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The Manual of Strategies of the *Arizona Children of Incarcerated Parents Bill of Rights Project* highlights policies, practices and programs that are currently being implemented across Arizona and the United States to benefit children affected by parental arrest and incarceration.

The *Manual* is designed to serve as a vital reference to inform a data-driven approach to developing or enhancing Arizona's local and state protocols and policymaking to improve outcomes for children of incarcerated parents. Also, it may serve as a reference for other groups working to improve conditions for children of prisoners.

The Pima Prevention Partnership maintains a library of substantive descriptions of the following resources and also recommends the comprehensive services link sponsored by the state of Oregon: [http://egov.oregon.gov/DOC/PUBAFF/oam\\_links.shtml](http://egov.oregon.gov/DOC/PUBAFF/oam_links.shtml).

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**DIRECTORY OF PROGRAMS, POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR CHILDREN OF INCARCERATED PARENTS**

<b>Strategy</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Source</b>
<b>Comprehensive Sources</b>	Directory published in 2005 by the U.S. Department of Justice National Institute of Corrections. Describes a large variety of children of incarcerated parents (CIP) programs in each state with contact information given.	Serving Children and Families of Adult Offenders: A Directory of Programs National Institute of Corrections U.S. Department of Justice <a href="http://www.nici.org/NICPublications">http://www.nici.org/NICPublications</a>
	Site lists a multitude of online CIP resources, both national & international.	<a href="http://egov.oregon.gov/DOC/PUBAFF/oam_links.shtml">http://egov.oregon.gov/DOC/PUBAFF/oam_links.shtml</a>
<b>Arrest Protocols</b>	California - Legislation encouraged development of arrest protocols and law enforcement training on CIP, with delineated objectives to insure safety & reduce trauma to children.	California 2006 CA AB 194 <a href="http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/put/05-06/bill/asm/ab_1901-1950/ab_1942_bill_20060929">www.leginfo.ca.gov/put/05-06/bill/asm/ab_1901-1950/ab_1942_bill_20060929</a>
	Oregon - Group recommended development of child-sensitive arrest practices to legislature.	Oregon CIP Project Report to the Oregon Legislature on Senate Bill 133
	Washington - Oversight Committee recommended development of arrest protocols for children at time of parent/ guardian arrest.	Washington Final Report of the Oversight Committee CIP to the Governor and the Legislature of Washington, 2006
<b>Law Enforcement Training &amp; Crisis Advocates</b>	National - Training provided in modules to instruct law enforcement members how to reduce trauma and support children at time of parent/guardian arrest.	Arkansas Voices for the Children Left Behind 5414 Edgewood Rd. Little Rock, AR 72207  Dee Ann Newell CIP Advocate/Trainer <a href="mailto:lujo@aristotle.net">lujo@aristotle.net</a>

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<b>Law Enforcement Training &amp; Crisis Advocates</b>	<p>National - Child Development – Community Policing Program conducts a 10-week seminar to train police officers &amp; mental health professionals to work together during arrests to reduce the impact of violence and provide support.</p> <p>National - New Haven, Connecticut's Child Development – Community Policing Program serves as a national model, studied longitudinally &amp; replicated in numerous cities across USA.</p>	<p>New Haven, CT  <a href="http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org/pubs/gun_violence/profile48.html">http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org/pubs/gun_violence/profile48.html</a></p> <p>Evaluated by:  Yale Child Study Center  47 College Street, Ste 212  New Haven, CT 06510  Colleen Vadala</p>
	<p>National - “Cops, Kids, &amp; Domestic Violence” are law enforcement training curriculum, including film which identifies actions to positively impact children during arrest of parents/guardians. Wallet-sized cards are provided to remind cops of list of actions to attend to children’s needs at time of adult arrests.</p>	<p>The National Child Traumatic Stress Network Project funded by the Substance Abuse &amp; Mental Health Services Administration of the US Dept. of Health &amp; Human Services  <a href="http://www.nctsn.org">www.nctsn.org</a></p>
<b>Mentoring for Children of Incarcerated Parents</b>	<p>Ohio, Tennessee and Texas - Achieved statewide legislative funding for mentoring of CIP through the Amachi/Big Brother Big Sister best-practice model. Volunteer mentors commit to one hour per week for at least a year. Mentors receive comprehensive training with ongoing staff support. Also, CIP are provided case management services.</p> <p>Amachi advocates <i>people of faith mentoring children of promise</i> to improve their life opportunities.</p> <p>“Making a Difference: An Impact Study of Big Brothers Big Sisters”, 1995, A Publication of Public/Private Ventures Research studies have identified positive effects of BBBS mentoring matches.</p>	<p>Amachi Program  Public/Private Ventures  2000 Market Street, Ste. 600  Philadelphia, PA 19103  (215) 557-4418  <a href="http://www.ppv.org">www.ppv.org</a>  “Amachi Newsletter”  <a href="http://www.amachimentoring.org/newsletter10.html">www.amachimentoring.org/newsletter10.html</a></p> <p>Muna A. Walker  Amachi Program Officer  <a href="mailto:mwalker@ppv.org">mwalker@ppv.org</a>  Rev. Wilson Goode,  Public Private Ventures  AMACHI  (215) 557-4453  <a href="http://www.amachimentoring.org">www.amachimentoring.org</a></p> <p>Mark Scott  BBBS National Office  (215) 665-7775</p>

