

# ABOUT PROJECT X

Project X is an integrative program providing services to youth ages 13-20 (18-20 for juvenile justice involved youth only) who are at high-risk of gang involvement. After conducting an assessment youth receive services to improve problem behaviors in interpersonal skills classes through coaching from their outreach coordinator. Participants also work toward educational and employment goals as well as involvement in pro-social activities. Services provided will target individual needs using the Comprehensive Gang Model.



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# STREET OUTREACH

Our Street Outreach Team works in the community providing support to our participants. We work with youth to identify goals and create an individualized plan. Throughout the participant's stay in the program the Outreach Worker will coach and mentor the youth as well as respond to crisis situations and gang violence. Our team also provides support needed for families in distress. We act as a liaison between youth and partnering agencies to ensure they meet their goals successfully.

# MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAM

Our Multidisciplinary Team is a group of professionals that meets to discuss intervention and case planning needs. The team includes members of various members of agencies that are involved in providing services for our participants. Having a MDT allows us to exchange information in a timely manner to assist youth with successfully meeting their goals.

## PROGRAM GOALS

Project X is geared to reduce gang involvement and recidivism for court involved and at-risk youth.

Goals include:

1. Reducing gang involvement through prosocial activities.
2. Allowing youth to create individual goals.
3. Providing youth with positive interactions.
4. Improving interpersonal skills and relationships.
5. Providing educational and vocational support.
6. Improving collaboration with local agencies to reduce gang involvement and crime.



## SERVICES PROVIDED

Each participant will have their own case plan based on their risks and needs. Services will include:

1. One on one mentoring and support from Street Outreach Worker and Multidisciplinary Team.
2. Connections to educational services.
3. Assistance with obtaining and maintaining employment.
4. Interpersonal skills development sessions.
5. Participation in prosocial activities.

## ELIGIBILITY

Youth ages 13 through 17 who are gang involved or considered high risk of gang involvement may be referred by Juvenile Justice, Law Enforcement, Schools, Mental Health, and parents. Those ages 18 to 20 may be referred by Juvenile Justice only. Services are free.