Two-Year Implementation Timeline

Oct 1, 2016

- Plan for community-based services for children diverted or released from detention (Sec. 5)
- Complete Recidivism study (TYJI)
- Complete Raise the Age study (Harvard)

Jan 1, 2017

- Juvenile Court Authority (Sec. 1)
  - Grounds for detention
  - Detention hearings
- Implement detention risk assessment (Sec. 2)
- Implement policies and procedures for staff release from detention (Sec. 3)
- Add 6 topics to police basic or field training (Sec. 10)
- Plan for community-based diversion system inclusive of mental health (Sec. 18)
- Complete vocational educational/training study (TYJI)

July 1, 2017

- Implement community-based services plan for children diverted or released from detention (Sec. 5)
- Prohibit out of school suspensions in congregate care (Sec. 13)
- Adoption of recidivism reduction framework by DCF & CSSD and private provides (Sec. 15)
- Train congregate care staff in de-escalation techniques & track recidivism (Sec. 16)
- Complete mental health/JJ overlap study (TYJI)
- Implement CJJR Capstone Project
- Complete phase 1 of Diversion study (TYJI)

Aug 15, 2017

- Eliminate truancy & defiance of school rules as FWSN referrals (Sec. 7)
- Report on effective truancy intervention models (Sec. 9)
- Plan for school based diversion for children with MH needs (Sec. 11)
- Amendments to school expulsion statute (Sec. 12)
- Plan to address educational needs of children in the JJ system and reentering the community (Sec. 14)

Aug 15, 2018

- Implement effective truancy intervention models (Sec. 8)
- Complete Diversion study (TYJI)
- Implement plan to address educational needs of children in the JJ system and reentering the community (Sec. 14)
- Implement OJJDP Community Supervision grant

Data Sharing

Upon passage of legislation, establish a JJPOC data workgroup (Sec. 18)

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