

Juvenile Justice Policy and Oversight Committee

December 15th 2016

Legislative Office Building

2pm Room 2D



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Progress Report:

- Workgroup Update
 - Incarceration Workgroup
- Public Safety and Emerging Adults in Connecticut: Providing effective and developmentally appropriate responses for youth under age 21



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Workgroup Update



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Incarceration Workgroup

- A subgroup was established to develop the Detention Risk Screening Instrument:
 - PA 16-147 sec. 4 required Court Support Services Division (CSSD) to develop and implement a detention risk assessment instrument and adopt a release policies and procedures.
 - Criteria under which a child may be place in detention changed from 6 to 3
 - Probable cause child will pose risk to public safety.
 - Need to hold to ensure appearance before court, as demonstrated by previous failure to respond to the court process.
 - Hold for another jurisdiction (Interstate Compact).
 - Effective January 1, 2017



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Public Safety and Emerging Adults in Connecticut: Providing effective and developmentally appropriate responses for youth under age 21

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Next JJPOC meeting January 19th 2017



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