



GREATER SULLIVAN COUNTY DIVERSION SERVICES

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION						
TOWNS SERVED	Charlestown, Claremont, Unity, Lempster, Goshen, Grantham, Newport, Sunapee, Plainfield, Springfield, Washington, Croydon, Cornish, Newbury, Sutton, New London, Acworth, Langdon			ACCREDITATION STATUS	Accredited	
				TYPE OF ORGANIZATION	County Government	
MOST COMMON VIOLATIONS	✓	Threatening/Assault	✓	Shoplifting/Theft	YEAR ESTABLISHED	1991
	✓	Disorderly/Reckless Conduct	✓	Trespass/Mischief		
	✓	Possession of Drugs	✓	Fire setting	AGE SERVED	11 - 18
	✓	Possession of Alcohol		Weapons Offenses		
PROGRAM AIM	<p>Our programs are highly individualized, family centered, and geared to progressing the participant toward achieving personal goals. Some results of participation in our program include: participant demonstrates improve grades, has established goals, made community connections ,reconnected with family and utilized new skills to manage difficult situations and make better decisions.</p> <p>Diversion recognizes that you made a mistake. The program allows you the opportunity to take responsibility and learn from your mistakes without going to court and potentially having a juvenile record. It is up to you what you make of this opportunity. The intent of this program is to help youths and their families learn to make better choices, so that they may reach their greatest potential as valuable members of society.</p>					
PROGRAM STATISTICS		SERVICES PROVIDED BY PROGRAM: <i>(Services available in-house)</i>		COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES: <i>(Services outside of program)</i>		
SERVED/YR (5 YEAR AVG)	34	✓	Alcohol and Other Drug Education	✓	Alcohol and Other Drug Education	
COMPLETION RATE	85%	✓	Anger Management Classes		Anger Management Classes	
PROGRAM LENGTH	3 months	✓	Community Service	✓	Community Service	
FEE CHARGED	Yes Contact Program		Mediation	✓	Mediation	
EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICES	Youth Education for Shoplifters Parenting Wisely	✓	Restitution		Restitution	
			Alcohol and Other Drug Treatment	✓	Alcohol and Other Drug Treatment	
		✓	Family/Participant Educational Classes	✓	Family/Participant Educational Classes	
ASSESSMENT TOOLS USED	SASSI Interview	✓	Community Reparation	✓	Community Reparation	
		✓	Victim Participation		Victim Participation	