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Subject: Fourth Quarter 2006 Stevenson House Status Report

On December 31, 2006, the Stevenson House was at 71 percent of capacity with a population of 39 and a rated capacity of 55 beds.

Admissions: There were 115 admissions to the Stevenson House during the fourth quarter of 2006.

Admission demographics: Of the 115 admissions, 26 were females and 89 were males. During the fourth quarter one Asian American, 61 African Americans, and 53 whites were admitted to the Stevenson House.

Leading charges at admission: The most frequent leading charges at admission for the fourth quarter were violation of probation, 16; robbery in the first degree, 9; and failure to appear in court, 8. 42 youth, or 37 percent, were admitted to the Stevenson House for violent felonies.

Length of stay: On December 31, there were 39 youth at the Stevenson House with an average length of stay (LOS) of 60 days and a maximum LOS of 254 days.

Of the 39 youth, there were 27 Family Court youth with an average LOS of 37 days and 12 Superior Court youth with an average LOS of 109 days.

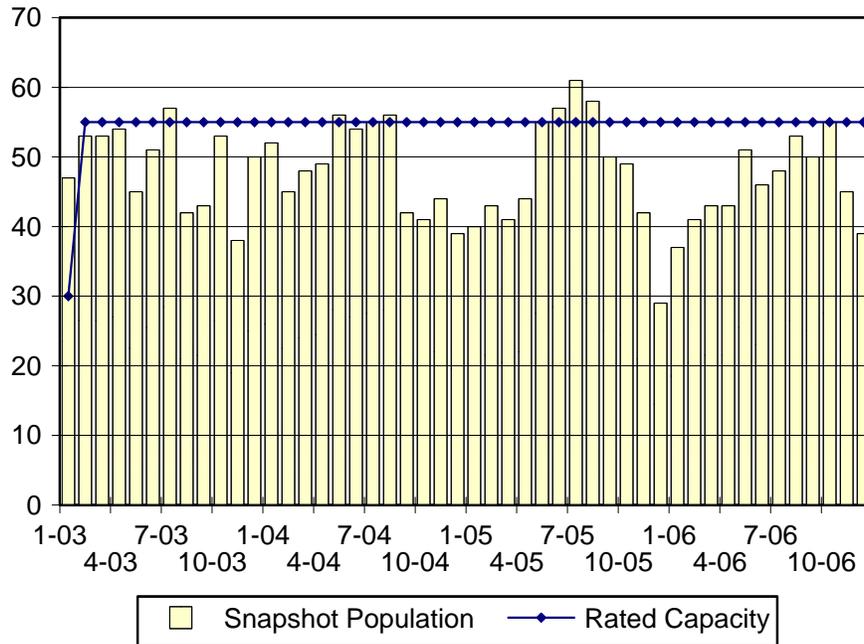
Snapshot demographics: Of the 39 youth, five were female and 34 were male while there were 24 African Americans, 14 whites, and one Hispanics.

Youth's status: On December 31, there were 27 detained and 12 adjudicated youth.

Releases: 125 youth were released during the fourth quarter of 2006 with an average LOS of 38 days, and a maximum of 217 days.

