

Program # 25081B - DV Youth Prevention Enhanced

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Priority:	Education	Lead Agency:	County Human
Program Offer Type:	New Program	Program Contact:	Chiquita Rollins
Related Programs:	25082A, 25083A		
Frameworks:	School Aged Policy Framework, Early Childhood Framework		

Executive Summary

Provides services for students to intervene in and prevent domestic or dating violence, including school-based consultation and training for teachers, parents, social workers and students at schools in all 58 SUN school sites. Services will ensure basic needs, support caregivers, and breakdown barriers for 10,000 school-aged youth.

Program Description

Children and youth are at high risk for the negative consequences of dating or domestic violence or witnessing domestic violence in their homes, including developmental delays, academic and social problems, as well as impacts on family stability, such as frequent moves and disruption to schooling. It has been estimated that 15% of children witness domestic violence each year, and that there is violence in 25% of teen dating relationships. These services will be linked to and will follow the model established by the SUN Schools of providing consultation to all regions on specific issues, and addressing the needs of these young people and their families through prevention and intervention. The school consultants will provide training and technical assistance to those working with students, including: school staff, Touchstone program staff, school based health clinics staff, mentors and others. Consultants will assist them in meeting the needs of students and families related to domestic violence and/or dating violence. In addition, they will develop or assist SUN school staff in providing after school activities related to prevention and intervention, and will work with a small number of students and/or their families to provide intervention, jointly with school or county staff.

Program Justification

This offer relates to the following Education priorities: ensuring that basic needs of children and parents are met; supporting caregivers and parents in preparing their children to learn, promoting student retention beyond the fifth grade and bridging the gaps and barriers to help all youth to attend, engage in and succeed in school and to reduce criminal activity at home. It provides staff with the knowledge and tools needed to increase their competency, caring and commitment to their students; and it promotes inter-departmental coordination and collaboration.

Performance Measures

- # of families assisted by school or county staff receiving consultation
- % of children, youth or parents report decrease in violence
- % children/youth/parents report increased school attendance or success

Summary of last year's program results and this year's expected results

New program. Will decrease violence in lives of 50% of children, youth or parents; will increase school attendance and success of 75% children/youth.

Program Mandate: 4 Program and Funding Level Choice

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
	2005	2005	2006	2006
Program Expenses				
Contracts	\$0	\$0	\$146,000	\$0
Subtotal: Direct Exps:	\$0	\$0	\$146,000	\$0
Administration	\$0	\$0	\$1,082	\$0
Program Support	\$0	\$0	\$1,279	\$0
Subtotal: Other Exps:	\$0	\$0	\$2,361	\$0
Total GF/non-GF:	\$0	\$0	\$148,361	\$0
Program Total:	\$0		\$148,361	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Program Revenues				
Program Revenue for Admin	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total Revenue:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes