

Expelled
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Risk
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EXPELLED AND AT-RISK STUDENT SERVICES (EARSS) PROGRAM

The “Services to Expelled Students” grant program was enacted by the Colorado state legislature in 1997. It was amended in 2000 to add services for students at-risk of expulsion and renamed as “Expelled and At-Risk Student Services.” Funds can also support increasing school attendance for students at-risk of being declared habitually truant.

Funds are annually appropriated to the Colorado Department of Education for the purpose of making grants to school districts, alternative schools within school districts, charter schools, BOCES, non-profit, non-parochial schools, and facility schools. Grants are awarded on a competitive basis for a 4-year award period.

The primary purpose of the grant is to prevent future expulsions and habitual truancy. Truancy is defined by unexcused absences. Because non-attendance and disciplinary actions in response to misconduct are risk factors for dropping out of school, the EARSS program contributes to dropout prevention efforts by concentrating on early intervention strategies, student engagement strategies and supportive services to reduce these risk factors.

Grantees are required to set performance measures and report progress on their measures in the following four areas: parent/family engagement, academics, attendance, school discipline/safety or social-emotional wellness.

To support sustainability efforts, the grant is structured with a scale-down of funds in the third and fourth year of the grant. Funds are reduced by 25 percent and 50 percent in years three and four, respectively, from whichever is the highest funded amount in years 1 or 2.

The state appropriation for FY17 matches the same level as FY16 at \$7,493,560. For the 2016-17 school year, 9 new grants were awarded and 28 continuation awards were made to grantees moving into years 2-4 for a total of 37 grantees.

Additional information can be found at the EARSS homepage:

http://www.cde.state.co.us/DropoutPrevention/p_EARSS.htm

BOARDS OF COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

BOCES: Pikes Peak**Year of 4-year grant: 4****Contact: Christine Barela****Phone: 719-622-6837****FY17 Award Amount: \$78,998****Address:****2883 S. Circle Drive****Colorado Springs, CO 80906****Program Name: Tiered Intervention Program for High-Risk Youth**

Program Description: Eight Pikes Peak BOCES School Districts have joined forces to create expanded options for their high risk students. The Tiered Intervention Program for High-Risk Youth will utilize home district, neighboring district, and Gorman Center services to deliver academic and behavioral interventions. Methods include online, classroom, video conferencing, and tele-behavioral health to increase high school completion. Parents will respond to weekly progress reports and have access to 24/7 behavioral crisis support.

BOCES: Santa Fe Trail BOCES**Year of 4-year grant: 2****Contact: Sandy Malouff****Phone: 719-383-2623****FY17 Award Amount: \$125,000****Address:****302 Colorado Avenue****La Junta, CO 81050****Program Name: SFTBOCES Alternative Education Academy**

Program Description: Santa Fe Trail BOCES Alternative Education Academy (AEA) will provide a high engagement environment by offering a blended learning environment to up to 60 students in grades 7-12 who are at-risk for expulsion, suspension, truancy and therefore, dropping out of school. The SFTBOCES AEA will provide students with online courses, flexible scheduling, field experiences, vocational opportunities, project-based learning, community service-learning opportunities and counseling services. There will be a focus on attendance, targeted instruction, positive behavior components, vocational and career skill development, and increased parental engagement.

BOCES: San Luis Valley BOCES**Year of 4-year grant: 1****Contact: Luron Singer****Phone: 719-587-6862****FY17 Award Amount: \$249,794****Address:****2261 Enterprise Dr****Alamosa, CO 81101****Program Name: EARSS Program**

Program Description: The San Luis Valley BOCES will serve 100 at-risk students in grades K-8 in the following SLV BOCES districts: Sangre de Cristo, Sierra Grande, Sargent, Moffat, and South Conejos. Funding will provide comprehensive social and emotional learning support, services to increase parent engagement, and crucial resources to reengage and support at-risk students demonstrating early warning signs for dropping-out of school.