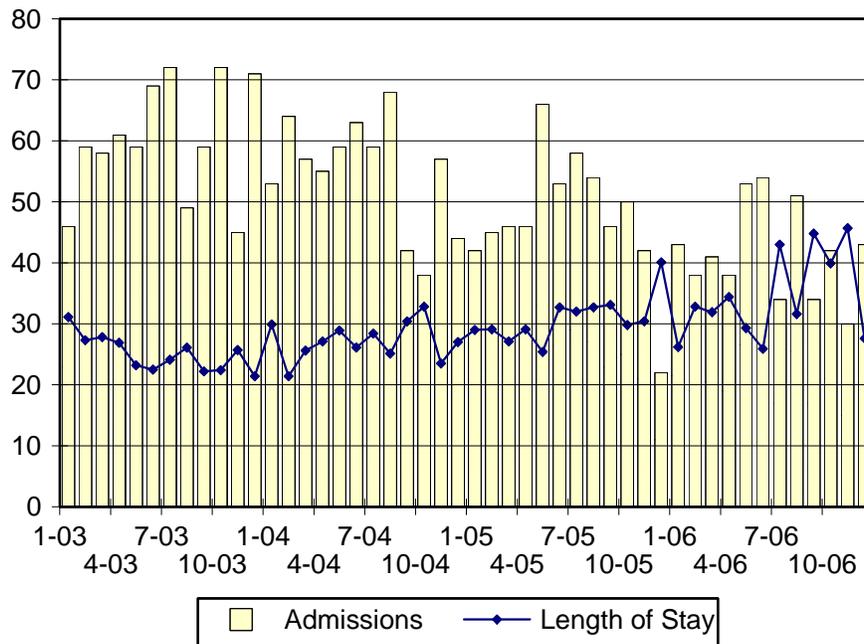


Stevenson House Snapshot Population and Rated Capacity



Snapshot populations are taken at the end of any given month.

Stevenson House Admissions and Time at Stevenson House



Length of Stay: Average length of stay in days at the Stevenson House given monthly admissions and populations.

Admissions, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| Month | Number | Percent |
|----------|--------|---------|
| October | 42 | 37 |
| November | 30 | 26 |
| December | 43 | 37 |
| Total | 115 | 100 |

Admission Demographics, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| Race/ethnicity and age | Gender | | Total | |
|------------------------|--------|------|--------|---------|
| | Female | Male | Number | Percent |
| Asian American | | | | |
| 16 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Subtotal | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| African American | | | | |
| 12 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 13 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| 14 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 7 |
| 15 | 5 | 9 | 14 | 12 |
| 16 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 10 |
| 17 | 2 | 20 | 22 | 19 |
| Subtotal | 13 | 48 | 61 | 53 |
| White | | | | |
| 12 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 14 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| 15 | 3 | 13 | 16 | 14 |
| 16 | 3 | 10 | 13 | 11 |
| 17 | 4 | 14 | 18 | 16 |
| 18 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Subtotal | 13 | 40 | 53 | 46 |
| Total | 26 | 89 | 115 | 100 |

**Admissions Profile for
Fourth Quarter 2006 Stevenson House Admittees.**

| Admissions | Youth | | | Admissions | | |
|---------------------|--------|---------|--------|------------|---------|--------|
| | Number | Percent | Cum. % | Number | Percent | Cum. % |
| Total | 115 | 100% | 100% | 403 | 100% | 100% |
| First admission | 53 | 46% | 46% | 53 | 13% | 13% |
| Multiple admissions | 62 | 54% | 54% | 350 | 87% | 87% |
| 2 nd | 15 | 13% | 59% | 30 | 7% | 21% |
| 3 rd | 9 | 8% | 67% | 27 | 7% | 27% |
| 4 th | 7 | 6% | 73% | 28 | 7% | 34% |
| 5 th | 10 | 9% | 82% | 50 | 12% | 47% |
| 6 th | 5 | 4% | 86% | 30 | 7% | 54% |
| 7 th | 2 | 2% | 88% | 14 | 3% | 58% |
| 8 th | 1 | 1% | 89% | 8 | 2% | 60% |
| 9 th | 3 | 3% | 91% | 27 | 7% | 66% |
| 10 th | 4 | 3% | 95% | 40 | 10% | 76% |
| 11 th | 0 | . | 95% | 0 | . | 76% |
| 12 th | 2 | 2% | 97% | 24 | 6% | 82% |
| 13 th | 1 | 1% | 97% | 13 | 3% | 85% |
| 14 th | 0 | . | 97% | 0 | . | 85% |
| 15 th | 1 | 1% | 98% | 15 | 4% | 89% |
| 16 th | 0 | . | 98% | 0 | . | 89% |
| 17 th | 0 | . | 98% | 0 | . | 89% |
| 18 th | 0 | . | 98% | 0 | . | 89% |
| 19 th | 0 | . | 98% | 0 | . | 89% |
| 20 th | 1 | 1% | 99% | 20 | 5% | 94% |
| 21 st | 0 | . | 99% | 0 | . | 94% |
| 22 nd | 0 | . | 99% | 0 | . | 94% |
| 23 rd | 0 | . | 99% | 0 | . | 94% |
| 24 th | 1 | 1% | 100% | 24 | 6% | 100% |

Note: First admission means that, heretofore, a juvenile had never been admitted to Secure Detention, Level III Residential, Level IV, Level V, nor Division of Family Services (DFS) and Child Mental Health (CMH) programs that provide residential services. Included in the count of multiple admissions are those admitted to Secure Detention, Level III Residential, Level IV, Level V, and DFS and CMH programs that provide residential services which are classified by DSCYF as crisis bed; mental health; residential group care; treatment center; residential Interagency Collaborative Team; residential treatment, mental health; and residential treatment, substance abuse.

