



THURSDAY, MAY 8, 2025

SAN JOSÉ YOUTH EMPOWERMENT ALLIANCE, BRINGING EVERYONE'S STRENGTHS TOGETHER, SAFE SUMMER INITIATIVE, AND YOUTH INTERVENTION SERVICES ANNUAL REPORT

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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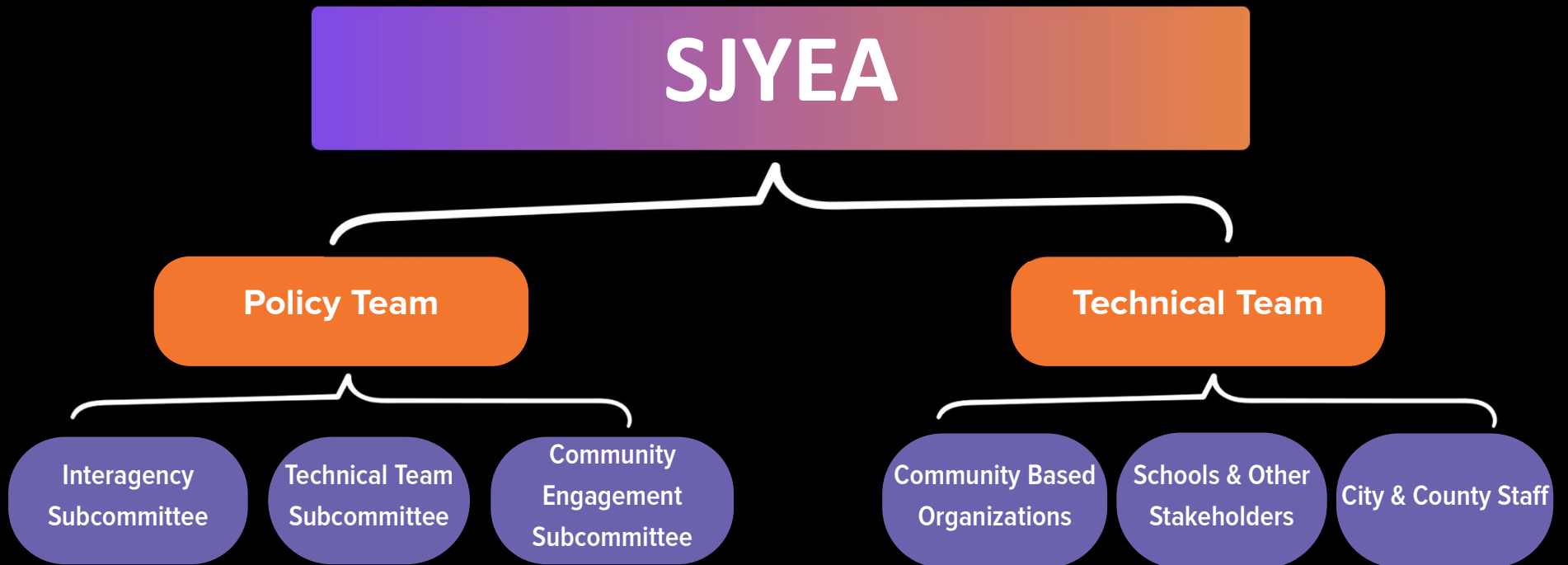
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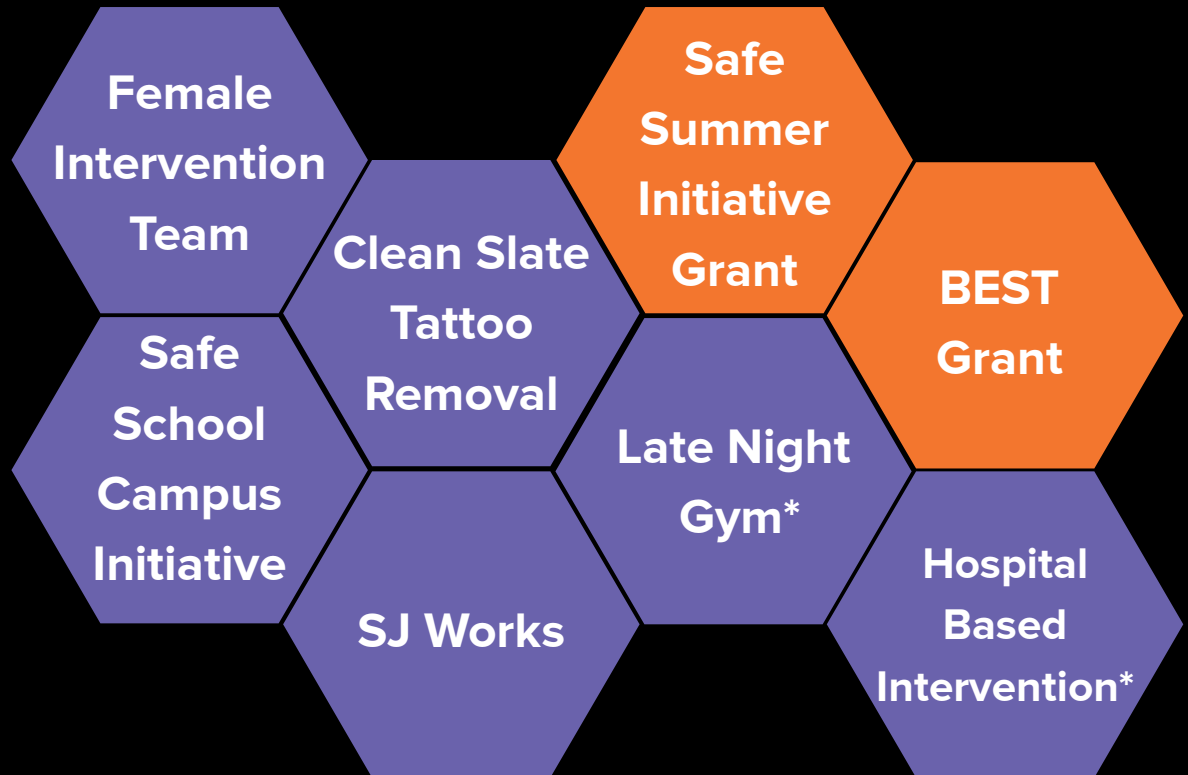
PROGRAMS