BOCES: South Central BOCES**Year of 4-year grant: 2****Contact: Dr. Henry Roman****Phone: 719-647-0023 x138****FY17 Award Amount: \$301,164****Address:****323 South Purcell Boulevard****Pueblo West, CO 81007**

Program Name: Dropout Prevention Program

Program Description: The proposed Dropout Prevention Program will provide comprehensive social-emotional learning (SEL) support, promote increased parent engagement, and work to reengage and support EARSS-eligible students. Funding will support 135 students in grades 6-12, beginning in Fall 2015, at the following South Central Board of Cooperative Educational Services (SC BOCES) member districts: Huerfano, Aguilar, La Veta, Hoehne, Trinidad, Primero, Branson, Cotopaxi and Custer County.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

Charter Authorizer/Fiscal Agent: Douglas County School District

Year of 4-year grant: 3

Contact: Susan McAlonan

Phone: 720-402-3000

Counties Served: Metro Denver

FY17 Award Amount: \$91,500

Address:

373 Inverness Parkway Suite 205
Englewood, CO 80112

School Name: HOPE Online Learning Academy Co-Op

Program Description: HOPE Project Restore

The EARSS grant is intended to increase academic success and the ability for students to follow the code of conduct by increasing access to mental health support, provide assistance to those families who are typically underserved to access mental health services, provide social/emotional curriculum instruction to middle school students once a week to mitigate lack of impulse control, bullying and expand their ability to think critically and plan, and provide behavioral support in the classroom with home connections for students struggling with mental health and behavior issues.

Charter Authorizer/Fiscal Manager: Harrison School District

Year of 4-year grant: 4

Contact: Demetria Greenwood

Phone: 719-358-7196

County: El Paso

FY17 Award Amount: \$69,690

Address:

1602 S. Murray Boulevard
Colorado Springs, CO 80916

School Name: Atlas Preparatory School

Program Description: Atlas Preparatory School will expand and enhance direct intervention supports and services to significantly decrease suspension, habitual truancy, and expulsion rates at the middle and high school levels. Research-based, multi-tiered interventions such as in-school suspension, counseling services, and restorative family workshops will identify students at high risk of expulsion (including a focus on two sub-groups exhibiting disproportionately higher rates) before they reach crisis level. An estimated 1,164 students in grades 5-12 will be served over the grant period.

Charter Authorizer/Fiscal Agent: Montezuma-Cortez School District Re-1

Year of 4-year grant: 3

Contact: Tyson Wood

Phone: 970-565-1150

County of School: Montezuma

FY17 Award Amount: \$186,600

Address:

401 N Dolores Rd PO Box DD
Cortez, CO 81321

School Name: Southwest Open School

Program Description: Project Engage will provide support for 125 students at Southwest Open School by

improving and differentiating curriculum and instructional strategies to support engagement and learning readiness by expanding the school's character education program, by pairing identified students with highly trained and caring advisors/mentors/advocates that systematically provide research-based behavioral and emotional interventions to buoy student success in the areas of attendance and learning readiness, while at the same time engaging the student's families to bolster support.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

District: Academy School District 20

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: Dr. Jim Smith and Becky Allen

Phone: 719-234-1213

County: El Paso

FY17 Award Amount: \$294,000

Address:

110 Chapel Hills Drive

Colorado Springs, CO 80920

School Name: Academy School District 20

Program Description: An analysis of all D20 secondary students, identified 241 students as significantly at-risk. The EARSS Grant will provide the necessary funds to support these students and their families, through the implementation of Student Advocates For Engagement (SAFE), at targeted secondary strands. SAFE counselors will identify the significantly at-risk students in their strand and provide support through facilitating groups, individualized goal setting, social-emotional learning, parent outreach, connecting community resources with families and monitoring social, emotional, and academic growth of identified students.

District: Adams County School District 14

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: Ruben Chacon/Susan Cardasis

Phone: 720-839-2300/303-853-7948

County: Adams

FY17 Award Amount: \$237,880

Address:

5291 E 60th Avenue

Commerce City, CO 80022

School Name:

Program Description: Adams 14 has identified three significant predictors of dropout: (1) low school attendance, (2) failing core courses, (3) behavior issues. Previous studies (Balfanz) have identified these same characteristics as early warning signs. Adams 14 plans to provide interventions focused on mentoring, developing coping and social skills and relationship building. The goal is to help students succeed even in the most challenging environments. Adams 14 will strategically target 200 EARSS-eligible students while building intervention frameworks to be implemented throughout the district.

