



2025 Annual Accountability Report

Department of Juvenile Justice

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AGENCY’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Overview and Updates:

The South Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice (SCDJJ) administers the juvenile justice system at the state and local level and is statutorily mandated to provide rehabilitation and custodial care for youth who are on probation, parole or committed to a secure facility. SCDJJ operates collaboratively with other entities such as law enforcement, solicitors, family court judges, the Juvenile Parole Board, and other child serving agencies.

SCDJJ is much more than just the campus on Broad River Road. Not only does SCDJJ operate 5 secure facilities, the agency also has 10 alternative placements and 43 county offices. SCDJJ’s jurisdiction encompasses the entire juvenile justice system—from prevention and diversion efforts, the court process, sentencing, and reintegration and parole. SCDJJ is responsible for 1,551 acres, 156 buildings, and 1,496 allocated FTEs. The agency received over 13,000 referrals in Fiscal Year 2024-2025 (FY25). At any given time, there can be up to 500 youth in SCDJJ facilities or community placements.

Over the past five years, SCDJJ has undergone significant changes in how the agency serves youth across the state. The implementation of "Raise the Age" legislation and the closure of several local detention centers have led to an increase in youth held in state custody for pretrial detention—and for longer periods of time. In response, SCDJJ has taken important steps to adapt and improve the care and supervision we provide. The Agency developed a Master Physical Plant Plan to address the agency’s immediate infrastructure needs by leveraging available capital funds, incorporating necessary upgrades, and ensuring the continuity of operations over the next 5–7 years. While this plan offers a practical short-term solution, it does not fully resolve deeper operational inefficiencies, staffing challenges, or the implementation of juvenile justice best practices that would support long-term system transformation. Its primary goals are to reduce overcrowding and enhance living conditions at the Juvenile Detention Complex (JDC), upgrade facility infrastructure and safety systems, address long-standing maintenance issues while relocating administrative offices from leased or structurally unsound buildings and sustain agency operations through strategic capital improvements.

The agency’s master plan is divided up into three phases, outlined below:

Phase 1 (FY 2023–2025): Immediate Needs & Compliance

- Renovated dorms and pods at Midlands Evaluation and Detention Center (MEDC), JDC, and Juliet pod.
- Completed security camera installations and sally ports.
- Major safety upgrades (lighting, parking, roofs, sprinklers).

Phase 2 (FY 2024–2026): Transition & Modernization

- Create a detention hub by transitioning MEC/JDC and relocating youth populations.
- Refurbish JDC pods, MEDC housing units, gyms, and administrative space.
- Replace roofs, boilers, HVAC systems, and improve site drainage.

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Phase 3 (FY 2026–2028): Consolidation & Long-Term Sustainability

- Build a new infirmary, remodel school and support services building.
- Implement interior fencing and security upgrades at regional campuses.
- Create centralized storage and warehouse capacity.
- Continue demolishing and replacing outdated buildings and infrastructure.

The agency is currently in the middle of Phase 2. In June 2025, the renovations to MEDC were completed, allowing the agency to dedicate both facilities on Shivers Road to serve youth in detention. This change allowed detained youth access to more space for medical care, education, programming, recreation, and clinical services within secure, upgraded living areas. SCDJJ plans to further enhance security by connecting the Main and Annex buildings to allow for safer movement between buildings.

With the creation of the Juvenile Detention Complex (JDC), evaluation and committed youth are now be housed at SCDJJ's other three secure facilities. As part of broader efforts, SCDJJ updated facility names to reflect their new functions while ensuring compliance with state law:

- The Upstate Evaluation Center is now called the Upstate Evaluation and Development Center (UEDC), serving male youth from the Upstate, Low-County, and Pee-Dee regions for secure evaluations and males with short-term commitments.
- The Coastal Evaluation Center is now the Coastal Evaluation and Development Center (CEDC), continuing to serve female youth statewide for both evaluation and commitment.
- The Broad River Road Complex is now the Midlands Evaluation and Development Center (MEDC), housing male youth with long-term commitments, as well as those undergoing secure evaluations from the Midlands, Low-County, and Pee-Dee regions.

Community Services:

Community Services delivers a broad spectrum of rehabilitative and preventive services designed to support youth and families across South Carolina. At its core, there are 43 county offices that oversee intake, detention, probation, and parole services. Staff from these offices represent the agency in every Family Court Juvenile Justice hearing, offering informed recommendations to guide judicial decisions. The Programming and Accountability area is dedicated to enhancing service for youth and families by conducting audits for each county to ensure policy compliance and ensure standard case management practices statewide.

A critical function of this branch is supporting youth reentry into the community following their release from a secure facility. Dedicated reentry and workforce development teams work collaboratively with youth and families to develop individualized transition plans and connect them with the resources needed for long-term success.

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The agency’s victim services provides direct support to crime victims of SCDJJ offenders. By working closely with all counties in the state, Victim Services strives to meet the needs of crime victims and promote restorative justice initiatives.

Community Services also leads the agency’s intervention and prevention efforts by partnering with 38 Teen After School Centers across the state. These programs offer safe, structured, and engaging environments for youth to build positive relationships and avoid system involvement. In FY25, the Teen After Schools Centers served 5,431 youth. The Prevention and Intervention Team hosts community-based events—such as the annual Jump Shots for Justice Basketball Tournament—that bring together youth, families, and law enforcement in a fun, supportive atmosphere. In 2024, the tournament drew over 500 youth and featured food trucks, local vendors, a STEM fair, free haircuts, and giveaways.

The Community Services branch also plays a vital role in supporting victims of juvenile crime. Staff ensure that victims are properly notified, kept informed of case developments, and have a clear understanding of how the South Carolina juvenile justice system works. In certain cases, the division facilitates restitution by operating the “Earn and Return” program, which allows youth to take responsibility for their actions by earning funds to repay victims. In FY25, 155 youth were referred to the Earn and Return Program, and \$30,048.39 in restitution was paid out to victims of juvenile crime.

Additionally, the branch partners with all 16 Solicitors’ Offices statewide to support and monitor the Youth Arbitration Program, which provides eligible youth with access to diversion opportunities. The Juvenile/Youth Arbitration Program is a fast and effective alternative to formal court proceedings. Through proviso 67.6, SCDJJ provides \$60,000 to each of the 16 Judicial Circuit Solicitor’s offices to fund necessary administration costs and personnel services for the programs. This program is continually successful each year, diverting thousands of first-time, non-violent youth offenders from Family Court. SCDJJ’s continued support of this program is a testament to our commitment to providing effective community-based solutions.

- Number of Juveniles Diverted by Fiscal Year:
 - 2019-2020: 4,804
 - 2020-2021: 3,267
 - 2021-2022: 5,193
 - 2022-2023: 5,551
 - 2023-2024: 5,640
 - 2024-2025: 3,602

Treatment and Support Services:

Community Treatment and Support Services provides comprehensive, community-based clinical and support services to agency-involved youth across South Carolina. This branch plays a vital role in advancing the agency’s rehabilitative mission through a continuum of behavioral health, case management, and placement services. Under this branch is team of licensed clinical social workers who deliver specialized services tailored to the individual needs of youth and families in the community. Additionally, this area includes a team of licensed psychologists and master’s level Mental Health Professionals (MHP-II’s) that serve youth in all counties in SC by conducting

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community evaluations and waiver evaluations. Community psychology staff also complete psychosexual risk assessments, diagnostic assessments, and placement staffing forms. During FY25, the Community Psychologist staff completed 702 court ordered evaluations that include psycho-social analysis and numerous psychological assessments.

In addition to their regular responsibilities, community psychologist staff were ordered to complete 33 waiver evaluations. These evaluations provide the Family Court with information to assist the Court in determining whether a youth should remain within the Family Court system, where they can access rehabilitative services, or be “waived” to General Sessions Court and tried as an adult. The significance of these evaluations extends beyond written reports; psychologists are often required to testify in contested hearings, where they may be subject to cross-examination and direct comparison with expert witnesses retained by defense counsel. This process underscores both the weight of their professional assessments and the high level of expertise and preparation demanded of the agency’s psychological staff.

Treatment and Support Services coordinates the assessment, placement, and oversight of youth in SCDJJ’s 10 residential wilderness camps and contracted private group homes. These placements offer structured, rehabilitative care in less restrictive settings, matched to each youth’s level of need. The branch leads the agency’s efforts to coordinate services for youth involved with multiple state systems, helping to align care plans and improve outcomes through collaborative case management. This includes working closely with several state agencies on behalf of youth who are victims of sex/labor trafficking, seriously mentally ill, have serious intellectual disabilities and youth in the child welfare system.

The Pines Daily Reporting Center is a community-based intervention for youth in Richland and Lexington counties that serves as an alternative to detention, placement or commitment. Youth attend Monday-Friday and receive educational support, daily living skills, experiential learning, complete community service, and receive local transportation. Staff in this branch serve as the agency’s representatives for the Interstate Compact for Juveniles, facilitating cooperation and compliance with other states on matters involving youth movement across jurisdictions.

Treatment and Support services manages a statewide program that provides intensive evidence-based interventions designed to prevent out-of-home placement and reduce secure confinement. Leveraging Effective Alternatives to Placement (LEAP) utilizes nationally recognized evidence-based initiatives including Functional Family Therapy (FFT) therapy, which is a short-term, high quality intervention program that lasts three to five months. It works primarily with 11–18-year-old youth who have been referred for behavioral or emotional problems. Additionally, the program includes Multi System Therapy (MST) that empowers youth (aged 12-17) and their families to function responsibly by addressing the core causes of misconduct. Treatment lasts an average of 120 days, with sessions being held three times per week. During the last year, MST became a Medicaid reimbursable service, and contractors have begun seeking Medicaid reimbursement for these services, allowing SCDJJ to expand services to additional youth and families.

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LEAP SC Program FY25 (7/1/24 - 6/30/25)			
	MST	FFT	Total
# Youth Served by LEAP (MST & FFT) in FY25	233	518	751
<i>Total Administrative Discharges*</i>	22	35	57
<i>Youth Open at end of FY25</i>	39	86	125
Total Non-Administrative Discharges	172	397	569
Total Successful Completions	135	290	425
Successful Completion Rate*	135/172	290/397	425/569
Successful Completion %	78%	73%	75%
<i>*Administrative discharges are due to circumstances unrelated to model guidance (e.g., program termination, client moved from service area, inactive status, etc.).</i> <i>*Successful completion rates are calculated as: successful discharges/total successful + unsuccessful discharges combined.</i>			

Safety and Law Enforcement Services:

Safety and Law Enforcement Services is a fully operational police agency with statewide jurisdiction. This division plays a critical role in ensuring the safety and security of SCDJJ facilities, staff, and youth. It includes certified law enforcement officers, correctional security response officers, and operates a 24/7 telecommunications and dispatch center. The Patrol Section provides visible, campus-style community policing and responds to calls for service, enforces laws, and protects life and property. The Investigations Section includes both a Criminal Investigations Unit—tasked with handling all criminal matters within SCDJJ—and an Internal Integrity Unit that investigates alleged staff misconduct using advanced surveillance and investigative technologies. The Communications Center serves as the agency’s dispatch hub, ensuring timely, accurate support to officers and facility staff. Together, these units uphold SCDJJ’s mission to provide a secure environment that supports youth rehabilitation, while maintaining public safety across South Carolina.

Educational Services:

SCDJJ operates a fully accredited school district for agency-involved youth. The school district is led by a superintendent, four principals, numerous dedicated teachers and program staff. SCDJJ’s school district operates year-round, serving approximately 400 students at any given day at 13 different locations. All schools offer ELA, math, science, and social studies, with curricula for core courses based on the SC Academic Standards for Education. SCDJJ’s educational opportunities are not limited to core classes. The school district also offers Career and Technology Education (CATE) courses like welding and woodworking.

SCDJJ was the first secure juvenile facility in the country to establish a Junior Reserve Officer’s Training Corps (JROTC) program and celebrated its 30-year anniversary in 2024. The district also provides extensive special education services, guidance counselors and offers workforce

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certifications. SCDJJ students are allowed to begin adult education at age 16, providing many students with the opportunity to earn their GED while at a facility or even after they have returned home youth can remain in the SCDJJ school district to complete their GED. The district's Job Readiness Training team supports students across the state in facilities and the community by providing hands-on workforce training, including certifications in forklift operation, flagging, and other job-based skills. Other unique programs and partnerships include Aperion Global Institute and Blaze Fire Games, which provides E-Sport Courses and credentialing requirements to be certified. With this certification, the youth are eligible to pursue a career in the field with a substantial starting salary immediately upon graduation.

Highlights from the 2024-2025 school year include:

- 146 graduates, with 29 high school diplomas and 117 high school equivalency diplomas (GEDs).
- 79 students were enrolled in virtual college courses through the continued post-secondary partnerships with Voorhees University, Allen University and South Carolina State University earning up to 12 credit hours during the school year.
- 29 youth returned to the community and are enrolled in post-secondary programs across the state.
- 922 career assessments during the 2024-25 school year and assisted 47 youth with securing gainful employment.
- 97 youth received a State ID Card or Beginners Permit while under the care of SCDJJ.
- 148 youth were trained and certified to safely operate forklifts.
- 247 youth were trained and certified as flaggers.

