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The Positive Youth Justice Initiative (PYJI)

CJCJ presents webinar to discuss wraparound services

Counties participating in the Positive Youth Justice Initiative ([PYJI](#)) learn about the uniqueness of high-risk crossover youth, and how wraparound can be directed to address these youth's needs. Crossover youth are those who were formally involved in the child welfare system and who currently are engaged in the juvenile justice system. These types of youth can benefit from individualized services in their communities, which address their multitude of needs.

Members of CJCJ's Technical Assistance Team help address these counties' concerns by demonstrating its expertise in the use of wraparound services (Wrap). CJCJ has been providing wraparound services to high-risk justice-involved youth in San Francisco since 2009.

Watch this [webinar](#) to learn more about this community-based model and how it can be implemented in different counties in order to benefit the public.

Realignment: An Update

CJCJ's NoVA Case Manager discusses Realignment

CJCJ's NoVA Case Manager, Jose Gomez, is featured on Radio Bilingüe, where he emphasizes that Realignment is not just about reducing the overall prison population or moving incarcerated people from a state to local level. Rather, the primary focus of AB 109 should be for counties to provide an array of services for justice-involved individuals so that they can improve their lives, reduce recidivism, and ultimately promote public safety.

Listen to the full [interview](#) and watch for an updated publication of CJCJ's [January 2013 Realignment Report](#), analyzing data for the complete year of 2012.

Justice Policy Journal (Spring 2013) Released

CJCJ's online journal, JPJ, discusses global juvenile and adult criminal justice policies



CJCJ publishes its quarterly journal, which contains a wide selection of engaging articles promoting innovative policy formation worldwide. Articles presented within this issue of the JPJ examine the implementation of programs outside the traditional legal system, such as residential substance abuse aftercare treatment, faith-based halfway houses, reformation of the juvenile penal policy in Nigeria, and gun control policy.

CJCJ hopes that the careful analysis of the articles presented within this quarter's journal will educate policymakers, advocates, as well as the general public, on a multitude of criminal justice issues as well as balanced policy solutions within this academic publication.

Explore the various topics discussed in CJCJ's most recent issue of the [Justice Policy Journal](#).

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