District: Boulder Valley School District Re-2

Year of 4-year grant: 3

Contact: Michele DeBerry

Phone: 720-542-5298

County: Boulder, Broomfield

FY17 Award Amount: \$221,789

Address:

6500 Arapahoe Rd

Boulder, CO 80303

Program Name: Boulder At-Risk Student Services (BARSS)

Program Description: The Boulder At-Risk Student Services (BARSS) will provide intensive intervention and wraparound services to the district's highest risk students, serving all 58 schools. The project will target

children/youth from preschool through 12th grade who demonstrate multiple risk factors in addition to current truancy and/or delinquency. Services will include: comprehensive needs assessment, counseling, restorative justice for in-school and out-of-school delinquency/infractions, meaningful and specific parent engagement, mental health services, academic/college/career/attendance/behavioral plans, rigorous and extended monitoring, and supports to access other school, district and community resources to help the child and family.

District: Buena Vista School District

Year of 4-year grant: 1

Contact: John Emilsson

Phone: 719-395-7061

County: Chaffee

FY17 Award Amount: \$25,000

Address:

PO Box 2027

Buena Vista, CO 81211

Program Name: McGinnis MS and Buena Vista HS

Program Description: Buena Vista School District will implement Affective Needs Program for the secondary schools: McGinnis Middle School and Buena Vista High School, grades 6-12. It will serve students labeled with a Significant Emotional Disability (SED). The program is based on a level system to avoid suspension for students with disabilities and will teach strategies and replacement behaviors for SED students to be more successful in their general education classes including social skills.

District: Canon City School District

Year of 4-year grant: 1

Contact: George Welsh

Phone: 719-276-5700

County: Fremont

FY17 Award Amount: \$104,158

Address:

101 N. 14th Street

Canon City, CO 81212

Program Name: Canon City High School

Program Description: Data Analysis shows Canon City School District has a disproportionately high percentage of low income students failing core courses, getting suspended out of school, and too many students are habitually truant. This grant will provide academic supports to 400 students (100 each grades 9-12) in year 1 in the form of academic tutoring, an alternative to suspension program, and truancy abatement efforts.

District: Centennial School District R-1

Year of 4-year grant: 1

Contact: Brian Crowther

Phone: 719-672-3322

County: Costilla

FY17 Award Amount: \$182,437

Address:

PO Box 350

San Luis, CO 81152

Program Name: EARSS Program

Program Description: In an effort to reduce the number of expulsions, suspensions, and students who are habitually truant, Centennial School District in San Luis, CO, will provide programs that offer truancy and behavioral mediation, counseling, academic support and tutoring, in-home family counseling and parenting classes, and social-skills development. Parent engagement will also be promoted to support these efforts through parent mentoring, education, and events.

District: Center Consolidated Schools

Year of 4-year grant: 4

Contact: Katrina Ruggles

Phone: 719-754-2232

County: Saguache

FY17 Award Amount: \$112,290

Address:

550 S. Sylvester

Center, CO 81125

Program Name: Center Consolidated Schools

Program Description: In an effort to reduce the number of suspensions, expulsions, and students who drop out

from Center Consolidated Schools, the Response to Intervention (RTI) will provide wrap-around services to increase academic performance, student engagement, and attendance, and to reduce behavioral referrals through academic support and tutoring, counseling, social-skills development, and mentoring to 88 at-risk students in grades 6-12. To support these efforts, parent engagement will be promoted through parent education events and mentoring.