Security and Operations:

The Security and Operations Branch plays a critical role in maintaining the daily functions of SCDJJ's secure facilities, with approximately 340 dedicated staff committed to supporting the agency's mission of inspiring change and transforming the lives of youth. This branch includes dietary, laundry, programs and services, and security personnel who ensure facilities operate safely and efficiently.

At the heart of the branch, security staff maintain a safe and structured environment that enables youth to participate in essential services including education, medical and clinical care, recreational and spiritual programming, and vocational training. Security responsibilities include facilitating transportation, supervising movement within facilities, conducting routine checks, maintaining sight and sound supervision, and effectively de-escalating behaviors to support a stable environment.

The agency has partnered with the National Partnership for Juvenile Services (NPJS), to provide technical assistance. Consultants from NPJS are embedded within secure facilities to address critical issues like "back to basics" education and behavior management. These professionals bring expertise and fresh perspectives, enabling tailored, evidence-based interventions. After two years of doing B2B, the agency requested NPJS to redesign the training to focus on bridging the gap between what is learned during training and what officers actually experience.

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The Programs and Services unit within this branch provides rehabilitative opportunities that are structured, engaging, and aligned with each youth's treatment and behavioral goals. This includes the development and implementation of behavior management systems and incentive programs to reinforce accountability and positive choices. Facility recreations and programs ensure youth engage in daily physical activity, supporting physical and emotional well-being while promoting teamwork, discipline, and pro-social behavior. This branch also includes volunteer services and community engagement to manage the recruitment, training, and coordination of volunteers who enhance programming through mentoring, enrichment activities, and community support. Additionally, the agency offers eligible youth the opportunity to develop soft skills, gain real-world job experience, and prepare for future employment or vocational training. Many of the items created through these programs are sold through the agency's Store of Hope.

Facility Rehabilitation and Health Services:

Facility Rehabilitation and Health Services is responsible for providing all clinical and medical services within the agency's secure facilities. The team of nurses, nurse managers, physician assistants, and the medical director conduct health screenings to identify urgent or chronic conditions. The team provides routine medical care like ophthalmology, dentistry, immunizations, and medication management. They also coordinate with outside specialists and respond to sick call requests from youth. The agency's Infirmary, which houses and treats injured or sick youth, also falls under this Facility Rehabilitation and Health Services.

The Willow Lane Infirmary is the central medical facility for physician and nurse practitioner visits, selected specialty visits (such as optometry and physical therapy), and administrative support. The infirmary is licensed by the South Carolina Department of Public Health as an Institutional General Infirmary and is staffed 24 hours a day by at least one registered nurse. Additionally, the agency operates 10 licensed non-dispensing pharmacies located throughout the five SCDJJ secured facilities. They house over-the-counter medications and medical supplies. CorrectRx is utilized for prescription medication and medication management, including monitoring drug interactions.

Health Services provides infectious disease and respiratory virus prevention programs for youth, volunteers and staff, beginning at the point of entry into the agency. Health Services provides education related to communicable diseases and bloodborne pathogen exposure offers and influenza, Hepatitis B and Tdap vaccines. Health Services established a Student Nurse Extern Program designed for student nurses to offer opportunities for the students to engage in hands-on clinical learning in a correctional setting. As of June 30, 2025, 10 students have participated in the program with five graduating and passing their NCLEX on the first try.

This branch is also responsible for compiling records, interviews, and various testing to ensure that statutorily required psychological evaluations are completed timely and provide the court with sufficient information to determine an appropriate sentence. In FY25 the agency completed 393 court ordered residential evaluations. The agency's mental health professionals support the mental, emotional, and behavioral health of youth, which includes individual and group therapy, developing and monitoring individual treatment plans, de-escalation and crisis intervention. The clinical staff also ensures that youth stay connected to their community and their family and support team as part of the rehabilitative process.

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The Chaplaincy team provides youth and staff with emotional, spiritual, and moral support in ways that complement clinical and rehabilitative services. Chaplains offer counseling, crisis intervention, grief support, and opportunities for faith expression while respecting diverse religious and cultural backgrounds. By fostering hope, resilience, and meaning, clinical chaplaincy helps youth navigate trauma, strengthens staff well-being, and contributes to a more holistic approach to rehabilitation and care.

The agency's clinical staff has been fully trained and has begun implementing "Thinking for a Change, 4.0". This program is a therapeutic intervention program designed to help youth change negative or unhelpful thinking, attitudes, and beliefs that play a role in criminality. The program typically spans 30 sessions, each lasting approximately 45 minutes to two hours based upon the setting. They are ideally conducted twice weekly, but the program is adaptable to other schedules. Youth are generally required to complete homework between sessions, or it is carried over into next session to reinforce learning.

Physical Plant Management:

The Physical Plant Management team plays a critical role in maintaining the safety, security, and functionality of over 1500 acres and 150 buildings across the state, with some buildings over a century old. This team is responsible for the upkeep and repair of buildings, grounds, mechanical systems, and infrastructure that support daily facility operations. The team ensures the integrity of fencing, locking systems, HVAC, plumbing, electrical, and life safety systems (such as fire alarms and sprinklers). This group also plays a key role in emergency response readiness—whether preparing for extreme weather, performing preventative maintenance, or responding to urgent repairs. Physical Plant Management has filled 19 vacancies over the last year and currently has only one vacancy. Physical Plant had 3,565 work orders in FY 24-25, with 3,210 completed.

Physical Plant Management leads the agency's efforts with the master plan described in the beginning of this report. The agency currently has 18 capital projects open with five new proposed projects on the October agenda of the Joint Bond Review Committee (JBRC) for consideration. New projects submitted for approval include: Birchwood High School renovations, kitchen and laundry building replacements, and interior fencing at the MEDC. At UEDC, CEDC, and the Juvenile Denter Complex (JDC) new projects include: safety and security upgrades and air handler replacements.

SCDJJ is on schedule to complete and close seven of the open Capital Projects this fiscal year, including JDC fire alarm system replacement, security upgrades in the dorms on the MEDC campus, youth industries fire/safety needs, parking expansion, MEDC roof replacements, security upgrades for buildings at MEDC, and school safety upgrades.

Several of the agency's other capital projects are currently under construction and will continue through the fiscal year. This includes the replacement of outdated HVAC units on four dorms and emergency security renovations that address the living units at JDC. At MEDC, safety and security improvements include remodeling three dorms, recreation areas, four support buildings, three gyms, civil improvements and additional security fencing. Work has started in three dorms, three support buildings, civil improvements and security fencing. The remaining work on the gyms, one support building, and recreation field are expected to begin before the end of 2025.

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SCDJJ has two capital projects that are at the start of the construction process, the CEDC boiler replacement and UEDC boiler replacement. The scope of both projects is to replace heating boilers at two of the agency's secure facilities and both have been bid and awarded. They are expected to be completed during the summer of 2026.

Two of the agency's capital projects are in Phase II engineering process with bidding expected at the beginning of 2026. They include MEDC physical security improvements and an upgrade to the evaluation center gatehouses. MEDC physical security improvements will divide the campus into two sections- a secure side and a support side. The evaluation center gatehouses will be replaced with larger buildings that allow for proper screening of people entering the facilities. The agency plans to build a new consolidated infirmary that also contains dental and medical offices. It is currently in the phase 1 engineering process.

Legal Services:

Legal Services includes the Office of General Counsel (OGC), Office of Classification Services, and Office of Youth Services and Accountability. The OGC assists and advises agency leadership and employees in the handling of agency legal matters and represents SCDJJ in legal proceedings. OGC also oversees the agency's responses to FOIA requests and manages the retention, storage, and release of agency records. The Office of Classification Services coordinates youth housing, placement, movement, and transportation within and outside of SCDJJ facilities.

The Office of Youth Services and Accountability oversees the juvenile behavior reviews, juvenile grievance process and the release of youth indeterminately committed for misdemeanor and status offenses. The Behavior Review process, is shifting toward a restorative approach to address youth misconduct. This change reflects the agency's commitment to rehabilitation over punishment, with responses designed to engage youth meaningfully, build accountability, and redirect negative behaviors. The Behavior Review model emphasizes individualized interventions, guided reflection, and opportunities for youth to take ownership of their actions. By embedding restorative practices into the process, the agency seeks to reduce recidivism, strengthen behavioral outcomes, and create a more supportive, therapeutic environment that promotes lasting growth and positive development.

The Office of Youth Services and Accountability established a Youth Advisory Council at MEDC, composed of 12 youth representatives carefully selected to reflect the diverse voices, backgrounds, and experiences within the facility. The creation of this council is a vital step toward ensuring that youth are not only heard but also actively engaged in the decision-making process. Through this structured platform, youth are given the opportunity to provide feedback, raise concerns, and propose innovative ideas that directly influence the programs, services, and policies shaping their daily lives. By fostering leadership, collaboration, and responsibility, the Youth Advisory Council helps strengthen communication between staff and youth, builds trust, and promotes a culture where young people feel valued as partners in their own growth and rehabilitation. Ultimately, this initiative underscores the agency's commitment to youth empowerment and the belief that meaningful participation can drive positive changes both inside and beyond the facility.

Administrative Services

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Administrative Services is the backbone of SCDJJ’s daily operations, providing critical support that enables every branch of the agency to function efficiently and effectively.

Key responsibilities include overseeing budgeting, purchasing, and financial reporting with a strong emphasis on transparency, accountability, and compliance with state and federal regulations. The branch also manages the agency’s Information Technology infrastructure, ensuring secure, reliable systems that support staff productivity and data integrity. Administrative Services plays a vital role in coordinating major initiatives through project management, helping the agency stay aligned with strategic goals and timelines. The team also oversees essential functions such as vehicle fleets, warehouses, property management, and contracts—keeping operations running smoothly behind the scenes.

Chief of Staff Office

The Chief of Staff provides direct leadership over multiple areas of the agency and ensures all the division’s daily operations are aligned with the agency’s mission, vision and objectives. The Chief of Staff serves as an advisor to the Director while maintaining the responsibility of leading the agency’s efforts in developing and implementing overall strategic plans. The Chief of Staff’s Office is responsible for monitoring and strategically guiding the agency’s daily work activities to ensure directives are accomplished with maximum efficiency and through the most effective use of agency resources. This includes ability to hold Deputy Directors, Associate Deputies and Division Directors accountable for their divisions’ actions or omissions towards the strategic goals of the agency and to ensure the day-to-day functions of the agency are in line with the Agency’s mission, vision and values.

The Office of Human Resources (HR) is a cornerstone of the agency’s success, ensuring that a strong and capable workforce is in place to support the mission of juvenile justice. In addition to recruiting, hiring, and retaining qualified staff, HR provides comprehensive onboarding, manages employee benefits, workers’ compensation, payroll, and leave programs, and safeguards critical personnel records. The office also serves as a resource for staff to help foster a safe, equitable, and supportive work environment. In the past three years, HR has worked to create electronic workflows to process HR actions, complete position descriptions and Employee Performance Management System evaluations. Most recently, HR modernized its operations by replacing a handwritten timekeeping process with a biometric system, greatly improving the agency’s efficiency in executing payroll, reducing errors, and enhancing the ability to analyze staffing patterns and shift coverage. These advancements not only streamline operations but also strengthen accountability, transparency, and the agency’s capacity to support its employees effectively.

The Office of Professional Development ensures all staff receive the knowledge, skills, and ongoing development needed to work safely and effectively with youth, families, and communities. It designs, delivers, and evaluates training programs on security, case management, education, treatment, and leadership to support professional growth and compliance with state and federal standards. The office also promotes a culture of continuous learning by providing career development opportunities that strengthen workforce capacity and improve outcomes for youth.

Every SCDJJ employee is required to complete a minimum of 15 hours of job-related training per calendar year. Specific positions require additional requirements. The Office of Professional

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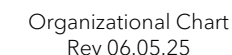
Responsibility is responsible for providing specific basic training requirements for all SCDJJ employees along with specialized training tracks for different areas. This includes Juvenile Correctional Officer Basic Training, in compliance with the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy, for certified class two Juvenile Correctional Officers. “Community Basic” is a 80-hour course required for all new Community Service professionals.

In recent years, the agency has significantly strengthened its training requirements to better prepare staff for the challenges of working with youth. All direct care employees now complete *Shield of Care* for suicide prevention, followed by annual refreshers, and the agency is expanding requirements so that every employee, regardless of role or location, receives Red Cross First Aid, CPR, and Safe Crisis Management de-escalation training. The long-term goal is to ensure all direct care staff in secure facilities become fully certified Juvenile Correctional Officers, in addition to role-specific training—an ambitious but essential step toward creating a safer environment and advancing a holistic approach to rehabilitation and care.