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<b>Mentoring for Children of Incarcerated Parents</b>	Texas - "Break the Chain: Be a Mentor" advertising and recruitment material. Faith-based groups such as Baptists & United Methodist Men are joining AMACHI/ BBBS mentoring of CIP.	AMACHI/BBBS of Texas 205 W. Main Street Arlington, Texas 60100 1 888-887-BIGS <a href="http://www.amachitexas.org">www.amachitexas.org</a>  Olivia Eudaly State Executive Director (817) 277-1148 x227
	Oregon - Committed Partners for Youth is a school-based mentoring program.	Committed Partners for Youth 1840 Willamette Street Suite 100 Eugene, OR 94701 (541) 344-0833 <a href="http://www.committedpartners.org">http://www.committedpartners.org</a>
	National - Articles in Issue 39, "Mentoring Children of Prisoners", address research-based mentoring, selecting & training of mentors, etc. with list of FCN resources.	Family & Corrections Network 32 Oak Grove Road Palmyra, VA 22963 (434)589-3036 <a href="http://www.fcnetwork.org">www.fcnetwork.org</a>
	National - LEARNS is a project of the National Crime Prevention Council that disseminates educational materials for mentors of CIP.	LEARNS Northwest Regional Educational Lab. 101 SW Main St., Ste. 500 Portland, OR 97204 (503) 275-9500
	Arizona - STARS Mentoring for children of incarcerated parents is provided across AZ through a collaboration of BBBS & community agencies which match volunteer mentors with CIP. Mentors meet for at least an hour a week for a minimum of a year, with staff support and case management services.	STARS Mentoring <a href="http://www.thepartnership.us/STARS/about.php">www.thepartnership.us/STARS/about.php</a> This is fund ed by HHS/Administration for Children, Youth and Families (ACYF) and coordinated by Pima Prevention Partnership 2525 East Broadway #100 Tucson, AZ 85716 (520) 991-9020 Maggie Allen Project Director <a href="mailto:mallen@thepartnership.us">mallen@thepartnership.us</a>

<b>Mentoring for Children of Incarcerated Parents</b>	National and Local - Faith-based mentoring organization provides adult mentors to CIP.	Mentor Kids, USA 8960 E. Raintree Drive, Suite 300 Scottsdale, AZ 85460 (480)767-6707 info@mentorkidsusa.org
	National - Program provides grants for collaborative Big Brothers Big Sisters mentoring of CIP in urban, rural, & tribal settings. Now a national movement with over 240 HHS-funded grantees.	U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services Admin. For Children & Families – The Faith-Based & Community Initiative www.acf.hhs.gov
	National – Program provides federal dollars to local agencies in all 50 states to deliver one to one mentoring services to CIP.	U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services Admin. For Children & Families – Family Youth Services Bureau: Mentoring Children of Prisoners initiative <a href="http://www.acf.hhs.gov">http://www.acf.hhs.gov</a>
<b>CIP Staff Training</b>	National - Mentoring CIP curriculum for youth-serving agencies to better address specific needs & concerns.	Child Welfare League of America developed curriculum now found at: www.fcnetwork.org
	National - Curriculum for staff development regarding CIP issues and strategies to address this population’s needs and concerns.	Family & Corrections Network 32 Oak Grove Road Palmyra, VA 22963 (434)589-3036 www.fcnetwork.org
	Pennsylvania - “Safe Start” sensitizes educational personnel to children’s responses to violence. County libraries carry juvenile books regarding incarceration of parents.	“Safe Start” curriculum Allegheny County, PA
<b>Support Groups for CIP</b>	Arkansas - Voices for Children Left Behind provides state-wide CIP support groups, among other services.	Arkansas Voices for Children Left Behind 5414 Edgewood Rd. Little Rock, AR 72207  Dee Ann Newell CIP Advocate/Trainer <a href="mailto:lujo@aristotle.net">lujo@aristotle.net</a>