Youth Intervention Services (YIS)



Grantmaking Programs



STRATEGIC WORKPLAN REORGANIZATION & EXTENSION

- Alignment of SJYEA Strategic Plan and Children Youth Master Plan (CYSMP)
- Prioritizes resources, objectives, and key results in Priority Neighborhoods
- Goal: “to build healthy, safe, resilient, and prosperous families and asset abundant neighborhoods, while eliminating disparities for youth and families living in Priority Neighborhoods”

Strategic Workplan Extension Objectives & Key Results				
SJYEA Pillars	Prevention	Intervention	Diversion + Reentry	Healing
SJYEA Objectives	<i>Reduce chronic absenteeism in priority schools</i>	<i>Increase engagement & trust among community, schools, and law enforcement</i>	<i>Increase job placement</i>	<i>Increase access to neighborhood resources & assets</i>
CYSMP <u>Priority Areas</u>	Learning & Empowerment	Safe, Clean, and Connected Communities	Meaningful Sustaining Jobs	Systems Transformation: City of San José System of Care

KEY RESULTS & BASELINE MEASURES

PREVENTION

Objective	Key Results	2023-2024 Baseline Data
<i>Reduce chronic absenteeism in priority schools</i>	Number of priority schools served	Highest absenteeism rates for the top three high schools and their feeder schools range from 38% to 24%
	Number of students supported	
	Number of staff and services supporting attendance	

KEY RESULTS & BASELINE MEASURES

INTERVENTION

Objective	Key Results	2023-2024 Baseline Data
<i>Increase engagement and trust among community, schools, and law enforcement</i>	Reduced % of level 1 incident responses proportional to all reported Safe School Campus Initiative responses	41% level 1
		24% level 2
		35% level 3
	Number of participants enrolled in harm reduction harm repair diversion pilot	Program is projected to serve 20 youth
	Decreased number of incidents of youth violence, injuries & deaths	1,758 incidents of youth violence
		536 Injuries
		7 deaths

KEY RESULTS & BASELINE MEASURES

DIVERSION + REENTRY

Objective	Key Results	2023-2024 Baseline Data
<i>Increase job placement</i>	Decreased youth arrests and recidivism rates	2,303 (duplicated) youth arrests and citations in 2024 Recidivism rate will be available in Fall 2025
	Increased number of participants in career & readiness programs	2,431 participants in career & readiness programs
	Increased percentage of County Reentry clients exiting as employed	38.1% of clients employed at exit of reentry program compared to 7.5 % at time of entry in 2024

KEY RESULTS & BASELINE MEASURES

HEALING

Objective	Key Results	2023-2024 Baseline Data
<i>Increase access to neighborhood resources & assets</i>	Improved perceptions of neighborhood safety by Council District	Council District 7 score – 2.60
		Council District 5 score – 2.63
		Council District 3 score – 2.67
	Increased Asset abundance scores for key Priority Neighborhoods	Valley Palms/SJ Apartments -99% Social Vulnerability Score -Higher risk neighborhood profile scores
		Plata Arroyo -97% Social Vulnerability Score -Higher risk neighborhood profile scores
		Seven Trees -91% Social Vulnerability Score -Higher risk neighborhood profile scores
		Roundtable/Great Oaks -82% Social Vulnerability -Higher risk neighborhood profile scores