The Public Information Office serves as the central hub for all agency communications, ensuring consistent, accurate, and transparent messaging to both internal and external stakeholders. The office highlights agency initiatives, events, and accomplishments through professional photojournalism, newsletters, and internal communications that keep staff informed and engaged. It manages all media relations, serving as the primary point of contact for press inquiries, crisis communications, and public statements, while also overseeing the agency’s social media presence to promote community engagement and showcase the agency’s work. The office focuses on using photography to capture the dedication of staff and the resilience of youth, reflecting the agency’s mission in a way that builds trust, strengthens public perception, and fosters pride among employees.

The Office of Continuous Quality Improvement ensures that agency policies and practices are consistently followed, identifies gaps and trends, and provides data-driven recommendations for improvement. This office also produces audits and reports that guide resource allocation and inform targeted training initiative. This office leads the agency’s modernization efforts to simplify, consolidate, and integrate workflows, policies, and operations across divisions. This begins with Policy Management conducting an extensive review to streamline existing agency policies to eliminate redundancy and improve compliance with state and federal regulations.

The Office of Strategic Planning and Innovation leads strategic initiatives for SCDJJ, including oversight of the Statistical Group and the Research and Grant Management Office. This division ensures the Department remains focused on achieving its mission through clearly defined three-year goals, evidence-based strategies, and measurable outcomes. Currently, the office is finalizing the agency’s new strategic plan, which will guide operations and priorities across all divisions. In addition, we are advancing innovative projects that enhance our information management systems—critical tools that house all youth-related data—and expanding community-based prevention programs designed to reduce juvenile delinquency and strengthen public safety across South Carolina.



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Reorganization and Compliance

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Agency Mission

Adopted in:

2022

To impact and transform young lives, strengthen families, and support safer communities through targeted prevention and rehabilitation.

Agency Vision

Adopted in:

2022

Youth discover their strengths and abilities and become productive and successful citizens contributing to a safer South Carolina.

Recommendations for reorganization requiring legislative change:

None

Agency intentions for other major reorganization to divisions, departments, or programs to allow the agency to operate more effectively and efficiently in the succeeding fiscal year:

None

Significant events related to the agency that occurred in FY2025

Description of Event	Start	End	Agency Measures Impacted	Other Impacts
No significant events affected performance measures.				

Is the agency in compliance with S.C. Code Ann. § 2-1-220, which requires submission of certain reports to the Legislative Services Agency for publication online and the State Library? (See also S.C. Code Ann. § 60-2-20).

Yes

Reason agency is out of compliance: (if applicable)

Is the agency in compliance with various requirements to transfer its records, including electronic ones, to the Department of Archives and History? See the Public Records Act (S.C. Code Ann. § 30-1-10 through 30-1-180) and the South Carolina Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (S.C. Code Ann. § 26-6-10 through 26-10-210).		Yes
Does the law allow the agency to promulgate regulations?		No
Law number(s) which gives the agency the authority to promulgate regulations:		
Has the agency promulgated any regulations?		No
Is the agency in compliance with S.C. Code Ann. § 1-23-120 (J), which requires an agency to conduct a formal review of its regulations every five years?		No
(End of Reorganization and Compliance Section)		

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Strategic Plan Results

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- Goal 1** Lessen staffing shortages and meaningfully reduce vacancy rates by accelerating recruitment and hiring.
- Goal 2** Accelerate physical plant improvements to enhance safety and to provide additional enrichment opportunities for youth
- Goal 3** Improve utilization and impact of facility and community treatment services.
- Goal 4** Increase access and participation in prevention services
- Goal 5** Improve family engagement and connectivity

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Actual	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
1.1 Expand application tactics, improve the quality of leads to increase conversion rate		State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development												
1.1.1	Reduce our overall funded vacancy count by 15%	378	359	285	Count	Equal to or less than	State Fiscal Year	Total Agency vacancy divided by the total allocated employee count.	HR Tracking data and reports	Contact SCDJJ's Human Resources Director at 803-896-5602.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	0900.000000.000	
1.2 Create and implement efficient and effective hiring processes by simplifying the process and updating forms		State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development												
1.2.1	Decrease our time to fill JCO positions by 5 days (1 week) or greater	61 days	56 days	71.94 days	Count	Equal to or less than	State Fiscal Year	This metric is calculated by NEOGOV	HR Tracking data and reports	Contact SCDJJ's Human Resources Director at 803-896-5602.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	0900.000000.000	In FY 25, the Agency had an average time to fill of 71.94 days. Though the overall time to fill has increased, SCDJJ's vacancy count continues to decrease. The long term goal is to get our time to fill under 30 days. This will take a concentrated effort and as a result, a specialized recruitment team specifically for hiring JCO's was created within Human Resources.
2.1 Assign and begin repairs for all Emergency Work-Orders within one day		State Objective: Maintaining Safety, Integrity and Security												

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2.1.1	Increase the percentage of emergency work-orders that are completed on time.	88%	90%	94%	Percent	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	The number of emergency work orders that are completed on time divided by the total number of emergency work orders	Internal Tracking	Contact SCDJJ's Associate Deputy of Maintenance Services at 803-830-2606	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to improve the conditions of confinement by addressing living conditions to include the repair and upgrade of the facilities for youth in custody and the staff assigned to DJJ facilities.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.150000.000 2501.100000.000 2501.200000.000 2501.400000.000	
2.2 Assign and begin repairs for all High Priority Work-Orders within two days State Objective: Maintaining Safety, Integrity and Security														
2.2.1	Increase the percentage of high priority work-orders that are completed on time.	97%	97%	96%	Percent	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	The number of high priority work orders that are completed on time divided by the total number of high priority work orders	Internal Tracking	Contact SCDJJ's Associate Deputy of Maintenance Services at 803-830-2606	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to improve the conditions of confinement by addressing living conditions to include the repair and upgrade of the facilities for youth in custody and the staff assigned to DJJ facilities.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.150000.000 2501.100000.000 2501.200000.000 2501.400000.000	Although there was a slight decline in the percentage of priority emergency work-orders completed on time in FY 25, the vast majority of these work orders, some 96%, were completed on time.
2.3 Utilize 3rd party maintenance support to ensure preventative maintenance and other critical work orders are addressed. State Objective: Maintaining Safety, Integrity and Security														
2.3.1	Increase the percentage of work orders completed by third party contractors by 30%	138	179	N/A	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	The total number of work orders completed by 3rd party contractors in FY 25 minus the total number of work orders completed by 3rd party contractors in FY 24, divided by the total number of work orders completed by 3rd party contractors in FY 24	Internal Tracking	Contact SCDJJ's Associate Deputy of Maintenance Services at 803-830-2606	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to improve the conditions of confinement by addressing living conditions to include the repair and upgrade of the facilities for youth in custody and the staff assigned to DJJ facilities.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.150000.000 2501.100000.000 2501.200000.000 2501.400000.000	
3.1 Create and utilize customized comprehensive success plans that follow youth throughout the system State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families														

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3.1.1	Create comprehensive tracking system for youth success plans.	0%	100%	N/A	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	The percentage complete is based on the degree to which the youth success plan tracking system is developed and ready for implementation.	To be developed	Contact the SCDJJ's Deputy Director of Programs and Services at (803)896-9489.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that quality clinical services are being provided to youth in custody.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	0900.000000.000 2500.100000.000 2500.050100.000 2501.200000.000	The Agency has chosen not to move forward with this initiative.
3.2 Expand the use of evidence-supported services for agency for youth in custody State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families														
3.2.1	Increase the number of evidenced based modalities used for youth in long-term commitment.	4	6	1	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Total number of evidence-based interventions available for youth in the long-term facilities.	Medicat	Contact the SCDJJ's Deputy Director of Programs and Services at (803)896-9489.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that quality clinical services are being provided to youth in custody. Evidence-based interventions have been associated with decreased recidivism rates.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.100000.000 2501.350000.000	
3.2.2	Increase the number of referrals to MST and FFT by 10%	873	960	887	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Total number of youths referred by DJJ to MST and FFT in the designated fiscal state year.	Evidence-Based Associates	SCDJJ Division of Community Treatment Services	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that quality clinical services are being provided to youth in the community. Evidence-based interventions have been associated with decreased recidivism rates.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.050100.000 2500.250600X000	DJJ is committed to increasing evidenced based interventions. Our goal is to decrease system penetration and recidivism. Although we did not reach the 10 % increase desired, we did see an increase in the number of youths referred to MST and FFT.
3.2.3	Increase the number of youth successfully completing MST or FFT services (LEAP Program Participants) by 10%	264	290	425	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Total number of DJJ involved youths who received MST or FFT in the designated fiscal state year.	Evidence-Based Associates	SCDJJ Division of Community Treatment Services	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that quality clinical services are being provided to youth in the community. Evidence-based interventions have been associated with decreased recidivism rates.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.050100.000 2500.250600X000	
4.1 Expand partnerships with Teen Afterschool Centers State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families														

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4.1.1	Increase the number of youth served by Teen Afterschool Centers by 10%	7,799	8,579	5,431	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Total number of youth served by Teen Afterschool Centers in FY	SCDJJ Division of Community Services	Contact the SCDJJ Division of Community Services at 803-896-5639	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's commitment to reducing juvenile crime and recidivism by partnering with organizations that provide adult supervised, pro-social opportunities for at-risk youth.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.050100.000	DJJ is committed to redirecting youth away from the juvenile justice system. Prevention and intervention services are offered to at risk youth. The agency continues to support Teen Afterschool Centers and will continue to make this option available for youth in the community.
4.2 Expand access to the Choices Program for youth in the community. State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families														
4.2.1	Increase the number of youth successfully completing the Choices Program by 10%	196	216	511	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Total number of youth served by Choices in FY	SCDJJ Division of Community Services	Contact the SCDJJ Division of Community Services at 803-896-5639	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's commitment to reducing juvenile crime and recidivism by partnering with organizations that provide adult supervised, pro-social opportunities for at-risk youth.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.050100.000	
5.1 Expand visitation initiatives at secure facilities State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families														
5.1.1	Implement virtual visitation kiosks at BRRC	0%	100%	N/A	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	The percentage complete is based on the degree to which the kiosks and unit phones are installed and available for use by the youth at BRRC.	SCDJJ Division of Security and Operations	Contact the SCDJJ's Deputy Director of Security and Operations at (803)896-4245.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to increase familial engagement to promote familial participation in the rehabilitation of youth.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.100000.000 0900.000000.000	The Agency has chosen not to move forward with this initiative. Instead, SCDJJ has embarked on the Intergrated Communication Services Project which includes virtual visitation with additional options for Grievance, PREA, and Sick Call options. Additional future options may include canteen, movies, and music.
5.2 Increase family engagement at BRRC State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families														
5.2.1	Host at least 4 family focused events at BRRC	2	4	8	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Number of family focused events held at BRRC in FY 25	Internal Tracking	Contact SCDJJ's Deputy Director of Programs and Services at (803)896-9489.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to increase familial engagement to promote familial participation in the rehabilitation of youth.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina and other parties that are invested in the wellbeing of justice involved youth and increasing long-term positive outcomes for all youth.	2500.100000.000 2501.400000.000	

FY2026

Strategic Plan Development

as submitted for the Accountability Report by:

N120 - DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

- Goal 1** Enhance conditions of confinement and improve facility infrastructure.
- Goal 2** Enhance prevention, intervention, diversion and alternatives to detention.
- Goal 3** Enhance agency applications and systems to more efficiently utilize juvenile information, monitor key performance measures, enhance informed internal decision making, and provide information to stakeholders and the public.
- Goal 4** Promote strategized Recruitment, Retention, and Succession Planning to hire and retain qualified staff.