**Admission Profile by Dispositional
Level for Fourth Quarter 2006 Stevenson House Admittees.**

| Admissions | Number and percent of youth | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|-----|------|-----|-------|-----|---------|-----|
| | Sec. Det. | | L. V | | L. IV | | L. IIIR | |
| | N. | % | N. | % | N. | % | N. | % |
| Total | 115 | 100 | 115 | 100 | 115 | 100 | 115 | 100 |
| No prior admissions | 68 | 59 | 79 | 69 | 81 | 70 | 49 | 43 |
| Multiple admissions | 47 | 41 | 36 | 31 | 34 | 30 | 66 | 57 |
| 2 nd | 22 | 19 | 22 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 24 | 21 |
| 3 rd | 10 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 20 | 17 |
| 4 th | 6 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 9 | 8 |
| 5 th | 3 | 3 | 0 | . | 0 | . | 4 | 3 |
| 6 th | 1 | 1 | 0 | . | 1 | 1 | 6 | 5 |
| 7 th | 3 | 3 | 0 | . | 0 | . | 2 | 2 |
| 8 th | 1 | 1 | 0 | . | 1 | 1 | 0 | . |
| 9 th | 0 | . | 0 | . | 0 | . | 0 | . |
| 10 th | 1 | 1 | 0 | . | 0 | . | 1 | 1 |

Note: Included in the count of multiple admissions are those admitted to Secure Detention (Sec. Det.), Level III Residential (L. IIIR), Level IV, Level V, and Division of Family Services and Child Mental Health programs that provide residential services which are classified by DSCYF as crisis bed; mental health; residential group care; treatment center; residential Interagency Collaborative Team; residential treatment, mental health; and residential treatment, substance abuse.

This table shows that 41 percent of youth admitted to the Stevenson House during the fourth quarter of 2006 had prior admissions to secure detention, 31 percent to Level V, 30 percent to Level IV, and 57 percent to Level IIIR. Twenty-nine of the 68 youth without prior detention admissions had prior admissions to Levels IIIR, IV and/or V.

Leading Charge at Admission, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| <u>Detained felonies and misdemeanors, 10 Del.C. § 1007(a)(2)</u> | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Assault in the second degree | 2 |
| Assault in the second degree, attempted | 1 |
| Assault in the third degree | 1 |
| Burglary in the second degree | 4 |
| Burglary in the third degree | 7 |
| Hate crimes | 1 |
| Maintaining a vehicle for keeping controlled substances | 1 |
| Murder in the first degree, attempted | 1 |
| Murder in the second degree, attempted | 2 |
| Possession of a deadly weapon during the commission of a felony | 2 |
| Possession of a firearm during the commission of a felony | 2 |
| Possession with intent to deliver schedule III, IV, or V narcotics | 1 |
| Possession with intent to deliver narcotics | 3 |
| Possession with intent to deliver non-narcotics | 1 |
| Rape in the fourth degree | 1 |
| Rape in the second degree | 2 |
| Receiving stolen property, felony | 1 |
| Reckless endangering in the first degree | 1 |
| Robbery in the first degree | 9 |
| Robbery in the second degree | 3 |
| Theft, felony | 1 |
| Theft, felony, attempted | 1 |
| Unlawful sexual contact in the second degree | 1 |
| Subtotal | 49 |
| <u>Failure to appear, 10 Del.C. § 1007(a)(3)</u> | |
| Failure to appear in court | 8 |
| Subtotal | 8 |

Leading Charge at Admission, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| <u>Detained admissions not pursuant to 10 Del.C. § 1007</u> | |
| Criminal mischief, unclassified misdemeanor | 1 |
| Driving under the influence | 1 |
| Driving without a license | 1 |
| Escape in the third degree | 1 |
| Offensive touching | 3 |
| Possession of drug paraphernalia | 1 |
| Possession or use of a non-narcotic | 1 |
| Reckless endangering in the second degree | 1 |
| Resisting arrest | 3 |
| Shoplifting, misdemeanor | 2 |
| Terroristic threatening, misdemeanor | 1 |
| Theft, misdemeanor | 3 |
| <u>Subtotal</u> | <u>19</u> |
| <u>Administrative violations and holds</u> | |
| Administrative hold | 5 |
| Administrative hold, Aftercare revocation | 1 |
| Administrative hold, internal transfer | 1 |
| <u>Subtotal</u> | <u>7</u> |
| <u>Violation of probation pursuant to 11 Del.C. § 4334</u> | |
| Violation of probation | 6 |
| <u>Subtotal</u> | <u>6</u> |