<b>Support Groups for CIP</b>	National and Local - Girl Scouts Beyond Bars (GSBB) provides support and increased contact for daughters of incarcerated mothers with troop meetings held at correctional facilities. Now over 35 programs across country, serving about 800 girls. "Roots & Wings" tool kit available for launching GSBB. Funded by Dept. of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention.	Girl Scouts Beyond Bars National Institute of Justice, U.S. Dept. of Justice 633 Indiana Ave., N.W., Rm 805 Washington, DC 20531 (202) 514-6205 <a href="http://www.girlscouts.org/program/program_opportunities/communities/community/GSBBGSDCBrochure2007.pdf">www.girlscouts.org/program/program_opportunities/communities/community/GSBBGSDCBrochure2007.pdf</a>
	Arizona - K.A.R.E. Family Center provides support groups for CIP that include art and writing activities.	Kinship & Adoption Resource & Education (K.A.R.E.) Family Center 4710 E. 29 <sup>th</sup> Street Tucson, Arizona 85700 (520) 323-4476  Laurie Melrood Director <a href="mailto:kares@arizonachildren.org">kares@arizonachildren.org</a>
	No. Arizona – Program provides CIP support and teaches problem solving, communication, & interpersonal skills. Students learn about effects of addiction & are given local resources for families. Although the program’s philosophy is influenced by Native American beliefs, it is meant for students from all cultures.	White Bison Program Choices for Youth, Families and Adults 122 N. Cortez #214 Prescott, AZ 86303  Diane Bruck (928) 533-7938 <a href="mailto:choices@frontier.net">choices@frontier.net</a>
<b>Inmate Education</b>	National and Local – MRT is an evidence-based curriculum to reduce recidivism and substance abuse. Participants change their way of thinking during class and workbook activities. Lesson themes include Honesty, Healing Relationships, & Goal Setting. Classes are held in Yavapai County Adult Probation and Jail as well as in several school settings for medium-to-high risk juveniles.	Arizona Moral Reconciliation Therapy (MRT) Choices for Youth, Families and Adults 122 N. Cortez #214 Prescott, AZ 86303  Diane Bruck (928) 533-7938 <a href="mailto:choices@frontier.net">choices@frontier.net</a>

<b>Inmate Education</b>	Arkansas - Prisons offer programs in Family Literacy and Community Service, including work at the Humane Society & community gardens.	Arkansas <a href="http://www.tecweb.org/vault/white/prison2.html">www.tecweb.org/vault/white/prison2.html</a>
	National - Program for adjudicated girls or wards of court focuses on life skills, drug education, career exploration, & mentorship. Serves over 2,000 girls per year across USA. Funded by Dept. of Justice – Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention	Girl Scouting in Detention Center Programs <a href="http://www.girlscouts.org/program/program_opportunities/communities/community/GSBBGSDCBrochure2007.pdf">www.girlscouts.org/program/program_opportunities/communities/community/GSBBGSDCBrochure2007.pdf</a>
	National – For inmates with young children, program provides parent education, support, & increased contact with CIP & caregivers.	Early Head Start Head Start 0-5 <a href="http://www.ehsnrc.org">www.ehsnrc.org</a>
	Oregon – Prisoner Parent Education classes available as pilot program in several prisons. The 12-week curriculum was jointly developed with OR Social Learning Center. State has inmate classes & job training (e.g. customer service, repairs, technology, & telemarketing). These jobs supplement state funds (e.g. inmates work for Dept. of Motor Vehicles). OR prison recidivism reduced 20% in 5 years of instituting this job training. Prison nursery provides family-oriented case management of CIP.	Oregon “Inmate Rehabilitation Returns as Prison Goal”, by Fox Butterfield, NY Times, May 20, 2001  Portland Relief Nursery <a href="http://www.oregon.gov/DOC/TRANS/PROGMS/oam_children.shtml">www.oregon.gov/DOC/TRANS/PROGMS/oam_children.shtml</a>
	National – Osbourne Association offers effective, replicable programs to assist law-breakers in reform by serving the community.	Osbourne Association 36-31 E. 8th Street Long Island City, NY 11101 (718) 707-2600 <a href="http://www.osborneny.org">www.osborneny.org</a>  Elizabeth Gaynes Executive Director
<b>Inmate Re-Entry</b>	No. Arizona – Yavapai County has a Pilot Re-Entry Program which includes MRT (see description page 8) & Social Responsibility Training curriculum for those transitioning from prison, jail, drug courts, and halfway houses back into the community. Pima County PREP (Prisoner Re-Entry Partnership) Primavera Foundation 151 W. 40 <sup>th</sup> St., Tucson, AZ 85713 (520) 882-9668	Arizona Choices for Youth, Families and Adults 122 N. Cortez #214 Prescott, AZ 86303 Diane Bruck (928) 533-7938 choices@frontier.net

