WE BELIEVE

we provide youth affected by trauma and abuse in the juvenile justice system with therapy, medical treatment and evidence-based services in a residential setting

THEN

they will experience improved school attendance, an increase in family engagement, and an increase in pro-social behaviors.

OUTPUTS

56 Youth Served

98 Average Length of Stay (Days)

OUTCOMES

88%

85%

91%

of parents maintained or increased contact with their child

of youth abstained from gang/turf behavior as a result of the program

of youth maintained or improved school engagement as a result of the program

These results are based on positive monthly outcomes measurement summary sheet.

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ABOUT
Catholic Charities Boys’ & Girls’ Homes provide residential treatment, mental health, and community and school-based services to adjudicated youth ages 12-18, most of whom are transitioning from a juvenile hall setting or an out-of-state placement. A combination of therapeutic, educational, rehabilitation, and recreational programs address the multiple and diverse needs of each child. The youth live in two San Francisco residences, which are staffed 24 hours a day.

The Boys’ & Girls’ Homes serve as a diversion program for at-risk and in-risk youth of San Francisco that encourages healthy habits and relationships and productive re-entry into society. This program is dedicated to focusing on achieving personal stability for each client and working on restoring a healthy and successful relationship between the client, their family, and the community.

SERVICES
- Short-term, community-based program offering a home-living environment
- Activities geared toward increasing self-sufficiency and self-esteem
- Counseling and mentorship programs
- Work/study tutorials and vocational activities
- Family and individual therapy
- Individualized case management

Client Outcomes
- Increase school attendance
- Increase in pro-social behaviors
- Increase in family engagement

Community Impact
- Healthier communities
- Stronger families
- Strengthened educational systems
- Reduction in use of expensive community services

CHANGE MODEL
The Need
Youth in the San Francisco juvenile justice system are experiencing:
- Behavioral challenges
- Difficulties in school
- Disrupted family relationships

Our Response
- Stable living environment
- Evaluation and assessment
- Treatment plan with individualized goals
- Individual and family therapy
- Educational support
- Medical and dental support

Client Outcomes
- Increase school attendance
- Increase in pro-social behaviors
- Increase in family engagement

COMMUNITY IMPACT
- Healthier communities
- Stronger families
- Strengthened educational systems
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