED preparation or GED certificate
- Military discipline – five and a half months
- Employment skills
- Physical fitness
- Life coping skills
- Mentor assistance

Your local ChalleNGe recruiter will provide you with recruitment forms for you and your parents. Please contact your recruiter to assist in preparation or to

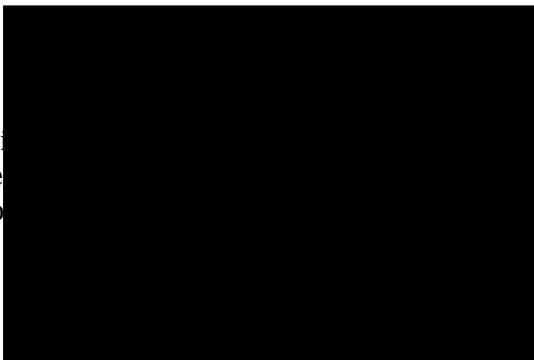


Photo courtesy of the Arkansas National Guard Youth Challenge Program

ALASKA

Program name: Alaska National Guard
Address: P.O. Box 5727
City: Ft. Richardson **St:** AK **Zip:** 99505-5727
Telephone: (907) 384-6107 or (907) 428-6067
Fax: (907) 384-6007

Contact person: Mr. Timothy Jones
Email: tjones@ngchak.org
Homepage:

ARIZONA

Program name: Arizona Project Challenge
Address: 7001 E. Williams Field Rd., Bldg. 170
City: Mesa **St:** AZ **Zip:** 85212
Telephone: (480) 988-4100 or (480) 988-4102
Fax: (480) 988-4121

Contact person: LTC Napoleon Pisano
Email: npisano@azpc.org
Homepage:

ARKANSAS

Program name: Youth Challenge Program
Address: Camp Robinson, Bldg 16414
City: N. Little Rock **St:** AR **Zip:** 72119-9600
Telephone: (501) 212-5344 or (501) 212-5565
Fax: (501) 212-5339

Contact person: Mr. Mike Steward
Email: lstewart@cei.net
Homepage:

CALIFORNIA

Program name: Grizzly Youth Academy
Address: Camp San Luis Obispo, P.O. Box 3209, Bldg. 721
City: San Luis Obispo **St:** CA **Zip:** 93403-3209
Telephone: (805) 782-6880
Fax: (805) 782-6885

Contact person: Glenda Wright
Email: WrightG@calguard.ca.gov
Homepage:

COLORADO

Program name: Colorado Youth ChalleNGe Corps
Address: PO Box 13027 (Bldg 8010)
City: Ft. Carson **St:** CO **Zip:** 80913-3027
Telephone: (719) 526-9931, (719) 526-9947,
(303) 397-3149 or (303) 490-8171
Fax: (719) 526-9933

Contact person: Mr. Ray Dissinger, Director
Email: zrayz@aol.com
Homepage:

GEORGIA

Program name: Georgia Youth ChalleNGe
Address: P. O. Box 3610
City: Fort Stewart **St:** GA **Zip:** 31314
Telephone: (912) 767-9327 or (912) 767-4015
Fax: (912) 767-5566

Contact person: LTC Frank Williams
Email: WilliamsF@EMH5.STEWART.ARMY.MIL
Homepage:

HAWAII

Program name: Hawaii ChalleNGe Youth Program

Address: P.O. Box 348

City: NAS Barbers Point **St:** HI **Zip:** 96862-0348

Telephone: (808) 673-7530, (808) 673-7531 or
(808) 673-7532

Fax: (808) 673-7536

Contact person: COL Robert Watanabe

MAJ Jeffery Nishikawa

Email: rwatanabe@hingycp.org

Homepage:

