

Community Services Probation Office Locations

Churchman's Corporate Center:

92 Christiana Road
New Castle, DE 19720

New Castle County Family Court:

500 North King Street Suite 850
(LL2) Wilmington, DE 19801

Kent County Family Court:

400 Court Street Dover, DE 19901

Sussex Family Court:

22 The Circle Georgetown, DE 19947

Kent Community Services:

821 Silver Lake Boulevard Barratt Bldg.
Suite 101 Dover, DE 19904

Milford State Service Center:

at Riverwalk: 253 N.E. Front Street
Milford, DE 19963

Laurel State Service Center:

440 N. Poplar Street Laurel, DE 19956

Thurman Adams State Service Center:

546 South Bedford Street
Georgetown, DE 19947



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COMMUNITY SERVICES PROBATION & AFTERCARE



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Children, Youth & Their Families

OVERVIEW

Community Services provides case management and community supervision for youth and their family when a youth is court-ordered to receive pre-trial or post-adjudicatory supervision by the Division of Youth Rehabilitative Services (DYRS). The goal of DYRS supervision is to promote positive outcomes for youth and their family through appropriate interventions and treatments which reduce youth risk to re-offend and increase community safety.

Community Services is committed to providing a responsive supervision continuum through which youth are assigned to appropriate supervision options based on their identified risk to re-offend.

Community Supervision connects youth to services, supports, and programs which address the identified needs contributing to engagement in delinquency. These services, supports, and programs promote youth success and assist with reducing recidivism.

EVIDENCE-BASED CASE PLANNING

DYRS uses the Youth Assessment Screening Instrument (YASI) as the cornerstone of our process to provide appropriate and effective services and supervision to youth. The YASI is an evidence-based tool that measures a youth's level of risk, needs, responsivity factors, and strengths to guide early decision-making and assignment of case resources, as well as assist in the development of targeted case plans. Use of the YASI assists DYRS in accomplishing the following objectives:

- *Determine a youth's risk level for re-offending
- *Identify the risk and protective factors linked to delinquent behavior
- *Develop a responsive approach to supervision and case management
- *Assist case managers to determine if targeted factors change
- *Promote positive outcomes for youth, families, and the community

CASE MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISION

DYRS assesses the needs of youth and collaborates with their family and/or guardian, school, and support systems to coordinate services aimed at addressing the identified factors contributing to their delinquency.

The Community Services continuum of case management and supervision includes the following options:

- *Individualized case management & supervision
 - *Supervision by a DYRS Probation Officer
 - *Residential services
 - *Inappropriate Sexual Behavior (ISB) Unit
- The Serious Juvenile Offender (SJO) Unit provides support services to Community Services Probation & Aftercare.