<b>Inmate Re-Entry</b>	Florida - PRIDE is a training company that offers inmates over 300 areas of vocational training. Services include victim restitution & job placement support for ex-offenders.	Florida Prison Rehabilitative Industries & Diversified Enterprises (PRIDE) <a href="http://www.zwire.com/site/news">www.zwire.com/site/news</a>
	Missouri - Vocational training programs include technology, carpentry, mechanics, & culinary arts. Classes include life skills & employability. Transition planning includes linkage to community providers.	Missouri DOC has Offender Rehabilitative Services, Career & Technical Programs <a href="http://www.doc.mo.gov">http://www.doc.mo.gov</a>
	Oklahoma - Exodus Houses are two re-entry facilities for prisoners & their families. Members live in furnished, rent-free apartments for 6 months, attending classes & church.	Oklahoma Oklahoma Conference Exodus Houses <a href="http://www.okumcministries.org/CJAMM/ExodusHouse.htm">http://www.okumcministries.org/CJAMM/ExodusHouse.htm</a>
	Washington – Bill awarded grants to counties for coordinated reentry efforts for offenders in four-year pilot programs. Funded through Dept. of Community, Trade, and Economic Development.	Washington Engrossed Second Substitute Senate Bill 5070, 2007
<b>Family Education/ Strengthening</b>	New York - this correctional facility provides an infant center & children's center. Comprehensive programs include counseling, children's advocacy, overnight stays, & taping of children's stories.	Bedford Hills Correctional Facility Children's Center Catholic Charities 247 Harris Rd. Bedford Hills, NY 10507 (914) 241-3100 X 4050  Toni Campoamor Director
	National and California - CCIP provides national educational courses, regional training programs, parent education, self-help support groups, family reunification support & a clearinghouse with publications & audio- visuals, some at no charge. Also, includes a book list for reading to CIP.	Center For Children of Incarcerated Parents P.O. Box 41-286 Eagle Rock, CA 90041 (626) 449-2470 <a href="mailto:ccip@earthlink.net">ccip@earthlink.net</a> <a href="http://www.e-ccip.org">www.e-ccip.org</a> Denise Johnston Executive Director

<b>Family Education/ Strengthening</b>	California - Centerforce provides CIP, family, & inmate services, including child-oriented visiting, community health programs, educational materials, groups, therapy, advocacy, & reunification.	<a href="http://www.centerforce.org/aboutUS/history.cfm">www.centerforce.org/aboutUS/history.cfm</a> Centerforce Main Office 2955 Kerner Blvd. San Rafael, CA 94901 (415) 456-9980 X116 <a href="mailto:info@centerforce.org">info@centerforce.org</a> <a href="http://centerforce.org">http://centerforce.org</a>
	New York City - Provides Incarcerated Mothers Program, CIP after-school activities, community service, education & youth development.	Edwin Gould Services for Children & Families, allied with Administration for Children's Services of New York City
	Connecticut - Provides outreach information & programs, including Domestic Violence Offender Services, Family Counseling & Support Programs, Fathers & Children Together, Fathers Work Program, Transportation, & Youth Enrichment Services.	Families in Crisis, Inc. 30 Arbor St., Hartford, CT 06106 (203) 236-3593 <a href="mailto:admin@familiesincrisis.org">admin@familiesincrisis.org</a> <a href="http://www.familiesincrisis.org">www.familiesincrisis.org</a>  Joyce Betts Director of Programs
	National - Disseminates information for families, prisoner parenting information, sponsors conferences, and consults & trains professionals. CIP library includes: free pamphlets, training CDs, national programs, & research bibliography. Also, lists books for parents/caregivers/professionals to read to CIP.	Family & Corrections Network 32 Oak Grove Road Palmyra, VA 22963 (434) 589-3036 <a href="mailto:fcnetwork.org">fcnetwork.org</a> <a href="http://www.fcnetwork.org">www.fcnetwork.org</a>  Jim Mustin Executive Director
	New Hampshire - Family support program in the Department of Corrections with University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension & Family Studies Departments.	Family Connections Center New Hampshire <a href="http://www.state.nh.us/nhdcc/fcc">www.state.nh.us/nhdcc/fcc</a>
	California - In CA prisons, Friends Outside conducts parenting education for inmates, a visiting program for children, family crisis intervention, & pre-release planning.	Friends Outside National Organization P.O. Box 4085 Stockton, CA 95204 (209) 938-0727 Gretchen Newby