Slide 8

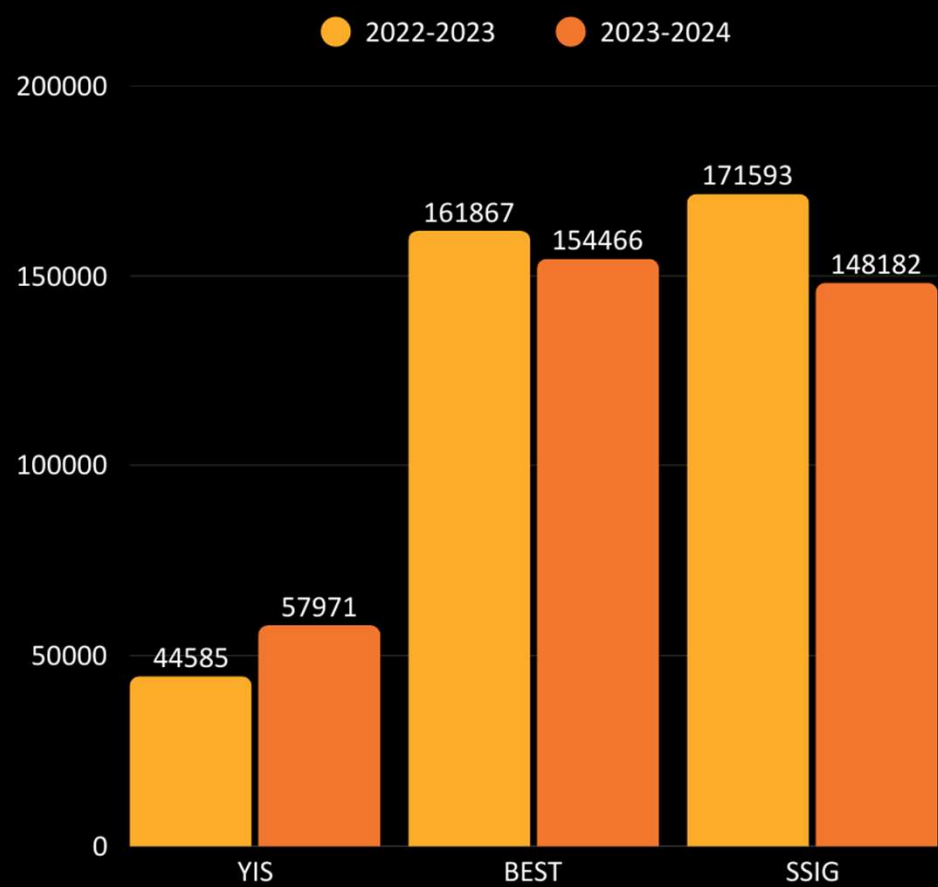
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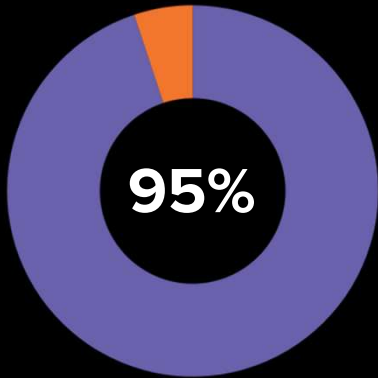
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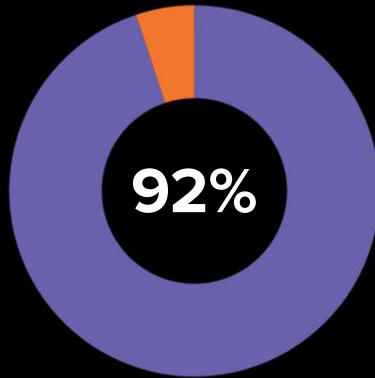
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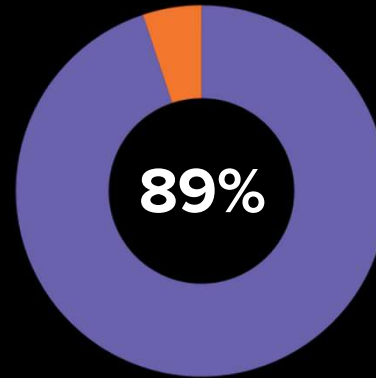
PROGRAM OUTCOMES



95% of School Administrators rated SSCI overall efforts as good or excellent at keeping schools safe



92% of Youth felt safe in BEST Grant funded programs



89% of youth felt SSIG was a safe program

89%+

YOUTH FELT SAFE

COLLABORATION & DATA-DRIVEN ENHANCEMENTS



TECHNICAL MEETING FORMAT

MOU application process,
& breakout session format



DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Data tracking,
management and analysis



BEST GRANTEE DASHBOARD

Place-based Intervention
Data Dashboard



CLIMATE DATA INDEX

Integration of data from
SJPD, BSJ Graffiti & SSCI

LOOKING FORWARD

2026-2029 BEST Request for Qualification

- Releasing January 2026
- Refreshed Eligible Service Provider list

SJYEA Program Evaluation

- Evaluate programs in alignment with SWP objectives and timeline
- Assess program effectiveness to improve service delivery





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"We are creating memories that we will treasure for a lifetime. I would like to say this program has brought people closer."

-BEST Participant

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