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Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
1.1 Update and modernize facilities to support better operations and ensure a safe and secure environment for youth and staff.													
1.1.1	Complete renovations and security upgrades at all secure facilities to include recreational space, per project plan dates.	27%	100%	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency.	Internal Records	Contact SCDJJ's Associate Deputy of Physical Plant & Maintenance Services at 803-830-2606	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to improve the conditions of confinement by addressing living conditions to include the repair and upgrade of the facilities for youth in custody and the staff assigned to DJJ facilities.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	9814.320000X000 , 9905.962100.000, 0900.050000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
1.1.2	Establish a multifaceted training complex on the MEDC Campus.	0%	100%	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency.	Internal Records	Contact SCDJJ's Associate Deputy of Physical Plant & Maintenance Services at 803-830-2606	Informs the Legislature, public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to improve the conditions of confinement by addressing living conditions to include the repair and upgrade of the facilities for youth in custody and the staff assigned to DJJ facilities.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	9814.320000X000 , 9905.962100.000, 0900.050000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
1.2 Monitor compliance with security procedures to ensure safety and security for staff and youth.													
State Objective: Maintaining Safety, Integrity and Security													

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1.2.1	Decrease by 20%, the number of Security and Operations policies that are out of date by June 30, 2026.	31	25	Percent complete	Equal to or less than	State Fiscal Year	The number of security policies x 20% , subtracted by the number of security policies.	Internal Records	Contact the DJJ Office of Continuous Quality Improvement.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's focus process improvement, increased efficiencies and elevation of services and standards. All effort is predicated on the Agency's commitment to improving outcomes for youth, families and the citizens of SC.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2500.100000.000, 2500.150000.000 , 2501.100000.000, 2501.200000.000, 2501.400000.000, 0900.150000.000, 2500.180100.000, 2501.500000.000	
1.2.2	Increase the percentage of DOJ measures rated substantial compliance by June 30, 2026.	52%	70%	Percent	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Calculation method is determined by the Department of Justice.	Department of Justice Monitoring Report	Contact the SCDJJ Director of Settlement Compliance	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's focus process improvement, increased efficiencies and elevation of services and standards. All effort is predicated on the Agency's commitment to improving outcomes for youth, families and the citizens of SC.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2500.100000.000, 2500.150000.000 , 2501.100000.000, 2501.200000.000, 2501.400000.000, 0900.150000.000, 2500.180100.000, 2501.500000.000	
2.1 Maximize use of detention alternatives to decrease admissions for low-risk offenders. State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families													
2.1.1	Increase the number of youths admitted to STAP or other alternative options in lieu of detention by June 30, 2026.	225	250	Count		State Fiscal Year	Total number of youth served in STAP Beds in FY.	Internal Records	Contact the SCDJJ Division of Treatment & Support Services at 803-896-5639	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that youth are treated in the least restrictive environment appropriate to their level of risk and needs.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2500.050100.000, 2500.051000X000 , 2500.250000.000, 2500.250600X000, 9500.050000.000	
2.1.2	Sustain maximum utilization of slots at the Pines Day Reporting Center.	ADP of 10	ADP of 10	Ratio	Maintain range	State Fiscal Year	Average Daily Population(ADP) of youth served by Pines in FY	Internal Records	Contact the SCDJJ Division of Treatment & Support Services at 803-896-5639	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that youth are treated in the least restrictive environment appropriate to their level of risk and needs.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2500.050100.000, 2500.051000X000 , 2500.250000.000, 2500.250600X000, 9500.050000.000	
2.2 Maximize use of community-based prevention and intervention services to avert deep-end system penetration. State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families													

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2.2.1	Increase treatment options and the percentage of youth successfully completing MST and FST by June 30, 2026.	75%	80%	Percent	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Multiply baseline by 1.05.	Evidence-Based Associates	Contact the SCDJJ Division of Treatment & Support Services at 803-896-5639	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that quality clinical services are being provided to youth in the community. Evidence-based interventions have been associated with decreased recidivism rates.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2500.050100.000, 2500.051000X000 , 2500.250000.000, 2500.250600X000, 9500.050000.000	
2.2.2	Increase the number of youths successfully completing prevention and intervention programs by June 30, 2026.	511	562	Percent	0	State Fiscal Year	Total number of youth served by Choices in FY	SCDJJ Division of Community Services	Contact the SCDJJ Division of Community Services at 803-896-5639	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's effort to ensure that quality clinical services are being provided to youth in the community. Evidence-based interventions have been associated with decreased recidivism rates.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2500.050100.000, 2500.051000X000 , 2500.250000.000, 2500.250600X000, 9500.050000.000	
3.1 Improve the quality and utilization of data and management reports to drive data informed decisions.										State Objective: Maintaining Safety, Integrity and Security			
3.1.1	Develop an operations plan to assess the functionality of the Agency's information management system Juvenile Justice Management System (JJMS) by June 30, 2026.	0%	100%	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency	SCDJJ Division of Administrative Services.	Contact SCDJJ Office of Procurement and Support Services.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's focus process improvement, increased efficiencies and elevation of services and standards. All effort is predicated on the Agency's commitment to improving outcomes for youth, families and the citizens of SC.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
3.1.2	Select and identify an electronic medical record system to better meet the evolving needs of the Agency by June 30, 2026.	0%	100%	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency	SCDJJ Office of Health Services .	Contact SCDJJ Office of Procurement and Support Services.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's focus process improvement, increased efficiencies and elevation of services and standards. All effort is predicated on the Agency's commitment to improving outcomes for youth, families and the citizens of SC.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
3.2 Deploy Data-Informed Decision-Making Agencywide.										State Objective: Maintaining Safety, Integrity and Security			

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3.2.1	Overhaul or replace JJMS to integrate all information into one information management system by June 30, 2026. (Electronic Health Record excluded.)	0%	25%	Percent complete	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency	Internal Records		Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's focus process improvement, increased efficiencies and elevation of services and standards. All effort is predicated on the Agency's commitment to improving outcomes for youth, families and the citizens of SC.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
3.2.2	Identify and operationalize the tracking of Key Performance Indicators by June 30, 2026.	0%	75%	Percent complete	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency	Internal Records	Contact the DJJ Office of Continuous Quality Improvement.	Informs the Legislature, the public and other interested parties of DJJ's focus process improvement, increased efficiencies and elevation of services and standards. All effort is predicated on the Agency's commitment to improving outcomes for youth, families and the citizens of SC.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
4.1 Enhance recruitment efforts to fill critical needs positions. State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development													
4.1.1	Identify and implement sustainable tracking metrics to validate recruitment efforts by June 30, 2026.	N/A	N/A			State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency	Internal Records	Contact the DJJ Office of Human Resources.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
4.1.2	Implement an internship program to attract future employees by June 30, 2026.	25%	100%	Percent complete	Complete	State Fiscal Year	Percent complete as determined by the Agency	Internal Records	Contact the DJJ Office of Human Resources.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	

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4.1.3	Decrease the vacancy rate for essential employees by 10% by June 30, 2026	18%	19.80%	Percent	Equal to or less than	State Fiscal Year	Multiply 1.10 by the baseline of 18%	Internal Records	Contact the DJJ Office of Human Resources.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
4.2 Enhance the professional development for all staff. State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development													
4.2.1	Increase by 10%, the number of employees attending supervisory and leadership training by December 31, 2026.	TBD	75%	0	0	Calendar Year	Multiply baseline by 1.10.	SCDJJ Office of Staff Development & Training		Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
4.2.2	100% of active juvenile correctional officers will meet certification requirements.	92%	100%	Percent	0	Calendar Year		SCDJJ Office of Staff Development & Training	Contact the DJJ Office of Staff Development & Training.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	0900.000000.000, 2501.350000.000 , 9500.050000.000	
4.2.3	Increase by 10%, the number of employees meeting the mandatory annual minimum 15hr training requirement by December 31, 2026.	814	895	Count	Equal to or greater than	Calendar Year		SCDJJ Office of Staff Development & Training	Contact the DJJ Office of Staff Development & Training.	Informs the public and other interested parties of DJJ's proactive effort to fill critical need positions and other staff vacancies.	DJJ defines stakeholders as the citizens of South Carolina, including the Legislators and other parties, that are invested in the transformation and rehabilitation of troubled youth, the strengthening of families and the building of safer communities.	2501.350000.000, 0900.050000.000, 9500.050000.000	

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Budget Data

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State Funded Program No.	State Funded Program Title	Description of State Funded Program	(Actual) General	(Actual) Other	(Actual) Federal	(Actual) Total	(Projected) General	(Projected) Other	(Projected) Federal	(Projected) Total
0401.000000.000	Parole Division	Not Applicable	\$ 476,861.42	-	-	\$ 476,861.42	\$ 497,249.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 497,249.00
0900.000000.000	Administration Division	Leadership and direction for the agency and major support functions	-	-	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
2500.050100.000	Community Services	Intake processing and supervision of committed juvenile offenders	\$ 16,504,032.86	\$ 1,693,186.12	-	\$ 18,197,218.98	\$ 19,154,081.00	\$ 1,772,000.00	\$ 54,000.00	\$ 20,980,081.00
2500.050400X000	Community Advocacy Program		\$ 350,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 350,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 350,000.00
2500.050500X000	Sex Offender Monitoring		\$ 8,830.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,830.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 25,000.00
2500.100000.000	Longterm Facilities					-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-
2500.150000.000	Reception & Evaluation Center	Assessment of juveniles				-	\$ -			-
2500.250000.000	Residential Operations	Residential care				-				-
2500.250600X000	Targeted Case Management					-				-
2500.300100.000	Juvenile Health & Safety	Healthcare for committed juveniles and other in residential operations				-				-
2501.100000.000	Longterm Facilities	Treatment and supervision of committed juvenile offenders				-				-
2501.200000.000	County Services Detention Center	Pretrial detention for juvenile offenders				-				-
2501.350000.000	Prog Analysis/Staff Dev & Quality	Program review and staff development				-				-
2501.400000.000	Education	School programs for committed juveniles and others in residential programs	\$ 743,282.21	\$ 3,696,521.95	\$ 2,161,650.22	\$ 6,601,454.38	\$ 714,684.00	\$ 4,833,250.00	\$ 2,580,000.00	\$ 8,127,934.00
9500.050000.000	State Employer Contributions		\$ 33,972,075.93	\$ 3,687,514.72	\$ 924,608.07	\$ 38,584,198.72	\$ 36,347,818.00	\$ 3,175,218.00	\$ 444,390.00	\$ 39,967,426.00

State Funded Program No.	State Funded Program Title	Description of State Funded Program	(Actual) General	(Actual) Other	(Actual) Federal	(Actual) Total	(Projected) General	(Projected) Other	(Projected) Federal	(Projected) Total
9812.330000X000	Payment Of Comp Time		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-				-
9812.340000X000	Payment Of Overtime		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-				-
9814.320000X000	Electrical Grid Conversion		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-				-
9817.310000X000	Child Advocacy Centers		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-				-
0900.050000.000	Support Services		\$ 17,418,853.34	\$ 477,852.00	\$ 68,332.75	\$ 17,965,038.09	\$ 27,574,426.00	\$ 365,000.00	\$ 340,000.00	\$ 28,279,426.00
0900.100000.000	Information Technology		\$ 3,844,808.42	-	-	\$ 3,844,808.42	\$ 4,077,853.00	-	-	\$ 4,077,853.00
0900.150000.000	Facilities Management		\$ 17,292,903.67	-	-	\$ 17,292,903.67	\$ 6,501,081.00	-	-	\$ 6,501,081.00
2500.120100.000	Programs and Services		\$ 15,032,907.96	\$ 3,054,029.61	\$ 2,765.08	\$ 18,089,702.65	\$ 13,904,782.00	\$ 3,595,000.00	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 17,505,282.00
2500.180100.000	Community Treatment Services		\$ 30,294,115.29	-	-	\$ 30,294,115.29	\$ 31,225,262.00	-	-	\$ 31,225,262.00
2500.450000.000	Investigative Services		\$ 5,326,932.53	-	-	\$ 5,326,932.53	\$ 4,657,400.00	-	-	\$ 4,657,400.00
2501.500000.000	Security and Operations		\$ 23,258,224.87	\$ 3,933,912.65	\$ 2,359,449.18	\$ 29,551,586.70	\$ 25,000,116.00		\$ 1,230,000.00	\$ 26,230,116.00
2500.051000X000	Targeted Case Management		\$ 1,700,000.00			\$ 1,700,000.00	\$ 1,700,000.00			\$ 1,700,000.00
9905.962100.000	N120 HVAC R22 Replacement		\$ -		\$ 175,000.00	\$ 175,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

