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Quotes From Previous Training Participants

“As our budgets are reduced, obtaining quality training becomes a much greater and challenging task. We deeply appreciate the opportunity to receive the quality training offered by the Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center.”

Karen Carroll, Training and Personnel Coordinator
Brazoria County Juvenile Probation Department

“I wanted to write a short note to complement you on the recent cultural diversity and ethics training provided to our staff. What started out as a vague concept on my part was transformed into exactly what I wanted the training to be. It was informative, thought provoking and most importantly, it was both well received and internalized by staff.”

Harvey Hetzel, Executive Director
Harris County Juvenile Probation Department

“The Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center of the College of Juvenile Justice & Psychology at Prairie View A&M University has conducted outstanding training programs for our department. Our probation officers and residential personnel consistently give Prairie View A&M presenters excellent evaluation scores.”

Michael Griffiths, Juvenile Services Director
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Mission:
The Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center, mandated by House Bill 1550, is committed to providing continuing education and in-service training on juvenile crime and delinquency prevention for criminal justice and social service professionals throughout Texas.

Training Topics Include:
- Cultural Diversity & Ethics
- Effective Communication
- 2007 Juvenile Law Updates:
  1. TYC Reform
  2. Inter-County Transfers
  3. Sex Offenders & Victims
  4. Education
- Mental Health Concerns
- Suicide Prevention & Intervention
- Training ABC's
- Working with Problematic Clients
- Team Building
- Working with female juvenile offenders

All training programs can be customized to meet the needs of the agency.

Who Should Attend?:
- Criminal Justice Professionals
- Juvenile Justice Professionals
- Social Services Professionals
- Public School Officials

Continuing Education Credits:
- TJPC—Texas Juvenile Probation Commission
- LPC—Licensed Professional Counselor
- LCDC—Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor
- TCLEOSE—Texas Commission for Law Enforcement Officer Standards & Education
- MFC—Marriage & Family Counseling

Training Locations:
- On-site or at any location chosen by the department.
- Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center, Prairie View A&M University, Prairie View, Texas.

Training Cost:
All training costs are negotiable.

Training Methods:
- Classroom instruction (2-6 hour training sessions) including:
  ◇ Educational Materials
  ◇ Pre & Post Testing
  ◇ Overall Evaluation of Training
  ◇ Action Plan
  ◇ Technical Assistance
- Via web Video Streaming and Video Conferencing.

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