<b>Family Education/ Strengthening</b>	National - Motherread Program conducts classes to promote parenting and communication through audiotaping children's literature for offspring.	The Motherread Program No. Carolina Correctional Institution for Women No. Carolina State Dept. of Corrections National Headquarters of Motherread, Inc. Ste. 7, 3924 Browning Place Raleigh, NC 27609 (919) 781-2088 <a href="http://www.motherread.org">www.motherread.org</a>
	National - Advocacy association works with the incarcerated & their families to provide education and support.	National Incarcerated Parents and Family Network P.O. Box 6745 Harrisburg, PA 17112 (717) 671-7231  Charles Stuart <a href="mailto:cstuart@incarceratedparents.org">cstuart@incarceratedparents.org</a>
	Ohio - This facility provides Achieving Baby Care Success (ABCs) in which pregnant inmates retain custody of their infants & attend parenting classes.	Ohio Reformatory for Women OH Dept. of Rehabilitation & Corrections 1479 Collins Ave. Marysville, OH 43040 (937) 642-1065
	Texas - Provides hospitality & visiting children's center, transportation, overnight lodging, parent education, religious ministry, support groups, & family reunification support.	Parents & Children Together 2836 Hemphill Street Fort Worth, TX 76110 (817) 524-7776  Donna Bailey Executive Director <a href="mailto:dawna@azmail.net">dawna@azmail.net</a>
	Maine - Project HIP improves parenting skills with classes involving children. Curriculum includes "Prisoners as Parents: Building Parenting Skills on the Inside".	Project Helping Incarcerated Parents (HIP) Maine Correctional Center 17 Mallison Rd., Windham, ME 04062 (207) 892-6716 Copies of "Prisoners as Parents: Building Parenting Skills on the Inside" available from National Child Welfare Resource Center for Organizational Improvement at (800) HELP KID.

<b>Family Education/ Strengthening</b>	New Mexico - Project IMPACT allows final-year inmates at Central NM Correctional Facility to enroll in classes and counseling including support for families, with increased visitation.	Project IMPACT 1101 Lopez Southwest Albuquerque, NM 87105 (505) 877-7060
	National - Annie E. Casey supports this project to improve outcomes for vulnerable children by strengthening families.	Reentry National Media Outreach Campaign Outreach Extensions 7039 Dume Drive Malibu, CA 90265 (770) 964-5045  Denise Blake Reentry Project Director <a href="mailto:denise@reentrymediaoutreach.org">denise@reentrymediaoutreach.org</a>
	Tennessee - Reconciliation Ministries includes Separate Prisons (support groups for family members) and The Guest House (housing for visitors). Their visiting handbook is a directory of resources for families.	Reconciliation Ministries P.O. Box 90827 Nashville, TN 37209 (615) 292-6371
	Arizona - Prison Fellowship Ministries is active in all state, federal, and private prison in the state of Arizona, and in most county jails. Provides 100,000 inmate contacts annually. Works with over 1,000 churches and 2,000 volunteers and coordinates Angel Tree Christmas gifts and Angel Tree camping for CIP.	Prison Fellowship Ministries – Arizona P.O. Box 34127 Phoenix, AZ 85060 (602) 604-9944 William Anderson Executive Director <a href="mailto:William_Anderson@pfm.org">William_Anderson@pfm.org</a>
	National - SFPIP is a grass-roots advocacy organization with a variety of programs for CIP. It publishes “Children of Incarcerated Parents: A Bill of Rights.” Also conducts the Rights to Realities Initiative.	San Francisco Partnership for Incarcerated Parents <a href="http://www.cwla.org/programs/incarcerated/billofrights.pdf">www.cwla.org/programs/incarcerated/billofrights.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.sfcipp.org">www.sfcipp.org</a> Copies of Bill of Rights in English/Spanish and training video available from: Friends Outside P.O. Box 4085 Stockton, CA 95204 (209) 955-0701 Nell Bernstein SFCIPP Coordinator