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Legal Data

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N120 - DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
16-3-1545	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ's role in providing services to crime victims.	Requires a service		No Change
20 USC § 1232 (9) 34 CFR § 99.1 et. seq.	Federal	Statute	Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act (FERPA). A Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. The law applies to all schools that receive funds under an applicable program of the US Department of Education. FERPA also gives parents certain rights with respect to their children's education records. These rights transfer to the student when he or she reach the age of 18 or attends a school beyond the high school level.	Requires a service		No Change
20 USC § 1440 et. seq. 34 CFR § 300.1 et. seq.	Federal	Statute	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). The Individuals with IDEA ensures that all children with disabilities are entitled to a free appropriate education to meet their unique needs and prepare them for further education, employment, and independent living. Deals with concepts such as FAPE (Free and Appropriate Education), IEP's (Individualized Education Plans), education for children with disabilities must occur in the least restrictive environment, etc.	Requires a service		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
20 USC § 1701-1721	Federal	Statute	Equal Education Opportunity Act (EEOA). The EEOA provides that no state shall deny educational opportunity based on race, color sex, or national origin by engaging in deliberate segregation by an educational agency; failing to remedy deliberate segregation; assigning a student, other than to a school closest to his or her residence, that results in a greater degree of segregation of students on the basis of race, color, sex, or national origin; discriminating by an educational agency on the basis of race, color, or national origin in employment of faculty staff; transferring students from one school to another, voluntarily or otherwise, if the purpose and effect of doing so would have increased segregation on the basis of race, color, or national origin; or failing to take appropriate action or overcome language barriers that impeded equal participation by its students in its instructional programs.	Requires a service		No Change
23-3-440	State	Statute	Establishes South Carolina's sex offender registry and DJJ's multiple roles in providing juvenile offenders with notice of, and registry information to, the registry.	Requires a service		No Change
23-3-540(Q)	State	Statute	Establishes South Carolina's electronic monitoring of sex offenders and DJJ's role and responsibilities in this process.	Requires a service		No Change
23-3-620	State	Statute	Establishes South Carolina's DNA database and DJJ's role in overseeing the process by which juvenile offenders who are required by law to provide DNA samples for testing and inclusion in this database do so.	Requires a service		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
44-48-40	State	Statute	Qualifies certain sex offenders as Sexually Violent Predators, and establishes a record and testing intensive process, in which DJJ staff are extensively involved whenever juvenile sex offenders are considered for inclusion and, if so, continued confinement, as a sexually violent predator.	Requires a service		No Change
63-1-20	State	Statute	Sets forth South Carolina's policy on how all state agencies (including DJJ), local governmental entities and public and private organizations shall serve the children of our state. The services the state shall provide for delinquent and at risk youth include prevention, early intervention, rehabilitation and supervision of juveniles on probation or parole, evaluation services for juvenile's temporarily committed by the family court and treatment, custodial and rehabilitative services to juvenile's committed by the Family Court to the custody of DJJ. It is further our state's policy to provide these services in a coordinated and cooperative fashion and to do so holistically and in the least restrictive environment possible consistent with public safety.	Requires a service		No Change
63-1-50	State	Statute	Establishes the Joint Citizens and Legislative Committee on Children, the Director of DJJ as a member of this committee and the role and responsibilities for this committee.	Board, commission, or committee on which someone from our agency must/may serve		No Change
63-19-1010	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ's authority to provide intake services to and for the family court, and probation supervision of juveniles placed on probation by the family court.	Requires a service		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
63-19-1030	State	Statute	Requires DJJ to conduct psychological and social evaluations, including pre-adjudicatory evaluations, of a child as ordered by the Family Court.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-1210	State	Statute	Gives DJJ the authority to conduct, waiver\transfer evaluations of juveniles being considered for waiver\transfer to adult court, to stand trial as adults, and to make certain findings\recommendations to the court as part of the waiver\transfer hearing process.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-1410	State	Statute	Requires DJJ to supervise and provide services to juveniles placed on probation as ordered by the Family Court.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-1440	State	Statute	Requires DJJ to provide secure and non-secure commitment facilities which allows for the residential confinement of a juvenile.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-1450	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ's authority to transfer seriously mentally ill and/or seriously mentally retarded juveniles to another state agency(generally DMH/DDSN) best qualified to care for and provide necessary treatment services to seriously mentally ill or retarded juveniles.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-1610	State	Statute	Mandates that DJJ be responsible for all costs associated with the care, custody, treatment and control of juveniles committed to its custody by the Family Court.	Requires a service		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
63-19-1810	State	Statute	Grants to DJJ the authority to release, and to revoke a release when appropriate, juveniles from secure confinement for status offense and for most misdemeanor offenses.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-1840	State	Statute	Requires DJJ to provide "budgetary, fiscal, personnel and training.... and other support considered necessary" to the Board of Juvenile Parole, the releasing authority for most indeterminately sentenced juvenile offenders, and to supervise and provide parole supervision services to juveniles, subsequent to their release, for whatever period of time ordered.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-2050	State	Statute	Requires DJJ to participate in and comply with any order issued by the Family Court for the destruction\expungement of a juvenile's criminal record.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-2220	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ as the agency in the State of South Carolina responsible for overseeing and coordinating the juvenile requisition process (similar to the adult extradition process) for the return to our state, or the return by our state, of juveniles who have run away or otherwise absconded/escape from another state, and to supervise on probation or parole juveniles who have moved here, with their families, from other states.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-310	State	Statute	Creates the South Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
63-19-320	State	Statute	Establishes SCDJJ as a member of the Governor's Cabinet - Director appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate and serves at the will and pleasure of the Governor.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
63-19-330	State	Statute	Establishes authority of the Director to set policy and empowers the Director to employ persons necessary to perform all responsibilities of the department.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-350	State	Statute	Establishes the Community Services DJJ is to provide	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-360	State	Statute	Establishes the institutional services to be provided by DJJ, to include detention services for the benefit of local governmental entities.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-380	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ as a school district subject to the same rules, standards and requirements as any other South Carolina school district and mandates that DJJ's school district "shall operate a continuous progress education program on a twelve-month basis".	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-450	State	Statute	Authorizes DJJ to establish Youth Industries programs to engage youth in meaningful employment and which teach youth employability skills.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-810	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ's responsibility to provide detention screenings for juveniles taken into custody by law enforcement and to provide law enforcement with a recommendation as to whether there is a need for detention of the child.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-820	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ's responsibility to provide law enforcement, when law enforcement has decided to not return a child who they have taken into custody to the child's parent/guardian, with alternatives to place a child in a location other than a secure juvenile detention facility when these alternatives are appropriate and available.	Requires a service		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
63-19-830	State	Statute	Establishes DJJ's responsibility to provide detention recommendations to the Court.	Requires a service		No Change
63-19-840	State	Statute	Requires that public agencies, including DJJ, provide or procure residential placements in lieu of secure detention for juveniles accused with committing criminal acts.	Requires a service		No Change
Proviso 1.3	State	FY22-23 Proviso	State Aid to Classrooms Proviso	Funding agency deliverables(s)		Amended
Proviso 1.4	State	FY22-23 Proviso	State Aid to Classrooms Employer Contributions/Allocations	Funding agency deliverables(s)	This proviso was number 1.5 in the 2022-2023 budget. It was 1.4 in the 2023-2024 budget.	Amended Proviso Number Only
Proviso 1.5	State	Proviso	Requires that DJJ receive from the state, for students within their school district, the same state funding as is provided to all other local school districts to help offset the cost of providing individual educational services to students within their school district.	Not related to agency deliverable.	Based on the descriptions, this entry appears to be duplicative of the one above it.	Amended Proviso Number Only
Proviso 1.7	State	Proviso	Specifies the school district (home school district) that is educationally responsible for providing and paying for the educational services provided to children residing in foster care/alternative community based programs.	Not related to agency deliverable	Was 1.9 in 2022-2023, then 1.7 in 2023-2024	Amended Proviso Number Only
Proviso 1a.3	State	Proviso	The Department of Education is directed to oversee the evaluation of teachers at the School for the Deaf and the Blind and the Department of Juvenile Justice under the ADEPT model.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
Proviso 1a.9	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Teacher will receive \$350 in teacher supply checks for this school year.	Funding agency deliverable(s)	Upped to \$350 in the 2023-2024 budget (from \$300 in the 2022-2023 budget)	Amended
Proviso 1a.33	State	FY22-23 Proviso	The Department of Education, school districts, the Department of Juvenile Justice and special schools of the state may continue implementation of the ADEPT program. Governing boards of public institutions of higher education may provide by policy or regulation for a tuition waiver for the tuition for one three-hour course at that institution for those public school teachers who serve as supervisors for full-time students completing education degree requirements. Unexpended funds appropriated for this purpose may be carried forward from the prior fiscal year into the current fiscal year and expended for the same purposes.	Not related to agency deliverable.	Was 1a.38 in 2022-2023 budget, is 1a.33 in 2023-2024 budget	Amended Proviso Number Only
Proviso 1a.37	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Aid to Districts, school districts, Palmetto Unified District and the Department of Juvenile Justice must work with local law enforcement agencies and fire marshals, and when necessary, state law enforcement agencies and the Office of the State Fire Marshal in order to ensure that the district has updated school safety and fire plans in place. The safety and fire plans must include safety directives in the classroom, a safe student and staff exit strategy and necessary safety staff. Notice of completion of the updated plans must be submitted to the Department of Education no later than September first, of the current fiscal year.	Report our agency may/must provide	Was 1a.42 in 2022-2023 budget, is 1a.37 in 2023-2024 budget	Amended Proviso Number Only

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
Proviso 1a.64	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Public school classroom teachers, to include teachers employed at the special schools or classroom teachers who work with classroom teachers, to include teachers employed at the special schools who are certified by both the State Board of Education and the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS), shall be paid an annual salary supplement of either \$7500 or \$5000.	Not related to agency deliverable.	Was 1a.71 in 2022-2023 budget, is 1a.64 in 2023-2024 budget	Amended Proviso Number Only
Proviso 5.1	State	FY22-23 Proviso	The Opportunity School will incorporate into its program services for students, ages fifteen and over, who are deemed truant; and will cooperate with the Department of Juvenile Justice, the Family Courts, and School districts to encourage the removal of truant students to the Opportunity School when such students can be served appropriately by the Opportunity School's program.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
Proviso 117.17	State	FY22-23 Proviso	The Department of Juvenile Justice, Department of Corrections, Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services, Department of Mental Health, Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, Continuum of Care, Department of Social Services and School for the Deaf and the Blind may replace the personal property of an employee which has been damaged or destroyed by a client while in custody of the agency. The replacement of personal property may be made only if the loss has resulted from actions by the employee deemed to be appropriate and in the line of duty by the agency head and if the damaged or destroyed item is found by the agency head to be reasonable in value, and necessary for the employee to carry out the functions and duties of his employment. Replacement of damaged or destroyed items shall not exceed \$250 per item, per incident. Each agency must have guidelines to insure the reasonableness of the replacement payments.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 117.31	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Funds collected by the South Carolina Department of Corrections, the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon, and Department of Juvenile Justice to process DNA samples must be remitted to the State Law Enforcement Division to offset the expenses incurred to operate the State DNA Database program. SLED may retain, expend, and carry forward these funds. Any carry forward funds resulting from the DNA Database program must be used solely to operate the DNA Database program.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change

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Proviso 117.50	State	FY22-23 Proviso	The Attorney General shall review the interpretation of the current policies of the Department of Public Safety and the Department of Corrections regarding secure juvenile confinement that the departments indicate may jeopardize federal grant funds. The departments may not implement any changes to the current policies regarding secure juvenile confinement until the Attorney General considers the departments' interpretation of the federal Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act in regard to the secure holding of juveniles for more than six hours in adult detention facilities that also serve as forty-eight-hour juvenile holdover facilities. The Attorney General will determine if the departments' interpretation is fair and equitable and how the local governments and the Department of Juvenile Justice would be impacted, to include any financial considerations.			No Change
Proviso 117.51	State	Proviso	Requires DJJ to transfer \$225,000 to DSS for the support of the Interagency System for the care of emotionally disturbed children.	Distribute funding to another entity		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
Proviso 117.57	State	FY22-23 Proviso	The funds appropriated to the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services in Part IA, Section 66, Program II.A.2. for the Sex Offender Monitoring Program and to the Department of Juvenile Justice in Part IA, Section 67, Program III.A. Special Item: Sex Offender Monitoring are to be used and expended only for GPS monitoring programs of the departments. In cases of limited funds, monitoring of "Jessie's Law" offenders shall take precedence over all other GPS programs of the departments. Funds appropriated for this program may not be used for any other purpose or transferred to any other program. Unexpended funds appropriated for Sex Offender Monitoring may be carried forward and used for the same purpose. The departments are directed to submit a report to the General Assembly by January fifteenth each year accounting for the expenditure of the funds including any carry-forward funding; the total costs and per-day costs for equipment, supervision, and monitoring; the total number of staff assigned to the activity and the average agent caseloads; the amount of funds collected from sex offenders for both intensive supervision and electronic monitoring; and the anticipated fiscal needs for the upcoming fiscal year.	Report our agency may/must provide		No Change
Proviso 117.82	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Joint Committee on Children Funding	Distribute finding to another entity	Amount to be transferred to Senate changed to \$475,000 (from \$300,000 in 2022-2023)	Amended
Proviso 117.146	State	FY22-23 Proviso	In consultation with the Department of Juvenile Justice and the Department of Mental Health, the Department of Health and Human Services shall ensure that access to "no eject, no reject" services is restored for children and adolescents requiring care in a private residential treatment facility.	Not related to agency deliverable.	Was 117.153 in 2022-2023 budget, is 117.146 in 2023-2024 budget	Amended Proviso Number Only
Proviso 67.1	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Revenue generated from sale of meal tickets shall be retained and carried forward and used for the expansion for the operation of the agency's cafeterias and food service programs.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change