Leading Charge at Admission, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| <u>Sentenced admissions pursuant to an adjudication</u> | |
|---------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Criminal contempt | 1 |
| Criminal trespassing in the second degree | 1 |
| Drug Court violation | 2 |
| Indecent exposure in the second degree | 1 |
| Internal transfer | 1 |
| Menacing, aggravated | 1 |
| Possession or use of a non-narcotic | 1 |
| Possession with intent to deliver narcotics | 1 |
| Possession with intent to deliver non-narcotics | 1 |
| Robbery in the second degree | 1 |
| Terroristic threatening, misdemeanor | 1 |
| Theft, felony | 1 |
| Theft, misdemeanor | 1 |
| Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle | 1 |
| Unlawful sexual contact in the second degree | 1 |
| Violation of probation | 10 |
| Subtotal | 26 |
| Total | 115 |

Crime Category at Admission, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| <u>Category</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
|------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Violent felony | 42 | 37 |
| Violent misdemeanor | 4 | 3 |
| Non-violent felony | 12 | 10 |
| Non-violent misdemeanor | 29 | 25 |
| Traffic misdemeanor | 2 | 2 |
| Drug Court violation | 2 | 2 |
| Probation violation | 16 | 14 |
| Administrative hold/Aftercare revocation | 8 | 7 |
| Total | 115 | 100 |

While 16 youth were admitted solely for a violation of probation (VOP), another five had a VOP and an arrest for another crime. A total of 21 youth were charged with VOP.

Length of Stay on December 31, 2006.

| LOS in intervals | <u>Youth</u> | <u>Length of Stay</u> | | |
|------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| | Number | Average | Median | Maximum |
| 1 to 3 days | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 4 to 14 days | 8 | 9 | 9 | 13 |
| 15 to 29 days | 5 | 19 | 20 | 24 |
| 30 to 59 days | 12 | 38 | 35 | 49 |
| 60 to 119 days | 4 | 84 | 81 | 109 |
| 120 to 179 days | 6 | 154 | 155 | 168 |
| 180 plus days | 2 | 221 | 221 | 254 |
| Summary | 39 | 60 | 35 | 254 |

Legal Status by Average LOS at Snapshot on December 31, 2006.

| | <u>Detained</u> | | <u>Sentenced</u> | | <u>Total</u> | |
|------------------|-----------------|-----|------------------|-----|--------------|-----|
| | No. | LOS | No. | LOS | No. | LOS |
| Family Court | 19 | 33 | 8 | 49 | 27 | 37 |
| 30 days or less | 12 | 11 | 3 | 15 | 15 | 11 |
| 31 days or more | 7 | 70 | 5 | 70 | 12 | 70 |
| Superior Court | 12 | 109 | 0 | . | 12 | 109 |
| 120 days or less | 7 | 60 | 0 | . | 7 | 60 |
| 121 days or more | 5 | 179 | 0 | . | 5 | 179 |
| Total | 31 | 62 | 8 | 49 | 39 | 60 |

Youth's Involvement on December 31, 2006.

| Detained | Number | LOS in days |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-------------|
| Aftercare | 4 | 67 |
| Child Mental Health | 0 | . |
| Division of Family Services | 0 | . |
| Serious Juvenile Offender and Comprehensive Aftercare Program | 5 | 58 |
| Family Court detainees | 19 | 33 |
| Superior Court detainees | 12 | 109 |
| Sentenced | | |
| Family Court | 8 | 49 |

Population Demographics on December 31, 2006.

| Race/ethnicity and age | Gender | | Total | |
|-------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| | Female | Male | Number | Percent |
| African American | | | | |
| 12 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| 13 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 8 |
| 14 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| 15 | 1 | 7 | 8 | 21 |
| 16 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 10 |
| 17 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 18 |
| Subtotal | 4 | 20 | 24 | 62 |
| Hispanic | | | | |
| 16 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Subtotal | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| White | | | | |
| 14 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| 15 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 10 |
| 16 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 8 |
| 17 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 13 |
| Subtotal | 1 | 13 | 14 | 36 |
| Total | 5 | 34 | 39 | 100 |

