

RANDOLPH COUNTY CHILDREN'S POLICY COUNCIL NEEDS ASSESSMENT 2020

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501(c)3 Status	Randolph County
Is this CPC a 501(c)3?	No

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

The sections below relate to the needs of children ages birth to 19 in your community as well as the families of those children. Please find below your identified top needs for your new (2020) assessment and the information about those needs.

Ranking of Needs and Corresponding Data for 2020	
Mental Health Rank: 1	
How many in-patient beds are available for children in your community?	0
How many in-patient beds are available for adults in your community?	0
Which population has the greatest mental health needs in your county?	18 to 54 years old
Substance Abuse Rank: 2	
Number of juvenile arrests for drug and substance abuse violations	7
How many children have been removed from their home due to parent drug use?	13
School Success Rank: 3	
Graduation rate:	90
: Chronic absenteeism:	12
4 th Grade Reading Proficiency:	34
4 th Grade Math Proficiency:	31

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Below, is a list of your CPC's top accomplishments.

Accomplishment	The RightStep Program offers treatment for juveniles at risk. Common areas of need include coping skills related to trauma, education, basic living skills, and positive parenting skills. Family counseling addresses relational issues and provides support to both client and family. In the future, the program would like to offer a weekly parent support group utilizing evidence-based material to strengthen the parents' skills and build more stability in the home.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	At risk juveniles in Randolph County
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	\$100,000
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	DYS Grant
Accomplishment	Roanoke Police Department Explores Program Student in Roanoke City schools gain the opportunity to work with the Roanoke Police Station to build character and learn about the Police Department.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Children in Roanoke City Schools
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	City of Roanoke

Accomplishment	Focus Program Addresses areas of substance abuse including "E-cigs and Vaping", Prescription Drug Misuse", and "Drug Trends" with middle and high school students.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Middle and High Schools in Randolph County
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Department of Public Health, Addiction Prevention Coalition, Alabama Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy, Alabama Department of Education, Council for Leaders in Alabama Schools, BlueCross BlueShield of Alabama, and Alabama National Guard

Accomplishment	Randolph County Early Warning Program The early Warning program focuses on truancy issues within the schools from kindergarten through twelfth grade. The Juvenile Probation Officer intervenes with the families before truancy charges are filed against the child or parents.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	Children and families in Randolph County who attend Randolph County Public Schools and Roanoke City Schools
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Randolph County Schools and Roanoke City Schools
Accomplishment	Juvenile Court Liaison through AltaPointe Mental Health. She is able to identify resources for our youth, inform those working with our juveniles of mental health issues to be aware of, and provide a realistic view of the needs of our children.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	
Accomplishment	2020 Census Community Leaders Forum. Voices and the Randolph County CPC worked together to put on an event to educate our community leaders on the 2020 census and how to get involved locally within our county.
Who benefited from this accomplishment?	
Amount of funds dedicated to this accomplishment?	
Source of funds for this accomplishment?	Voices for Alabama's Children