District: Cherry Creek School District 5

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: Mark Morgan

Phone: 720-886-7203

County: Arapahoe

FY17 Award Amount: \$384,626

Address:

**14076 East Briarwood Avenue
Centennial, CO 80112**

Program Name: Endeavor Academy

Program Description: Cherry Creek School District will implement a multi-tiered approach to reduce truancy rates for students at Endeavor Academy (EA) as well as increase credit recovery for students who are at-risk or expelled district-wide. By 2019, 1,732 at-risk students will improve their attendance and academic outcomes. This will be obtained through expansion of truancy interventions, alternative education, substance abuse and social-emotional in-school suspension supports, community partnerships, truancy, and Wrap-around case management, Service Learning, Experiential Education and Restorative Justice.

District: Cripple Creek-Victor RE-1

Year of 4-year grant: 1

Contact: Kari-Lynn Wilson

Phone: 719-246-4200

County: Teller

FY17 Award Amount: \$151,200

Address:

**PO Box 897
Cripple Creek, CO 80813**

Program Name: Mountain Alternative Education

Program Description: The Cripple Creek-Victor Mountain Alternative Education program provides a personalized and comprehensive learning model to re-engage 72 sixth through 12th grade students. The education curriculum supports “competency-based” learning through computer-based and direct instruction. Strategic efforts focus on hands-on science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics learning experiences in a laboratory environment; tutoring; internships; college level classes; career/technical courses and mandated social skills education. Four measurable program objectives support improvement in parent capacity, academic achievement, student attendance and social-emotional functioning.

District: Durango School District 9R

Year of 4-year grant: 4

Contact: Jacqueline Oros

Phone: 970-247-5411 x1100

County: La Plata

FY17 Award Amount: \$107,466

Address:

**201 E. 12th Street
Durango, CO 81301**

Program Name: Durango/Bayfield Youth & Family Services

Program Description: Durango School District 9-R, in partnership with Bayfield School District 10 jt-R and other agencies, seeks to create 4 new programs that will include: 1) a School Multidisciplinary Assessment Review Team (SMART); 2) the establishment of an Alternative Learning Center for students that are unwilling or unable to return to a traditional classroom; 3) the expansion of the Check and Connect Program to eight additional schools; and 4) the provision of expanded assessment, evaluation and intervention services to underserved students.

District: Greeley Evans School District 6

Year of 4-year grant: 4

County: Weld

FY17 Award Amount: \$134,164

Contact: Rhonda Haniford
Phone: 970-348-6303

Address:
1025 9th Avenue
Greeley, CO 80631

Program Name: Greeley Evans School District 6

Program Description: Greeley-Evans School District 6 will support 120 freshmen, at 3 local high schools, who are habitually absent, continually receiving disciplinary action, and at risk of being expelled, in an intensive four-year truancy reduction program. Goals recommended by the OMNI Institute through an intensive needs assessment analysis will be included in this proposal: increasing student support systems; and developing consistent system-level protocols and practices among school administrators.

District: Gunnison Watershed School District

Year of 4-year grant: 1

Contact: Robert Speer

Phone: 970-641-7750

County: Gunnison

FY17 Award Amount: \$50,000

Address:

800 North Boulevard Street
Gunnison, CO 81224

Program Name: EARSS High Fidelity Wraparound

Program Description: Gunnison Watershed School District will provide direct intervention supports and services through High Fidelity Wraparound and behavioral interventions to the district's highest risk students. Intensive, individualized planning and management will target 15-20 children/youth from preschool through 12th grade who demonstrate multiple risk factors in addition to current truancy and/or delinquency. This tertiary support intends to improve overall outcomes in the areas of youth behavior and functioning, family support/resources and maintenance in our school setting.

District: Jefferson County Public School District

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: Dave Kollar

Phone: 303-982-6794

County: Jefferson

FY17 Award Amount: \$204,994

Address:

1829 Denver West Drive #27
Golden, CO 80401

Program Name: Office of Student Engagement

Program Description: The Jefferson County Public Schools Expelled and At-Risk Intervention Program will provide intervention support and case management to youth in Jeffco Schools identified with data driven at-risk indicators as well as students who, throughout the course of the project display substance abuse related behaviors. The goal is to prevent repeat behavior (suspension/expulsion) and improve the attendance and academic standing of these youth.