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Proviso 67.2	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Revenue returned to the Interstate Compact Program shall be retained and carried forward by the agency and expended for the operation of the program.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.3	State	FY22-23 Proviso	funds generated from projects undertaken by children may be retained and utilized for the benefit of children.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.4	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Teachers at DJJ shall receive a percentage increase in their annual salary each year equal to the percentage allocated to the teachers around the state.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.5	State	FY22-23 Proviso	DJJ may retain for any general operating purposes any reimbursement of funds for expenses.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.6	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Any funds collected for through the Juvenile Arbitration Program are retained and expended by DJJ for the purpose of providing juvenile arbitration services through the sixteen judicial circuit solicitor's offices to fund administrative and personnel cost for the programs. DJJ contracts with the Solicitor's to administer the program and disburse up to \$60,000 per judicial circuit based on services rendered. Community Advocacy Program in the first judicial circuit is appropriated for this program.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.7	State	FY22-23 Proviso	With approval of JBRC and SFAA, any revenues associated with the sale of department-owned real property and may expand these funds on capital improvements.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.8	State	FY22-23 Proviso	DJJ can sell mature trees and other timber suitable for commercial purposes from lands owned by the department. Director may consult with the State Forester to determine economic and environmental feasibility. Funds from sales should be used for family support services.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
Proviso 67.9	State	FY22-23 Proviso	DJJ can conduct and pay for the cost of pre-employment drug testing and random employee drug testing.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.10	State	Proviso	Provides for the establishment of a variety of community based residential programs for juveniles and for DJJ to place juveniles in the programs.	Not related to agency deliverable.		No Change
Proviso 67.11	State	Proviso	Allows for juveniles being released from confinement, who are under DJJ supervision to be placed in either a regular school program or in an adult education program operated by a local school district.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
Proviso 67.12	State	Proviso	To offset the cost to the state of providing educational services to juveniles in DJJ's secure confinement facilities, this proviso requires that the "local effort" funding that schools receive from the state for students formerly within their school district, follow the student and be transferred to DJJ for the duration of that individual's confinement.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
Proviso 67.14	State	FY22-23 Proviso	DJJ must use carry forward funds to implement Act 268 of 2016 by contracting with local child-serving non-profit organizations and Judicial offices for community-based diversion and intervention services.	Not related to agency deliverable.		Suspended
Proviso 67.15	State	FY22-23 Proviso	Able to use carry forward funds for capital needs.	Requires a service		Amended

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2025
34 USC § 30301, et seq.	Federal	Statute	Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Federal Law enacted in 2003, with standards promulgated pursuant to the act, published in 2012. PREA's aim is to prevent, detect, and properly respond to sexual assault of inmates in secure adult and juvenile detention and correctional facilities. This federal law prohibits seventeen-year-old offenders from being housed\detained with adult offenders eighteen years old and older, and for juvenile corrections imposes the additional requirements of (1) security staff to juvenile ratios, of 1 security staff for every eight(8) juveniles during waking hours and 1 security staff for every sixteen (16) juveniles during sleeping hours, and (2) effectively prohibiting female officers from supervising male juveniles since they cannot participate in "pat down" searches of male offenders checking them for contraband and/or weapons. State participation in this federal law is voluntary but if states choose not to participate, 5% of certain federal grant funding will be lost to the state. States are asked by the Department of Justice each year whether they are, or are attempting to become, PREA Compliant.	Requires a service		Redesignated
Pub. Law 93-415 42 USC § 5601 et. seq.	Federal	Statute	Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act - Federal law which imposes certain requirements\restrictions on state and local governmental law enforcement entities in regards to juvenile criminal and status offenders to include "sight and sound" separation of juvenile offenders from adults, the secure detention\incarceration of status offenders, and limiting to six hours how long a juvenile offender can be confined in an adult detention facility (jail). If those mandates\restrictions are not met, certain federal grant funding received by our state is reduced and\or restricted in its use.	Requires a service	Redesignated & Amended Is now 34 USC § 11101, et seq. Also some small changes to modernize language made via public law 118-65 effective June 17, 2024.	Amended
SC Constitution - Article XII Section 3	State	Constitution	Prohibits the confinement of inmates under the age of seventeen(17) with inmates seventeen (17) and older in the state correctional facilities. Note: State Adult and Juvenile Detention (Jail) Standards interpret this constitutional provision to include pretrial detainees as well as adjudicated\convicted individuals.	Requires a service		No Change

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SC Constitution Article XI Section 3	state	statute	The focus of these state/laws/regulations and constitutional provisions is to provide for a state system of public education, to make this system for all students "free and appropriate" and for the establishment, organization, operation, and support of our states educational system.	Requires a service		No Change
State Provisos (2023/2024) Appropriation Bill - H.4300) Part 1B Section 1 & 1A	State	Proviso	State Department of Education provisos impact DJJ's school district, as they do all other school districts in our state, with the ones having the greatest and/or most specific impact, upon the funding or the operation of DJJ's school district.	Requires a manner of delivery	Marked no change because Part 1B Section 1 and Section 1A are still "Department of Education" and "Department of Education-EIA," respectively. I did not do detailed comparison for this entry. Specific provisos from these sections which are listed in other entries on this tab are addressed in those entries.	No Change
State Provisos (2023/2024) Appropriation Bill - H.4300) Part 1B Section 67	State	Proviso	Provisos specific to DJJ are found in Section 67 of Part 1B of the 2023-2024 Appropriations Bill.	Funding agency deliverables(s)	Marked no change because Part 1B Section 67 is still "Department of Juvenile Justice." I did not do detailed comparison for this entry. Specific provisos from this section which are listed in other entries on this tab are addressed in those entries.	No Change
Proviso 67.15	State	FY24-25 Proviso	Proviso that allows for \$4 million appropriated to fund project management is redirected to fund Broad River Road Complex renovations.	Funding agency deliverable(s)		Added
Proviso 67.16	State	FY24-25 Proviso	Proviso allows for funds appropriated in section 67.11 C. Facilities Management be contracted for the operations of facilities.	Funding agency deliverable(s)		Added

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Proviso 67.17	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Proviso allows for the counties to pay DJJ \$125 per day no longer than 25 days for youth at the juvenile detention center. Also allows for the current \$50 to be included.	Funding agency deliverable(s)		Added

2025		Services Data as submitted for the Accountability Report by: N120 - DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE						
Description of Service	Description of Direct Customer	Customer Name	Others Impacted by Service	Division or major organizational unit providing the service.	Description of division or major organizational unit providing the service.	Primary negative impact if service not provided.	Changes made to services during FY2025	Summary of changes to services
Community Services consist of a wide range of direct services to youth, their families and victims of juvenile crime. Among these services include front end diversion, intake and assessment services for family courts, targeted case management including interagency staffings, and probation and parole supervision to ensure compliance with conditions set by the family courts or the Juvenile Parole Board.	This customer segment encompasses DJJ involved youth, their families and victims of juvenile crime.	DJJ involved Youth and their families; Victims of juvenile crime	General Public	Division of Community Services	The Community Services Division supports the positive development of young individuals and preventing delinquent behavior. The agency provides comprehensive services, including intake, probation, and parole supervision, educational programs, vocational training, and community-based interventions	Failure to provide this service would result in a decrease in public safety associated with an increase in juvenile crime and recidivism.	No Change	
Education Services includes all educational programs operated by the Department and by contracted private vendors to include instruction in English, math, science, social studies as well as Career and Technology Education and workforce development and job readiness training.	Educational services are provided only to juveniles committed to DJJ facilities and the nine contracted alternative programs and community residential placements.	Youth in DJJ custody	Families of youth in custody; Public School System; General Public	Educational Services	This Division administers all educational programs operated by DJJ and contracted private vendors. DJJ operates a fully accredited school district offering English, Math, Science, and Social studies. The district functions like any other district in South Carolina with a superintendent, principals, teachers, and program coordinators. However, DJJ's schools differ from other South Carolina Schools in several ways: Schools are in session year-round (enabling students to make up absences and close learning gaps). Curricula for core courses are based on the SC Academic Standards for Education. Birchwood School offers full programs of study leading to a high school diploma. DJJ's school district also offers students CATE courses, extensive special education services, Army JROTC, career development centers, and guidance counselors. Students who are 16 and older and meet specific criteria may prepare for and earn a General Equivalency Diploma (GED). All students are assessed for career interests and abilities and placed in appropriate academic and/or career and technology classes.	Failure to provide this service would adversely affect the academic progress of youth in custody depriving them of a basic education. Academic achievement is associated with law abiding behavior.	No Change	
Security Operations Services include the direct care and supervision of the youth committed to DJJ's hardware secure facilities.	This customer segment encompasses youth committed to DJJ facilities.	Youth in DJJ hardware secure facilities	Families of Youth in Custody; General Public	Division of Security & Operations	This division is responsible for the operations and oversight of the State's three evaluation and development centers for juvenile offenders: the Coastal Evaluation and Development Center, the Midlands Evaluation and Development Center and the Upstate Evaluation and Development Center. Additionally, Security and Operations oversees the Juvenile Detention Center Complex and the Centralized Institutional Operations Center (CIOC) as well as Programs and Services, which includes Behavior Management and Volunteer Services. Dietary Services, admissions and youth orientation are all under the umbrella of this division.	Failure to provide these services would render the state unable to provide secure custodial care for juvenile offenders.	No Change	

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Secure Evaluation Services include the preparation of court-ordered pre-dispositional assessments and evaluations for committed youth. Custodial care is provided while the youth undergoes the evaluation process prior to the final disposition of his/her case.	The Family Court is the customer segment for this service. Family Court judges may order pre-dispositional secure evaluations of juveniles before making a final ruling or prior to commitment.	Family Court Judges	Court involved Youth; Service Providers; Victims of juvenile crime	Division of Security & Operations	This division is responsible for the operations and oversight of the State's three evaluation and development centers for juvenile offenders: the Coastal Evaluation and Development Center, the Midlands Evaluation and Development Center and the Upstate Evaluation and Development Center. Additionally, Security and Operations oversees the Juvenile Detention Center Complex and the Centralized Institutional Operations Center (CIOC) as well as Programs and Services, which includes Behavior Management and Volunteer Services. Dietary Services, admissions and youth orientation are all under the umbrella of this division.	Failure to provide this service would eliminate the pre-dispositional secure evaluation option for Family Courts.	No Change	
Detention services include secure, short-term custodial care and treatment for male and female youth ages 11 to 17 detained by law enforcement agencies and the family courts prior to disposition. Note: Youth awaiting trial on serious and violent charges may also be held at the Juvenile Detention Center to ensure public safety and the youth's immediate availability for court proceedings	Note: Family Courts may detain juveniles to ensure public safety and the juvenile's immediate availability for court.	Family Court Judges	Law enforcement; Victims of juvenile crime; Families of Youth in Custody; General Public	Division of Security Operations	The Juvenile Detention Center Complex is DJJ's centralized pretrial detention facility, serving youth from most of South Carolina's 46 counties. Youth committed to this facility receive rehabilitative and educational services provided by Facility Rehabilitation and Health Services, Program and Services and Educational Services.	Failure to provide these services would render the agency unable to provide short-term detention services for law enforcement agencies and the family courts prior to disposition. Family Courts and law enforcement may detain youth to ensure public safety and the youth's immediate availability for court.	No Change	
Safety and Law Enforcement Services includes criminal and internal investigations; inquiries into concerns on behalf of juveniles and their families; audits of agency assets (i.e. vehicle and real property); agency K-9 Service for the detection of illegal drugs; management of gang related information, material or contraband and the juvenile disciplinary hearings process.	This customer segment encompasses DJJ involved youth, their families and staff.	Youth in Custody; Staff, Families of Youth in Custody	Other Law Enforcement Entities; Solicitors; General Public;	Division of Investigative Services	The Division of Investigative Services conducts criminal and internal investigations; conducts inquiries into concerns on behalf of juveniles and their families; information, material or contraband; and maintains surveillance equipment and audio recordings for safety and investigation requests. The Division is also responsible for the Event Reporting System (ERS) - a state-of-the-art computer system used to ensure the comprehensive and real-time tracking, reporting and managing of events occurring within the agency.	Failure to provide investigative services would result in a substantial increase in reliance on external law enforcement entities while simultaneously increasing risk for youth and staff. This would also eliminate the youth and family grievance processes.	No Change	
Facility Rehabilitation and Health Services include comprehensive therapeutic services and empirically validated best practices to include crisis intervention and specialized clinical services; evaluation and assessment; mental health/psychiatric care and professional social work and psychological services; medical/dental primary care, triage, and medical referral services; medication administration and monitoring; and employee health.	Treatment and intervention services are provided to DJJ involved youth and their families in DJJ facilities and in the community; pre-adjudicatory and pre-dispositional evaluations are provided in the community, while pre-dispositional evaluations may be ordered to take place in the secure evaluation centers.	Court involved Youth including youth in custody	Families of Court Involved Youth; Service Providers; Victims of juvenile crime; General Public	Division of Facility Rehabilitation and Health Services	This Division administers comprehensive therapeutic services and empirically-validated best practices for clinical care, to include the following: crisis intervention and specialized clinical services; evaluation and assessment; mental health/psychiatric care and professional social work and psychological services; medical/dental primary care, triage, and medical referral services; medication administration and monitoring; employee health; interagency collaboration with other child-serving agencies for jointly-involved and/or special needs youth; and, provision of trauma treatment and training for all staff in trauma-informed care, as well as training provided to all staff regarding prevention and management of corrections fatigue. This division develops and implements enriching programs and services for youth who are committed to SCDJJ's long-term evaluation and detention facilities to include: recreational and leisure services, chaplaincy, volunteer and visitation services; management of the youth work program and the Agency's Store of Hope. The Office is also responsible for overseeing the disciplinary process and incentive programs for youth in SCDJJ's secure facilities	The majority of youth in custody meet criteria for at least one mental health disorder. Failure to provide clinical services would deny these youth access to critical mental and primary healthcare services.	Amend	

