



# JUVENILE JUSTICE

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## SAN MATEO COUNTY

**Presentation to San Mateo County  
Board of Supervisors**

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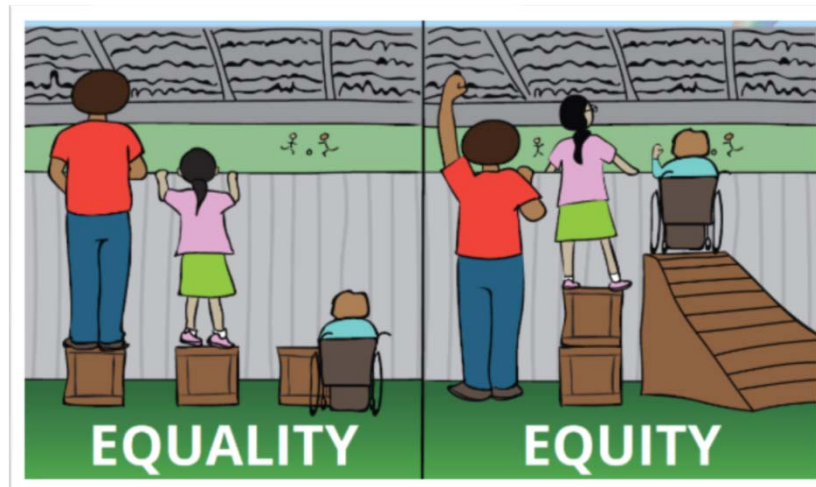
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# San Mateo County JJDPC Mission

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- Be a public conscience in best interests of youth
- Advocate for services to prevent youth entry into the justice system
- Promote respect for the human dignity of minors in the system



# 2020 Key Accomplishments

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- Created [Parent Guidebook](#)
- Developed [strategic plan](#)
- Built relationships with elected officials
- Identified gaps in substance abuse, mental health services
- Developed marketing strategy
- Inspected YSC, Camp Kemp and Canyon Oaks



[Parent Guidebook - Spanish Edition](#)

# 2021 Key Strategic Projects

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- Advocate for alternatives to incarceration
- Identify existing diversion programs and share best practices
- Identify policy changes due to COVID that merit continuation
- Analyze after school programs reach and effectiveness
- Identify and recommend better ways to reduce truancy
- Reach out to underserved families
- Create a dashboard on juvenile justice statistics

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QUESTIONS?