District: Mancos School District

Year of 4-year grant: 4

Contact: Brian Hanson

Phone: 970-533-7748

County: Montezuma

FY17 Award Amount: \$30,339

Address:

395 W. Grand Avenue
Greeley, CO 80631

Program or School Name: Mancos Middle and High School

Program Description: The Mancos School District EARSS Grant is two fold; half will focus on evidence based therapeutic interventions and the second half will be a math focused mentoring program. The therapeutic interventions funded through this grant will provide trauma assessments, therapeutic interventions, parent support groups and trauma awareness training for school staff. Through the introduction of a Math Mentor, we will be able to provide 1-1 targeted interventions which can be tailored to each students needs. Using these two tactics, we expect to see significant improvements in grades and a decrease in suspensions and expulsions.

District: Monte Vista School District (Monte Vista C-8)
Year of 4-year grant: 3
Contact: Robert Webb
Phone: 719-852-5996

County: Rio Grande
FY17 Award Amount: \$124,629
Address:
345 East Prospect Ave
Monte Vista, CO 81144

Program Name: Monte Vista School District-Truancy Mediation/Restorative Discipline

Program Description: The Monte Vista School District will employ a comprehensive approach to truancy and behavior concerns through a focus on restorative discipline and academic credit recovery. Truancy Mediation and Behavior Mediation will be key restorative discipline interventions and will help identify academic and other supports that students need in order to succeed. Efforts will also be focused on gathering more complete data to better measure their success.

District: Montezuma-Cortez School District RE-1
Year of 4-year grant: 3
Contact: Tyson Wood
Phone: 970-565-1150

County: Montezuma
FY17 Award Amount: \$224,574
Address:
PO Drawer R
Cortez, CO 81321

Program Name: Montezuma Student Support Program

Program Description: The Montezuma Student Support Program (MSSP) will build a comprehensive student support system within Montezuma-Cortez High School and Cortez Middle School, within the ABC's of drop-out/expulsion/truancy risk factor indicators; Attendance, Behavior and Credits. The purpose of MSSP is to institutionalize a system and culture that provides educational and supportive services to expelled students, students at-risk for expulsion, and students who are habitually truant.

District: Montrose Co. School District RE-1J
Year of 4-year grant: 1
Contact: Kirk Henwood
Phone: 970-252-7905

County: Montrose
FY17 Award Amount: \$167,100
Address:
PO Box 10000
Montrose, CO 81402

Program Name: Attendance Advocates

Program Description: This plan supports 424 Montrose County Schools' students at high risk for chronic truancy, absenteeism, or expulsion in grades 1-12 via Attendance Advocates who facilitate improved student engagement through targeted case management using school based SET Teams. Case management includes students and families, coordinating services collaboratively throughout the community using the 1451/CMP coalition to address needs, and using Restorative Justice practices for discipline support to increase student accountability for truancy, absenteeism and behavior.

District: Mountain Valley School District RE-1
Year of 4-year grant: 2
Contact: Megan Strauss
Phone: 719-655-2578

County: Saguache
FY17 Award Amount: \$123,600
Address:
403 Pitkin Ave
Saguache, CO 81149

Program Name: Mountain Valley School District RE-1

Program Description: Mountain Valley School District RE-1 will be the acting fiscal agent for Mountain Valley and Moffat Consolidated School District 2. The acting fiscal agent would provide direct intervention supports to 75 EARSS-eligible students at these schools. The program would include services for eligible students in the form of AmeriCorps volunteers as mentors, tutoring, credit recovery, GED, leadership activities and counseling. The schools would work with families of EARSS students to meet their specific needs to

graduate and reduce truancy.

District: Peyton School District 23 JT
Year of 4-year grant: 4
Contact: Charine Chase
Phone: 719-749-0417 x517

County: El Paso
FY17 Award Amount: \$82,046
Address:
13885 Bradshaw Road
Peyton, CO 80831

Program Name: Peyton Junior/Senior High School

Program Description: Peyton Junior/ Senior High School will create the OPS program (Opportunities for Peyton Students) during school hours to meet academic and behavioral support needs of 75 students in grades 7-12 identified as at risk for possible suspensions and/ or expulsion. We will use positive behavior programs, academic interventions, targeted instruction, a focus on attendance, and increased parental involvement to help at-risk students be successful in their classes and avoid future suspensions and/or expulsion. Parent involvement programs will occur mainly after school hours.