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All Human Resources functions, such as benefits, recruitment, employee relations, and payroll, are managed out of this office.	This customer segment encompasses DJJ's internal divisions and offices.	DJJ	Employees, Applicants , Offices and Divisions within the DJJ	Office of Human Resources	The Office of Human Resources (HR) is a cornerstone of the agency's success, ensuring that a strong and capable workforce is in place to support the mission of juvenile justice. In addition to recruiting, hiring, and retaining qualified staff, HR provides comprehensive onboarding, manages employee benefits, workers' compensation, payroll, and leave programs, and safeguards critical personnel records. The office also serves as a resource for staff to help foster a safe, equitable, and supportive work environment. In the past three years, HR has worked to create electronic workflows to process HR actions, complete position descriptions and Employee Performance Management System evaluations. Most recently, HR modernized its operations by replacing a handwritten timekeeping process with a biometric system, greatly improving the agency's efficiency in executing payroll, reducing errors, and enhancing the ability to analyze staffing patterns and shift coverage. These advancements not only streamline operations but also strengthen accountability, transparency, and the agency's capacity to support its employees effectively.	The Office of Human Resources provides support and influences the strategic direction of the agency by providing managers and employees with innovative solutions to organizational and human resource issues. The office exists to provide services which help the agency to attract, retain, and reward competent and dedicated employees who share a commitment to the values of excellence and innovation in rehabilitation, education and service to juveniles in agency care and the community. HR is committed to promoting a quality work environment for SCDJJ employees that positively influences the empowerment of our youth for the future.	No Change	
Services include community psychological and social work services which include direct clinical intervention with youth and families. Additionally, interagency services and evidence-based services are included in this service array.	This customer segment encompasses DJJ involved youth, their families and child serving agencies.	DJJ involved Youth and their families; DMH, DSS, DCA	Youth serving public and private agencies/ organizations; General Public	Division of Treatment and Support Services	This Division is responsible for providing community-based psychological evaluations and social work services for justice involved youth and families. Additionally, this section oversees Interagency Services, Interstate Compact and evidence-based services.	Most youth referred to the agency meet criteria for at least one mental health disorder. It is key that quality rehabilitative services and care coordination be accessible in the least restrictive setting. Failure to provide these services would result in poorer outcomes for youth and families. Poorer outcomes include increased behavioral health issues, delinquency and out of home placement.	No Change	
Administrative Services include the budget, grants, contracts, accounts payable, trust accounts, collections, and procurement. Other services provided out of this Office include maintenance, grounds keeping, inventory and supply, fleet management, mail and custodial support for the agency.	This customer segment encompasses the agency, General Assembly, contractors, vendors, grant funding entities, youth committed to DJJ facilities, etc.	Youth in Custody, DJJ's Staff, Divisions & Offices; Executive Branch; Legislative Branch	Contractors; Vendors; Grantors; Families of Youth in Custody; Visitors; Volunteers	Division of Administrative Services	The Division of Administrative Services is responsible for a multitude of areas, to include the Office of Fiscal Affairs (fiscal operations, procurement, accounts payable, accounts receivable, general ledger and accounting), Office of Support Services (fleet services, custodial services, recycling, excess property, moves, recycling, warehouse delivery, postal and inventory) and the Office of Information Technology (helpdesk, network services, application support and desktop support).	It is essential that sound fiscal processes are in place to ensure that resources are managed and expended properly in accordance with governmental regulations and taxpayer expectations.	No Change	

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Services offered through this Office include guidance on laws, regulations, juvenile classification and youth services and accountability , Juvenile Release Authority and Records,	This customer segment is broad and encompasses DJJ, to include the youth in custody and those under the Release Authority Jurisdiction, as well as interagency divisions and offices, external agencies and community partners and funders.	Youth in Custody, DJJ's Divisions & Offices, Executive Branch, Legislative Branch	Youth Under the Jurisdiction of the Release Authority, Public and Private Partners, Grantors, General Public	Legal Services	Legal Services is comprised of the General Counsel, Offices of Classification Services and Youth Services and Accountability which includes Grievances, Family Support, Youth Disciplinary Processes and the Release Authority.	Failure to provide this service would result in a decrease in public safety associated with an increase in juvenile crime and recidivism.	Add	In Fiscal Year 2022, following the Director Hendrick's confirmation, DJJ's organizational chart was revised to increase efficiencies, streamline processes, and better align with the updated mission and vision. The Office of Legal Standards and Compliance was established. The following eight functional areas operate under this umbrella: General Counsel, Office of Standards & Professional Development, Quality Improvement, Planning and Accountability, Internal Audit, Records, Legislative Liaison and InfoSec & Privacy.

2025	<u>Partnerships Data</u> as submitted for the Accountability Report by: N120 - DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE		
Type of Partner Entity	Name of Partner Entity	Description of Partnership	Change to the partnership during the past fiscal year
Higher Education Institute	1890 Research & Extension Program at SC State University	DJJ partnered with the 1890 Research & Extension Program at SC State University in an effort to provide youth in the Pee-Dee area with access career and job training .	No Change
State Government	Department of Child Advocacy	DJJ works closely and collaboratively with DCA to address concerns and provide information related to their investigations.	No Change
Professional Association	National Council on Correctional HealthCare	DJJ partners with NCCHC to improve policy and implementation of healthcare and behavioral healthcare services as per national best practices. Multiple providers at DJJ have completed national certification as CCHPs (Certified Correctional Healthcare Providers	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	Pace Center for Girls	DJJ partnered with the Pace Center to implement prevention, intervention and social services for at-risk adolescent girls in the Pee-Dee region of SC.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	SC Hospital Association Behavioral Health Coalition	DJJ representatives attend quarterly meetings that include public and private entities to discuss behavioral health needs of youth and resources available to our youth in the state.	No Change

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State Government	Division of State Human Resources	The Division of State Human Resources (DSHR) works with agency customers to ensure excellence in human resources through providing guidance on HR-related matters, delivers resources that encourage effective workforce planning and organizational development, and oversees the state's Alternative Dispute Resolution process. Additionally, DSHR leads state recruiting efforts to attract top talent to careers in state government.	No Change
Non-Government Organization	Evidence-Based Associates	DJJ contracts with Evidence -Based -Associates(EBA) to provide evidence-based community programs for the purpose of diverting and decreasing number of youth penetrating the juvenile justice system. This initiative is entitled LEAP (Leveraging Effective Alternatives to Placement). This is an evidence-based program that utilizes nationally recognized evidence-based initiatives including Functional Family Therapy (FFT) and Multisystemic Therapy (MST) to provide in-home family therapy at no-cost to the families.	Add
State Government	SC Board of Juvenile Parole	DJJ is required to prepare parole reports for juveniles who are indeterminately committed to DJJ. DJJ community specialists provide supervision for juveniles who are conditionally released by the Juvenile Parole Board.	No Change
State Government	SC Department of Mental Health (DMH)	DJJ collaborates with DMH to ensure treatment and continuity of care for seriously mentally ill (SMI) youth committed to DJJ. Moreover, a long-standing memorandum of agreement is in place between the agencies formalizing the process by which custody of committed SMI youth is transferred to DMH for treatment purposes. DJJ provides cost-sharing for placement facilities when DMH is unable to locate suitable residential care for a committed SMI youth. Additionally, DJJ shares the salary/fringe costs for a DMH/DJJ Liaison position in order to streamline and coordinate efforts between DJJ and DMH community mental health centers.	No Change

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State Government	SC Department of Alcohol & Other Drug Abuse Services (DAODAS)	DJJ collaborates with DAODAS to ensure treatment and continuity of care for system involved youth with a mental health and/or co-occurring substance use disorder. Both entities are founding members of the Joint Council on Children and Adolescents.	No Change
Higher Education Institute	University of South Carolina's Children's Law Center	DJJ has a long standing relationship with the Children's Law Center (CLC) to provide technical assistance regarding juvenile issues and workforce development. Additionally, CLC is instrumental in providing regular training to new clinical staff, provides data analysis for subclass inclusion of SMI/ID youth, and multi-agency training on interagency issues impacting DJJ and other state agencies.	No Change
State Government	SC Department of Social Services (DSS)	DJJ collaborates with DSS in an effort to coordinate services for youth who are served by both agencies. DJJ has a Memorandum of Understanding with DSS for Girl's Circle and Boy's Council facilitator training to increase protective factors and reduce risk for youth throughout the state. DJJ coordinated with DSS to establish a portal whereby both agencies can cross-verify other agency involvement to facilitate care coordination; this portal was implemented this FY and is in use by both agencies. Both entities are founding members of the Joint Council on Children and Adolescents.	No Change
State Government	Department of Public Safety (DPS)	DPS administers the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act and the related grant funding. This federal legislation imposes certain requirements/restrictions on state and local governmental entities in regards to juvenile criminal and status offenders.	No Change
State Government	State Law Enforcement Division (SLED)	SLED provides technical and investigatory assistance to DJJ in certain cases. A long standing memorandum of agreement is in place governing the conditions that merit assistance from SLED.	No Change

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State Government	Department of Vocational Rehabilitation(DVR)	There is a memorandum of agreement in place between the agencies regarding the co-location of a DVR employee at DJJ. DVR and DJJ are working to ensure that eligible youth are linked to appropriate services upon release to the community.	No Change
State Government	SC Criminal Justice Academy	SC Criminal Justice Academy is a partner to the agency as it provides trainings to both Class I (Public Safety) and Class II Juvenile Correctional Offices (Detention Officers). The academy helps the agency to remain in compliance as it relates to training standards.	No Change
State Government	SC Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV)	SCDJJ collaborates with DMV to facilitate State Identification Credential: This include State Real IDs, Beginner's Permits. SC DMV has implemented simple and effective process for SC DJJ juveniles to attain their credentials. This partnership has been instrumental in hundreds of juveniles to attain their State ID and beginner's permits.	No Change
State Government	SC State Comptroller General	This Office offers fiscal and accounting advice to SCDJJ, and reports each year on the financial operations and conditions of state government.	No Change
Higher Education Institute	Colleges and Universities	DJJ partners with a number of colleges and universities serving as a site whereby students may receive service learning credit, leadership skills training and development.	No Change
State Government	South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs (DDSN)	DJJ collaborates with DDSN in order to ensure appropriate treatment and continuity of care for youth who are classified as intellectually disabled. This can include the transfer of committed youth to DDSN for treatment purposes including placement in a less restrictive environment.	No Change

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Non-Government Organization	Serve & Connect	The partnership works to bridge the gap between police and at-risk youth with the goal of building trust and fostering open communication in Kershaw County, South Carolina. The long-term goal is to aid in conflict resolution and to prevent at-risk youth from engaging in delinquent behaviors.	No Change
Private Business Organization	National Safety Council	SCDJJ contracts with National Safety Council for trainer certification and materials NSC Defensive Driving Courses teach drivers how to recognize and react to immediate and potential hazardous driving situations and conditions. Our instructor-led, classroom courses provide collision prevention strategies and defensive driving techniques that focus on behavior, judgement, decision making and consequences.	No Change
Private Business Organization	JKM Training Inc	SCDJJ contracts with JKM Training for trainer certification and materials for Safe Crisis Management. Safe Crisis Management® “SCM” is a comprehensive training program focused on preventing and managing crisis events, and improving safety in agencies and schools. Safe Crisis Management has a trauma-sensitive approach with emphasis on building positive relationships with individuals. Our program is designed to assist staff with responding to the needs of all individuals and particularly with the needs of the most challenging.	No Change
Private Business Organization	PowerDMS	SCDJJ contracts with PowerDMS to house agency policies. PowerDMS is a secure, cloud-based repository to manage policies and procedures across their entire lifecycle. Develop, review, approve, distribute, and track every policy with confidence, knowing that only one published version exists.	No Change

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Private Business Organization	National Partnership for Juvenile Services	SCDJJ contracts with NPJS for technical assistance and training. NPJS provides an array of technical assistance and program design initiatives, research on best practices, operational/systemic assessments, and strategic planning assistance. A comprehensive list of technical assistance offerings is provided below for your review and consideration.	No Change
Individual	Sonya Love	SCDJJ contracts with Ms. Love to conduct the PREA Audit for BRRRC. The National Standards to Prevent, Detect, and Respond to Prison Rape (PREA Standards) require all covered confinement facilities to be audited at least once during every three-year audit cycle.	No Change
Private Business Organization	American Red Cross	The Adult First Aid/CPR/AED course equips students to recognize and care for a variety of first aid breathing and cardiac emergencies involving adults. It is designed for students who need a certification that satisfies OSHA workplace or other regulatory requirements. Upon successful completion a valid 2 year digital certificate for Adult First Aid/CPR/AED is issued.	No Change
Higher Education Institute	University of South Carolina's College of Education	DJJ's affiliate Camp Aspen and the USC College of Education partner for an annual reading initiative where USC graduate students participate in a reading practicum with Aspen students.	No Change

