



FY 2021 OJJDP Mentoring Opportunities for Youth Initiative Grantee Profile

National Association of Police Athletic/Activities League, Inc.

Program Overview and Background

The National Association of Police Athletic/Activities League, Inc. exists to aid in the preventing of juvenile crime and violence by providing mentorship, civic/service, athletic, recreational, enrichment and educational opportunities and resources to PAL Membership Chapters.

As a membership-based organization, National PAL seeks to provide its Chapters with resources and opportunities to aid them within their organizational growth, as well as, to assist them within their pursuits of showcasing their unique programs and enhance the quality of individual youth engagement experiences.

Program Services

These resources may include funding opportunities through various grants, general liability protection options, programmatic opportunities through partner organizations, as well as, via goods and services provided by corporate partners and supportive like-minded organizations. In addition, there are occasions where National PAL provides Chapter members opportunities or access to engage their athletes/youth in select athletic tournaments, clinics or showcases via the construction of events aimed at providing competitive/championship outcomes, fundamental enhancement or relationship building opportunities between Kids, Cops and community.


Target Population


National PAL Mentoring Initiative targets youth who


- live in communities with high community risk factors including poverty, unemployment, violent crime, and drug/gang involvement;
- are American Indian or Alaska Native;
- have one or more parents in the military; and/or
- live in rural communities.

Most grant recipients will seek youth in the age range of 8-17.



 **Headquarters:**
Charlotte, NC

 **Founded:** 1940

 **Number of Youth Served:**
2000

Grant: JJ FY21 Mentoring:
Opioids

Award Number:
15PJDP-21-GG-02764

Award Amount: \$2,000,000

Program Mentoring Model:
*one-to-one, group,
community-based*



Additional Resources

- National PAL Website: www.nationalpal.org

For more information on our OJJDP grant:

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