District: Poudre School District
Year of 4-year grant: 4
Contact: Troy Krotz
Phone: 970-490-3295

County: Larimer
FY17 Award Amount: \$74,143
Address:
2540 Laporte Avenue
Fort Collins, CO 80521

Program Name: Poudre School District

Program Description: Poudre School District faces an ever-growing problem of chronic absenteeism leading to habitual truancy and the many negative consequences of students missing school. This program will address 600 of the most at-risk students in four years with attendance monitoring, family programs, individual interventions, and coaching towards graduation, allowing PSD to meet CDE's goal of assisting habitual truants to remain in school.

District: School District 27J
Year of 4-year grant: 3
Contact: Kevin West
Phone: 303-655-2816

County: Adams
FY17 Award Amount: \$254,722
Address:
18551 E 160th Ave
Brighton, CO 80601

Program Name: 27J Intervention Services Program

Program Description: Brighton School District 27J seeks funding to add services designed to improve school attendance, academic achievement, social/emotional functioning and parent capacity. The proposed services include: expand educational programming for expelled services; students at-risk of expulsion or suspension and habitually truant students; alternative to suspension classes; individual and family therapy; intensive mental health services; service learning and restorative justice; individual case mentoring; social/emotional curriculum; and parenting classes. These services are expected to reach 226 students grades K-12 each year.

District: St. Vrain Valley School District Re-1J
Year of 4-year grant: 4
Contact: Bryon Krause
Phone: 303-702-7805 x 57859

County: Boulder & Weld
FY17 Award Amount: \$261,293
Address:
830 S. Lincoln Street
Longmont, CO 80501

Program Name: Multi-School EARSS Initiative

Program Description: Students from 3 high schools and 3 feeder middle schools, grades 7-10, identified with chronic absenteeism, excessive suspensions, and not on track to graduate will be provided with expanded services. Approximately 500 students will participate in learning labs, career and acculturation curriculum, and

be provided case management to coordinate services and support. Parents of identified students will participate in educational workshops and inter-disciplinary coordination of services. Prioritization of services will focus on the disproportionate representation of Hispanic students.

District: Thompson School District
Year of 4-year grant: 4
Contact: Raquel Macias
Phone: 970-613-6871

County: Larimer
FY17 Award Amount: \$122,323
Address:
800 S. Taft Avenue
Loveland, CO 80537

Program Name: EARSS grant for secondary students

Program Description: Hispanic males in the Thompson School District are a disproportionately represented subpopulation of the district's 16,000 students. Many are disengaged with a significant number demonstrating multiple at-risk behaviors with discipline referrals, habitual trancies, poor grades and ultimately lower graduation rates. Thompson is proactively approaching the issues with structures through staff, community and family to enable them to embrace their own learning success as effective and engaged students. Thompson School District, in partnership with other community organizations, seeks to strengthen and create programs that will include: 1) Mentorship programs (TSD-Check and Connect Mentorship and CSU-Campus Corps) 2) Expanded Academic Achievement Support related to failing grades (Afterschool Credit Recovery Support, 8 Keys to Success, Why Try Curriculum and (3) Expanded Behavioral Intervention Support (Life Skills, Restorative Practices, PBIS, Student Effectiveness Camps).

District: Westminster Public Schools
Year of 4-year grant: 3
Contact: Anthony Streno
Phone: 720-542-5298

County: Adams
FY17 Award Amount: \$328,994
Address:
7200 Lowell Blvd
Westminster, CO 80030

Program Name: Adams 50 CARES

Program Description: Adams 50 CARES (Creating A Responsible and Engaged Student) will reach 800 at-risk and suspended/expelled/truant students at the elementary and middle school level. The program will provide parent support, academic support, behavioral plans/monitoring, mentoring, wellness services, and reintegration of expelled students in the school setting. The intervention will reduce truancy and suspension rates, improve academic performance, and improve parent capacity to support their children. Adams 50 CARES will also establish a district-wide restorative justice approach that will restructure school culture.