ILLINOIS

Program name: Lincoln ChalleNGe Program

Address: 205 Dodge Avenue

City: Rantoul **St:** IL **Zip:** 61866

Telephone: (217) 893-9725, (217) 893-9741 or
(217) 893-9727

Fax: (217) 893-9797

Contact person: COL Gary Sadler

Email: sadlerg@il-arng.ngb.army.mil

Homepage: www.dma-il.army.mil

KENTUCKY

Program name: Bluegrass ChalleNGe Academy

Address: Bldg. 2371

City: Ft. Knox **St:** KY **Zip:** 40121-5000

Telephone: (502) 624-3387 or (502) 624-3842

Fax: (502) 624-4205

Contact person: COL Elmo Head

Email:

Homepage:

LOUISIANA

Program name: Louisiana Army National Guard Youth
ChalleNGe Program

Address: 505 F Street, Camp Beauregard

City: Pineville **St:** LA **Zip:** 71360-3737

Telephone: (318) 641-5800

Fax: (318) 641-3313

Contact person: Brigadier General Richard W. Averitt

Email: raveritt@mail.ngchla.org

Homepage:

MARYLAND

Program name: Freestate ChalleNGe Academy

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Fax: (601) 558-2400

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Fax: (609)562-0581
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City: Cortland Manor **St:** NY **Zip:** 10567-5000
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***Juvenile Boot Camps: Cost and Effectiveness
vs. Residential Facilities*** (July 1998)



***Sentencing, Correctional, and Diversion Practices for
Juveniles*** (February 1999)

Report I: Residential

The objective of this study is to assist concerned citizens, local communities, and governing bodies throughout the nation in developing successful residential programs for juvenile offenders. This report on residential programs for juvenile offenders is the first in a series of 12 reports that will research and identify effective programs for juveniles. This project includes qualitative research on juvenile residential practices throughout the United States, including foster care, group homes, facilities, and outdoor wilderness camps. It provides an inventory of 115 distinct programs accompanied by a broad spectrum of specific information on each program. Only six of these programs effectively met research criteria. These six programs are reported in depth and are endorsed by the Koch Crime Institute Division of Research and Development.

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Gangs in the Heartland: A Survey of Selected Kansas Communities (February 1999)

The Koch Crime Institute has conducted a telephone survey of 240 respondents in 19 communities in Kansas on a variety of issues related to gangs and gang activity. The report includes a section comparing the information gathered in Kansas to the most recent gang research collected at the national level.

Innovative Practices in the Criminal and Juvenile Justice Systems (April 1997)

This study was launched to determine whether there are effective, innovative practices that can be used to deal with juvenile and adult offenders. Eight specific practices are endorsed as successful and are recommended by the Institute. A detailed analysis of these eight practices is included in the report.

Concealed Carry: Issues and Facts (January 1999)

This research report results from a major research project initiated in 1997, and is intended to present an unbiased review and analysis of credible resources from which the reader may judge the various relevant questions and perspectives of the concealed carry debate. Two companion reports are included: *State Demographic and Policy Factors Affecting Crime Rates* and *Comparative Analysis of State "Shall Issue" Statutes*.

Boot Camps: Mixed Reviews (November 1995)




This report provides an overview of boot camps in the United States. In addition, recommendations are made that could enhance a potential or existing camp's chances of success.

Kansas Field Services Consolidation (April 1996)



This report is designed to help the public make an informed decision about the administrative structure of correctional field services (probation, parole, and community corrections) in Kansas.

Prison Privatization (February 1997) 


This Opinion Paper was developed by the Privatization Task Force of the Koch Crime Institute and contains recommendations for prison privatization in Kansas.

***The Kansas Juvenile Justice System:
Opinions of Kansas' Citizens*** (May 1996) 


The overall goal of this research publication is to measure the opinions and attitudes of Kansans with respect to juvenile justice issues.

Juvenile Justice Research Project (April 1996) 

This document includes five sections: A History of Kansas' Studies and Statutory Changes Related to Juvenile Offenders; Juvenile Intake and Assessment; The Kansas Juvenile Justice Information System; Juvenile Offender Statutory Review; and Selected Juvenile Offender Programs in Kansas and Other States.

***The Kansas Juvenile Justice System:
Opinions by Survey*** (May 1996) 

Five surveys (addressing judges, magistrates, district and county attorneys, juvenile defense attorneys, and court service officers) address issues concerning the efficiency, appropriateness, and effectiveness of the existing juvenile justice system.