Fourth Quarter 2006 Releases.

| To whom released/program | Number | Percent | LOS in days | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| | | | Mean | Max. |
| Releases to the community | | | | |
| Community Services, Abraxas IIIA, Intensive Home Services | 1 | 1 | 54 | 54 |
| Community Services, Abraxas, Electronic Monitoring | 1 | 1 | 11 | 11 |
| Community Services, Camelot Non-secure Detention | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 |
| Community Services, P.C.S., MST | 1 | 1 | 106 | 106 |
| Community Services, Peoples Place, Non-secure Detention | 8 | 6 | 10 | 22 |
| Community Services, Providence, Non-secure Detention | 5 | 4 | 10 | 24 |
| Community Services, VisionQuest, FCICM | 1 | 1 | 27 | 27 |
| Division of Family Services | 4 | 3 | 14 | 28 |
| Parent | 42 | 34 | 23 | 250 |
| Relative | 8 | 6 | 26 | 101 |
| Subtotal | 73 | 58 | 21 | 250 |
| Releases to a secure placement | | | | |
| Community Services, Chamberlain Academy High Impact | 2 | 2 | 53 | 99 |
| Community Services, Clarinda Academy | 1 | 1 | 67 | 67 |
| Community Services, Glen Mills Schools | 1 | 1 | 82 | 82 |
| Community Services, Southwest Indiana | 3 | 2 | 125 | 158 |
| Community Services, Springfield Academy | 3 | 2 | 77 | 142 |
| Community Services, Summit Academy | 1 | 1 | 57 | 57 |
| Community Services, VisionQuest, Boot Camp | 1 | 1 | 57 | 57 |
| Community Services, VisionQuest, Madalyn | 2 | 2 | 52 | 84 |
| Community Services, VisionQuest, Quest | 2 | 2 | 78 | 85 |
| Community Services, Youth Services Agency | 5 | 4 | 41 | 100 |
| Community Services, Today, Inc., Short Term Drug Abuse | 4 | 3 | 54 | 80 |
| Department of Correction | 1 | 1 | 181 | 181 |
| Department of Correction, YCOP | 3 | 2 | 184 | 271 |
| Maryland authorities | 1 | 1 | 19 | 19 |
| YRS, Ferris School For Boys | 10 | 8 | 29 | 67 |
| YRS, Grace Cottage | 4 | 3 | 43 | 114 |
| YRS, New Castle County Detention Center | 3 | 2 | 34 | 65 |
| YRS, Snowden Cottage | 5 | 4 | 45 | 117 |
| Subtotal | 52 | 42 | 61 | 271 |
| Total | 125 | 100 | 38 | 271 |

Legal Status by Average LOS at Release, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| | <u>Detained</u> | | <u>Sentenced</u> | | <u>Total</u> | |
|------------------|-----------------|-----|------------------|-----|--------------|-----|
| | No. | LOS | No. | LOS | No. | LOS |
| Family Court | 63 | 14 | 55 | 50 | 118 | 31 |
| 30 days or less | 56 | 8 | 24 | 12 | 80 | 9 |
| 31 days or more | 7 | 64 | 31 | 79 | 38 | 76 |
| Superior Court | 3 | 114 | 4 | 195 | 7 | 160 |
| 120 days or less | 2 | 46 | 1 | 82 | 3 | 58 |
| 121 days or more | 1 | 250 | 3 | 232 | 4 | 237 |
| Total | 66 | 19 | 59 | 60 | 125 | 38 |

Crime Category at Release, Fourth Quarter 2006.

| Category | Number | Percent | <u>LOS in days</u> | |
|------------------------------------------|--------|---------|--------------------|---------|
| | | | Mean | Maximum |
| Violent felony | 42 | 34 | 53 | 271 |
| Violent misdemeanor | 7 | 6 | 5 | 20 |
| Non-violent felony | 22 | 18 | 28 | 100 |
| Non-violent misdemeanor | 29 | 23 | 32 | 117 |
| Traffic misdemeanor | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Drug Court violation | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Probation violation | 19 | 15 | 43 | 158 |
| Administrative hold/Aftercare revocation | 4 | 3 | 35 | 65 |
| Total | 125 | 100 | 38 | 271 |