

Florida RED/DMC Action Plan Circuit 6

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*Relative Rate Index (RRI) is the OJJDP-recommended measure of DMC/RED. The RRI, ranging from zero to infinite positive numbers, compares the occurrence rate of minority youth to the occurrence rate of white youth within various points of the juvenile justice continuum of services.

National RRI: 3.0

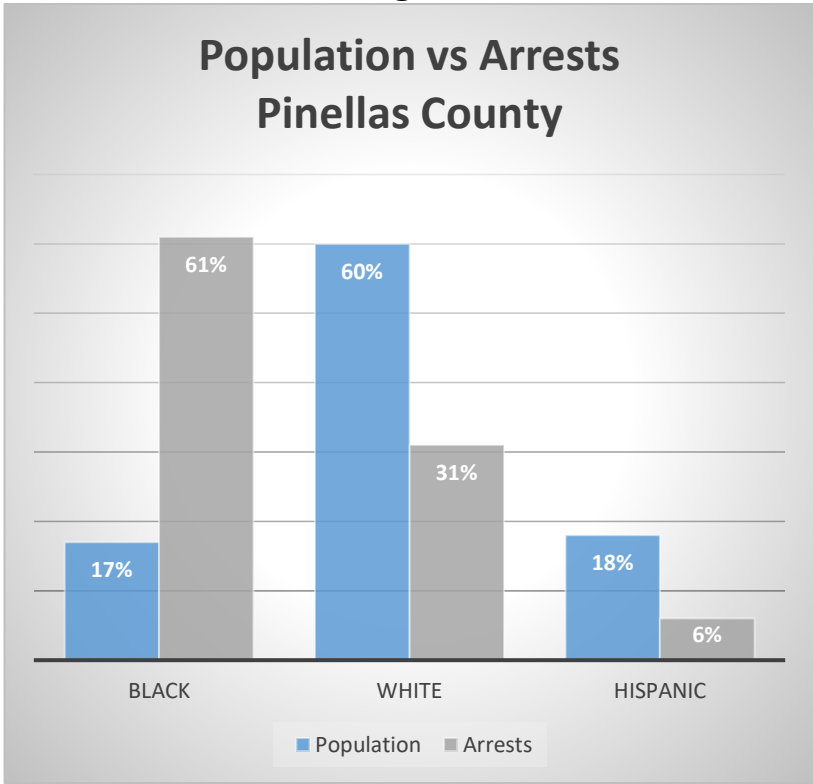
State RRI: 3.1

(Decrease of 0.2 from FY 16-17)

Pinellas County RRI: 6.9

(Decrease of 0.5 from FY 16-17)

Ranked 5th Highest in Florida



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CIRCUIT GOALS

COLLABORATION

| IDENTIFIED ISSUE | GOAL | IMPLEMENTATION PLAN | RESPONSIBLE PARTY | START DATE | STATUS |
|---|---|--|---|--------------|-----------|
| Create a multi-disciplinary collaborative team | Form a RED/DMC Committee in Pinellas County | Establish regular meetings to review data and identify areas of concern with a focus on RED/DMC. | DJJ, State Attorney's Office, Public Defender's Office, St. Petersburg Police Department, Bethel Community Foundation | January 2017 | Completed |
| | | Continue to grow Committee membership to include more juvenile justice and community stakeholders. | | | Ongoing |

EDUCATION & TRAINING

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| Educate the community and stakeholders about RED/DMC | Support and attend existing community events, groups, and organizations that are actively working to reduce RED/DMC | Hold Juvenile Justice Citizens Academy (JJCA) to inform and engage community members and stakeholders in the Juvenile Justice System | DJJ, Pinellas County Justice Coordination | Ongoing | Ongoing *Five classes graduated to date (76 graduates) |
| | | Work with the Homeless Leadership Alliance through the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee | DJJ Homeless Leadership Alliance | July 2019 | Ongoing |

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DATA DRIVEN INITIATIVES

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| <p>More black youth are detained for Failure to Appear than white youth</p> <p>Failure to appear rates CY 2019</p> <table border="1"> <caption>Failure to appear rates CY 2019</caption> <thead> <tr> <th>Race</th> <th>Rate</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Black</td> <td>66</td> </tr> <tr> <td>White</td> <td>27</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hispanic</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Race | Rate | Black | 66 | White | 27 | Hispanic | 1 | <p>Reduce rates of black youth detained for failure to appear</p> | <p>Implement court reminder phone calls for all youth to ensure youth and families are aware of their scheduled court hearing and address any barriers that may exist.</p> | DJJ | May 2017 | Ongoing |
| Race | Rate | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black | 66 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| White | 27 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hispanic | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>More black youth detained for Violations of Probation than white youth</p> <p>Admissions for Technical Violations CY 2019</p> <table border="1"> <caption>Admissions for Technical Violations CY 2019</caption> <thead> <tr> <th>Race</th> <th>Admissions</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Black</td> <td>224</td> </tr> <tr> <td>White</td> <td>61</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hispanic</td> <td>10</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Race | Admissions | Black | 224 | White | 61 | Hispanic | 10 | <p>Reduce the number of black youths placed in secure detention for Law Enforcement Violations of Probation</p> | <p>Break down Law Enforcement Violation data to determine the types of Violations youth are being arrested for.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Curfew Violations= 53 School rule Violations=21 Unexcused absence: 13 School discipline: 8 New charge =11</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px; background-color: #e0e0e0;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Quarter 1 2018</p> <p style="text-align: center;">black youth (67%) white youth (30%) Hispanic youth (3%)</p> </div> | DJJ | August 2018 | Completed |
| Race | Admissions | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black | 224 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| White | 61 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hispanic | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| | | Provide data to JDAI Executive Committee and RED/DMC committee to discuss types of Violations youth are being arrested on and potential alternatives to arrest. | DJJ JDAI Executive Committee RED/DMC Committee | August 2018 | Completed |
| | | Review RADAR list and criteria. Meet with Sheriff to discuss restricting criteria | DJJ Pinellas County Sheriff's Office | September 2019 | In Progress |

LAW ENFORCEMENT AND YOUTH RELATIONS

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| Lack of positive relationships between youth and Law Enforcement | Improved relationships between law enforcement and community through conversations and understanding perspectives | Complete G.A.A.P (Gaining Appreciation by Adjusting Perspectives) discussions throughout the Circuit between youth and local law enforcement agencies | DJJ, various law enforcement agencies | Ongoing | In Progress *Pinellas has had 14 G.A.A.P. discussions to date *Pasco has had 7 G.A.A.P discussions to date |

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| Collaborative Team needed to work with RADAR/PJO youth who reside in 33755 and 33756 zip codes | Provide tailored support to youth at-risk for further system involvement, and their families, by community providers that are focused, with a mission to help the teens reach their full potential | Identify a collaborative name | Clearwater Police, DJJ, United Way, Upper Pinellas County Ministerial Alliance | January 2018 | Complete Refuse to Lose |
| | | Train stakeholders on Self Sufficiency Matrix-a tool to be used to determine needs and possible risk factors that may lead to internal and external family issues | | February 2018 | Complete *Eleven (11) trained |
| | | Meet monthly to review the needs of the families | | April 2018 | In Progress |

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