***Kansas Juvenile Justice:
A Statistical Overview 1987-1994*** (April 1996) 

This report describes juvenile crime in Kansas, including state level data, percentage change in juvenile crime, and trends in juvenile arrests reported.

Recommendations on Changes to the Juvenile Justice System in Kansas (November 1995)

Recommendations address intake and assessment, diversion opportunities for less serious offenders, and crowded district court dockets.

Inventory of Formal Programs and Community-Based Services for Adjudicated Juveniles in the State of Kansas (February 1997)

This report provides an assessment of needs for programs and services for juveniles and juvenile offenders in the state of Kansas. The report is organized by the 31 judicial districts and is available in its entirety or by judicial district.

Guide to Community-Based Alternatives for Low-Risk Juvenile Offenders (October 1999)



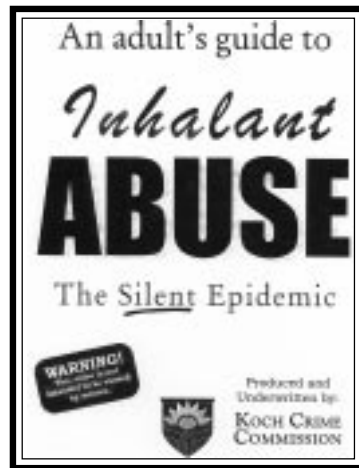
This report was funded by a State Justice Institute grant and developed by an advisory team of judges and community leaders. It is a detailed outline of program descriptions, structure, funding criteria, oversight, evaluation, and much more. Listed below are programs with primary and secondary interventions:

Community Service Juvenile Conference Committee Program	Shoplifting Shoplifter Education Program Alternative Behavioral Choices Program
Control & Monitoring Compliance Monitoring Program	Skill Development Bethesda Day Treatment Center On the Right Track Prgrm for Families
Family Intervention Families in Need of Support (F.I.N.S.) Program Intensive In-Home Family Services Program	Substance Abuse Mercer County Alcohol & Drug Abuse Agency Program Pre-Dispositional Supervision (PDS) Program
Mental Health Bluegrass IMPACT Program	Truancy Truancy Prevention & Diversion Prgrm WESTMARC Truancy Diversion Partnership
Mentoring Governor's One-on-One Volunteer Program	Youth Court Bay County Teen Court Program The Leon County Teen Court Program
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Parenting Classes Parents & Children Together (PACT) Program	
Restitution Healing/Sentencing Circles Program RESCUE Program	



Videos

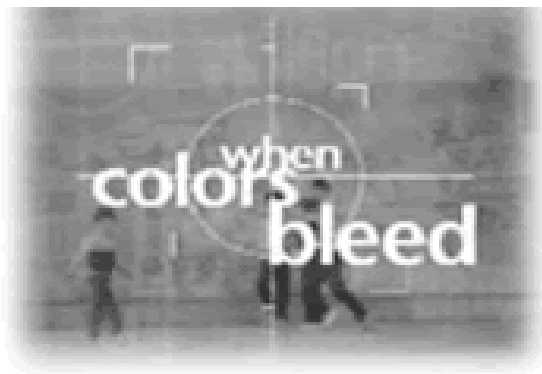
***An Adult's Guide to Inhalant Abuse:
The Silent Epidemic*** (October 1997)



This 22-minute video features Special Agent Shirley Armstead of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration. Armstead reveals the most commonly abused products and demonstrates how they are abused. A 50-page companion guide includes topics such as classes of inhalants, the effects of inhalant abuse, and positive steps to stop inhalant abuse.

When Colors Bleed (December 1998)

This gang information video is available from Enterprise Media. For ordering information, please call (800) 423-6021; write to Enterprise Media, 91 Harvey St., Cambridge, MA 02140; or visit the Internet at www.enterprisemedia.com.



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- Pick the brains of some of the most highly experienced presenters and speakers working with juveniles
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- School Safety Personnel
- Crime Victims/Survivors
- Federal, State, and Local Officials
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