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# PENNSYLVANIA JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM

# OUTCOME MEASURES

Each year, Pennsylvania juvenile probation departments track the outcomes of juvenile offenders whose cases were closed following a period of some form of supervision. Outcomes associated with community protection, accountability, and competency development are tracked to better understand if the Balance and Restorative Justice goals of the Pennsylvania juvenile justice system were met while the youth was actively under supervision.

97%

YOUTH

Assigned **COMMUNITY SERVICE** Fulfilled This Obligation



153,367

Community Service **HOURS COMPLETED**



83%

MODERATE

Risk Youth Have a Lower Risk Score at **JUVENILE CLOSURE**

\$1,111,911

VALUE of Community Service Completed



92%

HIGH/VERY HIGH

Risk Youth Have a Lower Risk Score at **JUVENILE CLOSURE**

6.3 MONTHS



MEDIAN LENGTH of Juvenile Court Supervision

91%

YOUTH

**SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED** Supervision\*



88%

Successfully Completed Supervision With **NO JUDICIAL FINDING OF VIOLATION OF PROBATION**



YOUTH

93%

**EMPLOYED** or Actively Engaged in **EDUCATIONAL/ VOCATIONAL TRAINING**



Note: Data Is Based on 2022 JCJC Outcome Measures Report (N=6,696 Juveniles Closed).

\*Successful Completion of Supervision Is Defined as No New Offense Resulting in a Consent Decree, Adjudication of Delinquency, ARD, Nolo Contendere, or Finding of Guilt in a Criminal Proceeding While Under Supervision.



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