<b>Family Education/ Strengthening</b>	National - Project lists programs in 35 states, such as Save Kids of Incarcerated Parents & those offering national services, such as the Federal Resource Center for CIP.	Serving Children & Families of Adult Offenders Project National Institute of Corrections U.S. Dept. of Justice 320 First Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20534 <a href="http://www.nicic.org">www.nicic.org</a>
	Texas – Association provides support, education, & advocacy for families of inmates in Texas.	Texas Inmate Families Association <a href="http://www.tifa.org">www.tifa.org</a>
	National – Faith-based organization paired with an educational publishing company to give incarcerated parents literacy training. By audio-taping books for offspring, prisoners support reading development and family ties. Children receive free tape recorders and other items.	Words Travel Program Volunteers of America and Scholastic Inc. <a href="http://www.volunteersofamerica.org">www.volunteersofamerica.org</a>
<b>Fatherhood Focused</b>	National - Coalition educates, trains, and advocates for responsible fatherhood & healthy family relationships.	Arizona Fathers & Families Coalition (AZFFC) P.O. Box 8267 Phoenix, AZ 85006 (800) 603-9309  James Rodriguez CEO & President <a href="mailto:jrodriguez@azffc.org">jrodriguez@azffc.org</a>
	New York - Family Works in men’s state prisons, provides CIP services, visiting centers for fathers & families, parent education programs for fathers, & community-based services for families.	Family Works The Osborne Association 175 Remsen St., 8 <sup>th</sup> Floor Brooklyn, NY 11201 (718) 237-0686 <a href="mailto:info@osborneny.org">info@osborneny.org</a> <a href="http://www.isborneny.org">www.isborneny.org</a>

<b>Fatherhood Focused</b>	Washington - Fatherhood Ministries educates & supports incarcerated men to become productive fathers in DADS.	Fatherhood Ministries Divine Alternatives for Dads Services (DADS) 5709 Rainier Ave. So. Seattle, WA 98118 <a href="http://ssw.unc.edu/jif/aahmi/slides/charlesslides.pdf">http://ssw.unc.edu/jif/aahmi/slides/charlesslides.pdf</a>  Marvin & Jeanette Charles
	National - Clearinghouse & resource center to promote better involvement of fathers. Resources include research, curricula, & technical assistance. The brochure, "Staying Involved with Your Child While Incarcerated" costs 29c each.	National Fatherhood Initiative 101 Lake Forest Blvd., Ste. 360 Gaithersburg, MD 20877 (301) 948-0599 <a href="http://www.Fatherhood.org">www.Fatherhood.org</a> Roland Warren President
	National - Long Distance Dads educates and supports men to become better fathers through 12-module curriculum for use in correctional facilities and transitional programs.	Long Distance Dads National Fatherhood Initiative Penn. Dept. of Probation & Parole (240) 912-1280 <a href="http://www.fatherhood.org/lddads">www.fatherhood.org/lddads</a>
<b>Support Caregivers</b>	National - CIP Library has educational pamphlets, including "What Do CIP & Their Caregivers Need?" These may be downloaded without charge.	Families & Corrections Network Children of Prisoners Library at FCN 32 Oak Grove Road Palmyra, VA 22963 (434)589-3036 <a href="http://www.fcnetwork.org">www.fcnetwork.org</a>  Ann Edalist-Estrin Child & Family Therapist, Trainer