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Private Business Organization	Contracted Providers	DJJ contracts with group care providers to offer alternative placement, alternatives to detention, secure evaluation, or commitment. These vendors are awarded contracts through State Procurement and adhere to SCDSS Licensing and State Standards for Residential Care. Providers include, but are not limited to: Abraxas Youth and Family Services, AMIKids, Generations, New Foundations, Lancaster Children's Home, Doors to Freedom, Alston Wilkes Society, Serenity Counts and Epworth Children's Home).	Add
Private Business Organization	Contracted Providers	DJJ contracts with private vendors to provide transportation services for youth. Transportation is needed to/from placement, court hearings, etc. Contract are awarded through State Procurement. Vendors include Wings of Eagles, Beckon of Hope, C & C Kinder and SCYAP.	Amend
Private Business Organization	Bateh Group	DJJ contracts with Bateh Group for recruitment and marketing support. The primary focus of the support is the recruitment of Juvenile Correctional Officers. Additionally, the Bateh Group collects and provides analytics that enable the agency to make data driven decisions.	No Change
Private Business Organization	Deer Oaks EAP	Deer Oaks is the Employee Assistance Program for the Agency. This organization is available for DJJ staff and the members of their households. This contract enables the Agency to offer an additional resource to staff in an effort to take care of the "whole" employee.	No Change
Non-Government Organization	FACT FORWARD	DJJ, in collaboration Fact Forward, received a 5-year grant award. DJJ is a subrecipient of the award. The project addresses reproductive health related issues such as sexually transmitted diseases, teen pregnancies, etc. The program includes the facilitation of evidence-based curricula to male and female youth committee DJJ's secure facilities.	No Change

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Non-Government Organization	Various Health Services Providers	DJJ has long standing partnerships with the USC School of Nursing and College of Medicine, Prisma Health and MUSC. Through our partnership with USC, Prisma and MUSC, Health Services continue to provide comprehensive medical and mental health care via tele psych and in person medical visits.	No Change
State Government	South Carolina Department of Public Health	DJJ has a long standing partnership with DPH, formerly DHEC. This agency has been instrumental in helping DJJ to decrease exposure to communicable diseases such as COVID, TB, influenza, etc. In addition, DPF has collaborated with our organization through the Vaccine for Children and Communicable Diseases Programs to increase awareness and access to resources for youth and staff.	Add

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5- Year Education Strategic Plan		State Department compliance	May 2025	Every 5 years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Dywanna Washington, Assistant Principal, 803-440-2533	No Change	
5-Year Accreditation Report		State Department compliance	May 2025	Every 5 years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Kenyatta McLeod, Principal , 03-896-7945	No Change	
Accident Report		Records accidents	June 2025	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Fleet Manager, Thomas Howie at 737-1502	No Change	
Agency Accountability Report	§1-1-810	The report "must contain the agency's or department's mission, objectives to accomplish the mission, and performance measures that show the degree to which objectives are being met." Agencies must "identify key program area descriptions and expenditures and link these two key financial and performance results measures."	September 2024	Annually	Governor or Lt. Governor AND Legislative entity or entities	Provided to LSA for posting online		Amend	No annual report is required. Accreditation through Cognia (formerly AdvancED) is acquired/granted for a five-year period for Birchwood School. The current validity period is 2022-2027.
Bank Account and Transparency Accountability Report	Proviso 117.82	To report bank balances for Trust Accounts	October 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	State Budget Office	No Change	
Budget Plan		Budget Request to Governor and Legislature of Revenue/Expenditure Plan for upcoming year	September 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Provided to LSA for posting online		No Change	
Civil Rights Data Collection Report		State Department compliance	April 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Kenyatta McLeod Principal, kenattanmclead@djj.sc.gov, (803)542-0029	No Change	
Comptroller General Agency Reporting Packages		These reports form DJJ's portion of the South Carolina Comprehensive Annual Financial Report	October 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	Contact Comptroller General's Office	No Change	

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DHEC Inspection Report/ BRRC		Risk based assessment of all facilities where food items are received, stored, prepared and served.	May 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.scdhec.gov/apps/environment/foodgrades	No Change	
DHEC Inspection Report/ CEC		Risk based assessment of all facilities where food items are received, stored, prepared and served.	November 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.scdhec.gov/apps/environment/foodgrades	No Change	
DHEC Inspection Report/ UEC		Risk based assessment of all facilities where food items are received, stored, prepared and served.	March 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.scdhec.gov/apps/environment/foodgrades	No Change	
Education Report Card		State Department compliance	June 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Dywanne Washington, Assistant Principal, 803-440-2533	No Change	
Emergency		Record of all emergency purchases made by the agency	March 2025	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.procurement.sc.gov	No Change	
ESY Report	S.C. Code Ann. §11-35-1570	The number reported represents an accurate and unduplicated count of children ages 3-21 with disabilities deemed eligible and projected to receive extended school year services according to an Individualized Education Program.	June 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Cheryl Hubbard-George, Office of Special Educational Services, 803-849-4965	No Change	
Excess Property Turn in Document		Appropriate disposal of assets	May 2025	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.sc.gov/generalservices/surplus	No Change	
Governor's Assurance - South Carolina's PREA Assurance for Audit Year 3 of Cycle 3		The U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) requires that the Governor of each state either certify the State's full compliance with the standards of the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA), or assure its intention to come into full compliance, by submitting the Governor's Assurance form and supporting documentation.	October 2024	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Wanda Barr, Director of Standards and Professional Development	No Change	

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Highly Qualified District Report Mid-Year and Year-end report		Ensure all staff is highly qualified	June 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Timothy Bunch, District Renewal Coordinator, 803-896-9261	Amend	
IDEA Child Count		Provides the unduplicated number of children with disabilities (IDEA) ages 3 through 21, along with their reported Least Restrictive Environment (LRE)	June 2025	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Cheryl Hubbard-George, Office of Special Educational Services, 803-849-4965	No Change	
Illegal Purchase	Regulation 19-445.2015	Record of all illegal procurements made by the Agency	July 2025	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.procurement.sc.gov	No Change	
Indicator 11-60 Day Timeline		The percent of children who were evaluated within 60 days of receiving parental consent for initial evaluation	July 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Cheryl Hubbard-George, Office of Special Educational Services, 803-849-4965	Amend	
Indicator 14-Outcomes		Provides a list of students that exited special education the previous reporting year	May 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Cheryl Hubbard-George, Office of Special Educational Services, 803-849-4965	Amend	
Indirect Cost Proposal		Administration Overhead to support State functions	July 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies		State Budget Office	No Change	
Information Technology Data Inventory(Proviso 117.113)-State IT Plan		To determine the status of compliance with state security standards	July 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	https://croom.admin.sc.gov	No Change	
Justice Assistance Grant (JAG)		JAG Program is designed to provide units of local government with additional personnel, equipment, supplies, contractual support, training, technical assistance, and information systems for criminal justice and civil proceedings.	August 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Niaja Kenedy, Director of Standards	No Change	
Litigation Reporting Package		Closing Procedural Manual of SC Comptroller General	July 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	Contact Comptroller General's Office	No Change	

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Mileage Report		Ending monthly mileage for billing when Agency started leasing vehicles	June 2025	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Fleet Manager, Thomas Howie at 737-1502	No Change	
Minority Business Expenditures	SC Code § 11-35-5240	Record of all purchases made from certified small and minority businesses	July 2025	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Call 803-734-0657 or SCDJJ Purchasing	No Change	
MLP(Formerly listed as the ESOL Report)		ESOL supplemental instructional support	June 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	Timothy Bunch, District MLP Coordinator, 803-896-9261	No Change	
Pharmacy Non-Dispensing Outlet Inspection / UEC		Inspection to ensure compliance with state laws and regulations regarding the operation of a non-dispensing drug outlet		Every Two Years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact SC LLR (Board of Pharmacy) at 803-896-4700	Amend	5-year Plan with required annual progress updates through SCDE Portal. The current validity period is 2022-2027.
Read to Succeed District Reading Plan		Implementation of a comprehensive, systemic approach to reading	October 2024	Every 5 years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Dywanna Washington, Assistant Principal, 803-440-2533	No Change	
Read to Succeed School Reading Plan		Reading literacy improvement	October 2024	Every 5 years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Dywanna Washington, Assistant Principal, 803-440-2533	No Change	
SCDE - Single Audit Report and LEA Audit Report		Provides financial accounting of amount of funds received and how they were spent (by function) for school district operations	December 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Please complete the contact information to request. Contact SCDE - Auditing Services	No Change	
Schedule of Federal Assistance Report and Questionnaire	Proviso 117.94	Reporting of directly provided and pass through federal grant funds received by and expended by the Agency as well as Agency verification to all requirements are being met as it relates to the receipt and expenditure of federal grant funds	August 2024	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	Contact SC State Auditor's Office	No Change	
SET-OFF Debt Collection		Allows agency to recover funds owed to it through the garnishment of any state income tax refund	December 2024	Annually		Contact SCDOR SET-OFF Program Office	Contact SCDOR SET-OFF Program Office	Amend	

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Sole Source	S.C. Code Ann. §11-35-1560	Record of all sole source purchases made by the Agency	March 2025	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	www.procurement.sc.gov	No Change	
State Agreed Upon Procedures Report - Management Questionnaire		Letter signed off by agency management stating compliance and no known instances of fraud or misrepresentation of Agency financial activity	April 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	Contact SC State Auditor's Office	No Change	
Survey of Sexual Victimization		The Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) is tasked with annual data collection responsibilities under PREA. The Act requires BJS to "carry out, for each calendar year, a comprehensive statistical review and analysis of the incidence and effects of prison rape." In completing this task, BJS collects information on the characteristics of these incidents to aid correctional administrators in addressing the prevention, reporting, investigation, and prosecution of such incidents. We hope that you will take the time to complete this survey.	November 2024	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Wanda Barr, Director of Standards and Professional Development	No Change	
Table 2-Personnel		Personnel (in full-time equivalency of assignment) employed to provide special education and related services for children with disabilities	January 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Cheryl Hubbard-George, Office of Special Educational Services, 803-849-4965	No Change	
Title I "Annual Count" data		Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (Title I or ESEA)	December 2024	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Marcie Gambrell , SCDJJ School District, at 803-896-7977	No Change	The report due for June of 2024 was submitted on 7/10/2024
Title I Three year evaluation Report		Goals and strategies which can be incorporated into local school district plans and programs for career and technology education at the secondary level	July 2024	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact Marcie Gambrell , SCDJJ School District, at 803-896-7977	Amend	Report was submitted on 7/12/2024
Updated Vehicle and Bus Listing		Updates insurance records	June 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact the Insurance Reserve Fund at 737-0020	No Change	

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USDA Free and Reduced Breakfast and Lunch Reimbursement		This report provides a snapshot of the number of reimbursable breakfast and lunch meals served to the juvenile population, located at MEC, JDC, BRRC, UEC and CEC, on a monthly basis, for which DJJ will receive reimbursement funds from the USDA.	June 2025	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Written request to SCDJJ Dietary Services-Sandra Brown (SandraJBrown@djj.sc.gov)	No Change	
USDA Report		Accounts for Revenue from USDA for meals served for Breakfast and Lunch for juveniles.	June 2025	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact SCDE Office of Health and Nutrition-Melanie Pompey (mmpompey@ed.sc.gov), USDA Grant Accountant (803) 734-8197	Add	
Vehicle Inventory Report		Updates records of vehicles currently serviced	June 2025	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Contact SCDC Maintenance at 803-896-2258	Add	

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2025 Accountability Report

SUBMISSION FORM

I have reviewed and approved the data submitted by the agency in the following templates:

- Data Template
 - Reorganization and Compliance
 - FY2025 Strategic Plan Results
 - FY2026 Strategic Plan Development
 - Legal
 - Services
 - Partnerships
 - Report or Review
 - Budget
- Discussion Template
- Organizational Template

I have reviewed and approved the financial report summarizing the agency's budget and actual expenditures, as entered by the agency into the South Carolina Enterprise Information System.

The information submitted is complete and accurate to the extent of my knowledge.

AGENCY DIRECTOR <i>(SIGN AND DATE):</i> <i>(TYPE/PRINT NAME):</i>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="text-align: center; flex-grow: 1;"> SIGNATURE ON FILE </div> <div style="text-align: right;"> Signature Received: 09/15/2025 </div> </div> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/> <div style="text-align: center;"> L. Eden Hendrick </div>
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BOARD/CMSN CHAIR <i>(SIGN AND DATE):</i> <i>(TYPE/PRINT NAME):</i>	<div style="text-align: center; height: 40px;"> N/A </div> <hr style="border: 0.5px solid black;"/>
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