



**JJPOC Education Committee
November 23rd, 2020
2:00 PM-3:30 PM
Zoom Conference Call**

Meeting Summary:

- JJPOC Recommendations Timeline:
 - During the Executive committee meeting on the 12th, the committee reviewed all of the 2021 recommendations that were proposed and voted on earlier this year. The education committee will be proposing the same recommendations of February 2020, mainly focusing on the recommendation for DCF to provide administrative oversight of educational services for all juvenile justice out-of-home placements and incarcerated youth.
- Discussion on Possible New Education Committee Recommendations:
 - Increase transparency and accountability for districts' utilization of police through collection of 911/211 call data, disaggregated by age, race and disability status, preferably, disability/educational classification. JJPOC Education Committee should be charged with periodically reviewing this data on a bi-annual basis:
 - Info should be collected on who called, who was called (911, 211, SRO) what the situation was, what de-escalation strategies were used prior to call, and what the end result was.
 - The committee discussed this recommendation in further detail to learn how other schools are currently run. Some teachers are not allowed to call 911 and would need authorized personnel to do so. Schools do not always use 911, they have a distinct number to use following protocol. If schools are calling 911 or 211, the schools should be doing an internal report and following up by making a referral. If a student is having multiple mobile crisis being called on them, they should have referrals and follow ups.
 - There was consensus within the committee on this recommendation to move forward with drafting this recommendation in further detail.
 - Revise requirements for municipal MOUs regarding mobile crisis response:
 - After discussing the work of the RED workgroup and the Diversion workgroup, the Education Committee reached consensus to allow those other workgroups to address this recommendation and simply voice support towards the other groups.
 - Prohibit school suspension in elementary school with legislative ownership of JJPOC for a justice reinvestment model that utilizes school-based preventative services that demonstrate efficacy.
 - The committee discussed the recommendation to remove out of school (OSS) suspension for elementary schools but continue to allow in school suspension (ISS) with an option for certain situations.

- There was a consensus for this recommendation to be discussed further and presented to the JJPOC Executive committee at the next meeting.

Next Meeting- January 25th, 2021