



FY 2020 OJJDP Mentoring Opportunities for Youth Initiative Grantee Profile

BCFS Health and Human Services

Program Overview and Background

Our Youth Adverted from Delinquency (YAD) Mentoring Program aims to provide one-on-one services to youth in the Kerrville community. Specifically, youth that are referred from local school districts and Juvenile Probation. Our goal is provide additional support to the youth in our program, so they can learn to make positive lifestyle choices that will impact their future.

Program Services

We provide services to youth using practices of effective mentoring by supporting youth through one-to-one matches. Over the course of a year, mentor and mentee work with the YAD Case Manager and the YAD Supervisor to form a healthy relationship that is based on the needs of the youth. With the support of the case manager and the mentor, the program will strive to lower recidivism rates in Kerr County.

Target Population

Our mentoring services program works with youth ages 10-17 that are part of our Youth Adverted from Delinquency Program. We work with youth in Kerr County that have been referred by area school districts and Juvenile Probation.

Additional Resources

- BCFS Health and Human Services Website: <https://discoverbcfs.net/>
- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/DiscoverBCFS>



 **Headquarters:**
Kerrville, Texas

 **Founded:** 1944

 **Number of Youth Served:**
30

Grant: JJ FY20 Ment Category 3:
Mentoring Programs for Youth
Involved in the Juvenile Justice
System

Award Number: 2020-JU-FX-0017

Award Amount: \$500,000

Program Mentoring Model:
One to One

For more information on our OJJDP grant:

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