<b>Support Caregivers</b>	Arizona - These centers provide information, education, & resource referrals for grandparents, relatives, kin foster care providers, & adoptive families. Services vary by location, but may include CIP support groups (see pg. 8), caregiver support groups, mental health, assistance in obtaining guardianship & advocacy.	<p>K. A. R. E. Family Center (Kinship and Adoption Resource and Education Family Center) of the AZ Children’s Association <u>Coconino/Navajo/Apache Counties</u> Natalie Randolph (928) 527-1000 x103</p> <p>K. A. R. E. Family Center (Continued) <u>Phoenix</u> Sarah Chavez (602) 233-0017</p> <p><u>Tucson</u> Laurie Melrood (520) 323-4476 x102</p> <p><u>Pinal/Gila Counties</u> Kimberly Robinson (480) 986-9209</p> <p><u>Yavapai County</u> Sherie Gifford (928) 443-1991 x18</p> <p><u>Yuma County</u> Dubia Zaragoza (928) 726-4335</p>
	California - Project provides legal advice, social services, & emotional support to grandparent caregivers and families.	<p>Grandparent Caregiver Advocacy Project Legal Services for Parents with Children 1540 Market St., Ste. 490 San Francisco, CA 94102 (415) 266-7036 <a href="mailto:info@prisonerswithchildren.org">info@prisonerswithchildren.org</a> <a href="mailto:lspc@igc.apc.org">lspc@igc.apc.org</a></p>
<b>Policies</b>	<p>Since 1980, CA state statutes directed Office of Criminal Justice Planning (OCJP) to develop programs to improve criminal justice system.</p> <p>Research Bureau to study children of women in CA prisons in cooperation with DOC &amp; local agencies for outcome information.</p>	<p>California 2003 “CA Law and the CIP” &amp; Bureau report to the legislature Penal Code 7440-7445 OCJP state &amp; Federal funded.</p>

<b>Policies</b>	<p>2005 CIP Task Force charged to assess CIP needs and ID programs for support and to strengthen family bonds. Requested extended funding &amp; increase to Dept. of Public Safety to improve data collection.</p> <p>University of Hawaii obtained a 3-year research grant on CIP through the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture.</p>	<p>Hawaii</p> <p>2006 State Report “SCR 128 Task Force CIP”</p> <p>University of Hawaii Center on the Family</p>
	<p>2007 IL Task Force for CIP BOR funded through Sheriff’s budget Dept. of Women’s Justice Services. Plan to develop CIP staff training curriculum.</p>	<p>Illinois</p> <p>2002 “CIP Parents Project Report on SB 133” Bill of Rights (BOR)</p>
	<p>Project obtained data on women prisoners, CIP, &amp; families in NY &amp; USA.</p>	<p>New York</p> <p>Women in Prison Project</p> <p><a href="http://www.correctionalassociation.org/WIPP/publications/CWP_Policy_Brochure_07.pdf">http://www.correctionalassociation.org/WIPP/publications/CWP_Policy_Brochure_07.pdf</a></p>
	<p>OR Legislative Advisory Committee made comprehensive, evidenced-based recommendations to reduce trauma to the children and increase health of the parent-child relationship throughout the parent’s criminal justice system involvement.</p>	<p>Oregon</p> <p>2001 HB 3037</p> <p><a href="http://www.leg.state.or.us/01reg/asures/hb3000.dir/hb3037.intro.html">www.leg.state.or.us/01reg/asures/hb3000.dir/hb3037.intro.html</a></p>
	<p>Task Group recommended community-based staff to provide an immediate response to police to care for children in the aftermath of arrest.</p>	<p>Pennsylvania</p> <p>2007 Task Group convened by Administrative Judge of Allegheny County, PA</p> <p>Claire Walker, Ph.D. Pittsburgh Child Guidance Foundation 425 Sixth Ave., Ste. 2460 Pittsburgh, PA <a href="mailto:pcgf@smartbuilding.org">pcgf@smartbuilding.org</a></p>
	<p>TE Governor’s Commission on the Well-Being of CIP provided state conferences on CIP, &amp; training of law enforcement, judicial, educational, and mental health personnel on CIP-related issues.</p>	<p>Tennessee</p>

	VA Commission on Youth reported on state-wide status of CIP.	Virginia "CIP in Virginia" 2002 Report <a href="http://coy.state.va.us/docs/Incarcerated%20Parents.pdf">http://coy.state.va.us/docs/Incarcerated%20Parents.pdf</a>
	WA Oversight Committee recommended centers to disseminate information to caregivers and re-entry offenders (e.g. visitation policies, legal procedures, social service agencies) & also to provide staff training. Intervention Advocates would provide information, locate caretakers, & monitor CIP well-being following parental arrest. Recommendations were based on evidence-based practices.	Washington Final Report of the Oversight Committee CIP to the Governor and the Legislature of Washington, 2006 2005 HB 1426 CIP directed DOC & DSHS to form committee to develop plan for interagency CIP support.