FACILITY SCHOOLS

Facility: Alternative Homes for Youth
Year of 4-year grant: 2
Contact: Shayna Miller
Phone: 303-881-1247

County: Weld
FY17 Award Amount: \$22,345
Address:
1110 M Street
Greeley, CO 80631

Program Name: Alternative Homes for Youth

Program Description: AHFY serves on average 30 at-risk students annually in grades 8 through 12 referred to

us for mental health treatment. The educational programs are focused on key elements to improve our students' educational participation and achievement. They involve efforts to improve (1) family engagement through expanded activities, (2) improved academic achievement through on-line core course work, life skills training and a new horticultural curriculum, and (3) improved assessment of individual student needs.

Facility: Converge Day Treatment Center

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: Monica Buettel

Phone: 970-867-0998

County: Morgan

FY17 Award Amount: \$30,000

Address:

400 State Street

Fort Morgan, CO 80701

Program Name: Converge Day Treatment Center

Program Description: Converge Day Treatment Center provides full-day instruction and wraparound therapeutic interventions for ten to fifteen students in grades kindergarten through sixth grade in rural Northeastern Colorado. Therapeutic services include individual therapy, family therapy, and a variety of different group therapies, including cognitive-behavioral therapy, social skills training, art therapy, and music therapy. Students also participate in daily community-based activities, including swimming, bowling, and therapeutic horseback riding. We aim to strengthen family relationships and increase students' social-emotional competence.

Facility: Griffith Center for Children, Inc.

Year of 4-year grant: 1

Contact: Jamie Sachtjen

Phone: 719-327-2031

County: El Paso

FY17 Award Amount: \$274,714

Address:

10 N Farragut Ave

Colorado Springs, CO 80909

Program Name: EARSS Program

Program Description: Community-based support, intensive, individualized case management, innovative programs and research-based curriculum will be utilized to increase student engagement and behavior, encourage parental involvement and improve social and emotional functioning of 110 students in grades K-12 from 12 Colorado School Districts along the front range.

Facility: Jefferson Hills

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: David Molineux

Phone: 303-996-3882

County: Adams; Arapahoe

FY17 Award Amount: \$256,700

Address:

421 Zang Street

Lakewood, CO 80228

Program Name: Jefferson Hills Aurora

Program Description: Jefferson Hills Aurora provides services to 170 students each year grades 6-12. Students enrolled in this program will benefit from research based education and treatment services; a transition coordinator and transition planning, access to credit recovery courseware, and strategies to increase parent engagement. These services will improve student's academic and social achievements within their community.

Facility: Midway Youth Services

Year of 4-year grant: 2

Contact: Erin Spies

Phone: 970-484-7447

County: Larimer

FY17 Award Amount: \$90,775

Address:

729 Remington St

Fort Collins, CO 80524

Program Name: Remington House School

Program Description: Remington House School aims to serve students who are at high risk for expulsion and suspension by providing enhanced programming. We hope to serve 45 youth the first year, grades 6-12. If

awarded our W.I.N.S. (What I Need to Succeed) program will focus on the following areas: Improving academic growth/engagement; increasing family support; increasing student attendance and participation; increasing vocational capabilities; and improving transitional services for youth and families.

Facility: Shiloh House
Year of 4-year grant: 1
Contact: Kevin Tracy
Phone: 303-932-9599

County: Adams, Boulder, Denver
FY17 Award Amount: \$232,108
Address:
6588 W Ottawa Ave
Littleton, CO 80128

Program Name: Shiloh Academy

Program Description: Shiloh House operates Shiloh Academy comprised of five licensed facility schools with six school programs, at their five Shiloh House campuses. In addition to the year-round school operating 8am – 3pm, Shiloh will expand after school services and add a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) component. The program will serve approximately 300 students per year, 1st through 12th grade who have been expelled or suspended or are at risk of expulsion or habitual truancy.