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DPBHS Behavioral Health System in the DYRS Facilities

Staffing

Ferris School for Boys

2 psychologists

Contracted psychiatrist

Contracted part-time therapist

New Castle Co. Detent. Center

2 psychologists

1 substance use specialist

Contracted psychiatrist

Residential Cottages

1 psychologist

1 masters level clinician

Contracted psychiatrist

Stevenson House Detent. Center

1 psychologist

1 substance use specialist

Contracted telepsychiatrist

2015 Data

- ▶ For admissions to Ferris during the 2015 calendar year:
 - 90% of youth had a mental health diagnosis
 - 96% of youth had a substance use diagnosis
 - 86% of youth had both a mental health and a substance use diagnosis

Services Provided Across the Facilities

► Detention:

- Review of behavioral health screenings for all youth
- Ongoing, supportive counseling
- Recommendations for treatment in the community
- Collaborate to meet requirements for accreditation (ACA, PbS)
- Suicide risk assessments
- Psychiatry/medication management
- Assessment for substance use issues

► Residential (Cottages and Ferris):

- Assessment for behavioral health issues
- Trauma-focused treatment
- Individual, family, and group therapy
- Participate in treatment and discharge planning

Gaps

- ▶ How do we ensure youth get the services we recommend when they return to the community?
- ▶ Getting time to conduct treatment
- ▶ Recruiting/retention