

PROJECT NAME: Youth Violence Prevention Program

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TIMELINE: June 2001 to May 2005

CONTENT AREA:

FUNDER: Centers for Disease Control

CLIENT: Jackson County, MO Detention Center

AUDIENCE:

**RESEARCH
METHODOLOGY:**

OVERVIEW:

This four year research program examined the effects of parenting training on inmates in the Jackson County Detention Center. Six- and twelve-month follow-up interviews included a process of tracking the recidivism of inmates and gathering input from children of the inmates and their caregivers. An evaluation component examined the effectiveness of training in promoting positive parenting and preventing child abuse.

LINKS: