

JUVENILE RELATED FACTS

- Juvenile crime peaks in the after-school hours on school days (Juvenile Offenders & Victims: 2014 National Report)
- In 2010, nearly half (48%) of all seniors said they had at least tried illicit drugs. (Juvenile Offenders & Victims: 2014 National Report)
- Over time, a dropout earns \$200,000 less than a high school graduate and about \$1 million less than a college graduate. (Facts about High School Dropouts, 2011)
- The female proportion of youth entering the juvenile justice system for law violations has increased. (Juvenile Offenders & Victims: 2014 National Report)
- In 2011, 7% of high school students were threatened or injured with a weapon at school (Juvenile Offenders & Victims: 2014 National Report)
- Youth who received community-based services are more likely to attend school, go to work, and avoid further involvement with the juvenile justice system. (Juvenile Offenders & Victims: 2014 National Report)
- The number of violent crimes (murder, sexual assault, robbery, and aggravated and simple assault) increases hourly through the morning, afternoon, and evening hours, peaking around 10 p.m. (Juvenile Offenders & Victims: 2014 National Report)

COLLABORATIVE PARTNERS

- Orange County Sheriff-Coroner Department
- Orange County Probation Department
- City of Aliso Viejo
- City of Dana Point
- City of Laguna Hills
- City of Laguna Niguel
- City of Laguna Woods
- City of Lake Forest
- City of Mission Viejo
- City of Rancho Santa Margarita
- City of San Clemente
- City of San Juan Capistrano
- City of Stanton
- City of Villa Park
- City of Yorba Linda

P R Y D E

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MISSION & PURPOSE:

PRYDE is a FREE prevention, intervention, and counseling program available to at-risk youth and their families in the Orange County Sheriff's jurisdiction. In collaboration with the Orange County Sheriff-Coroner Department, the program provides services and resources that help youth and their families make positive changes in their lives as well as prevents first time youth offenders from entering the juvenile justice system.

PRYDE emphasizes **education, family involvement, and community support** to give youth tools and opportunities to accomplish their goals.



WHAT SERVICES DO WE OFFER?

- Intake Assessment
- Individual, Group & Family Counseling
- Legal Awareness
- Drug, Alcohol & Tobacco Education
- Conflict Management & Resolution
- Assertion Training
- Communication & Problem Solving Training
- Judgment & Impulse Control Training
- Community Service
- Restitution
- Mediation
- Academic Monitoring

WHO DO WE SERVE?

- Youth ages 11 -18
- Behavioral and delinquency problems:
 - Running away
 - Truancy
 - Drug and Alcohol Use
 - Theft
- Emotional struggles:
 - Anxiety
 - Depression
 - Anger/Impulse control
 - Grief

INITIATING SERVICES

If you or someone you know would benefit from PRYDE, contact us Monday through Friday, 8 am to 5 pm, and any of our diversion specialists will be able to assist you. You will be directed to the appropriate diversion specialist who will schedule an intake to initiate services. Intake appointments are available Monday through Friday, in the mornings and afternoons. **(949) 206-8600**

The program is voluntary; however, if the juvenile is unwilling to participate, we are available to help parents with resources, guidance, and support.

