

# Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative's Core Strategies and Best Practices Matrix

CORE STRATEGIES	BEST PRACTICES; SAMPLE REFORMS	TOOLS & RESOURCES	RELATED RESULTS
COLLABORATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--JDAI steering &amp; sub committees</li> <li>--MOU/resolution establishing JDAI and RED authority</li> <li>--JDAI coordinator</li> <li>--Purpose of detention statement</li> <li>--Work plans</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Fundamentals training</li> <li>--Pathways 1</li> <li>--Pathways 2</li> <li>--Model sites</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--All impact results</li> <li>--Influence</li> <li>--Leverage</li> </ul>
USE OF DATA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Detention utilization study (DUS)</li> <li>--Daily population counts</li> <li>--Quarterly reports</li> <li>--Annual results report</li> <li>--System assessment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 1</li> <li>--Pathways 7</li> <li>--QRS training</li> <li>--Results Reports</li> <li>--DUS Handbook</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--All impact results</li> <li>--Influence</li> </ul>
OBJECTIVE ADMISSIONS DECISIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Detention admissions criteria</li> <li>--Risk assessment</li> <li>--Risk assessment validation</li> <li>--24/7 screening</li> <li>--Juvenile detention risk assessment monitoring</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 3</li> <li>--Practice Guide #1</li> <li>--RAI training</li> <li>--Model sites</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Admissions</li> <li>--FTA rate</li> <li>--Re-arrest rate</li> <li>--RED reductions</li> </ul>
ALTERNATIVES TO DETENTION PROGRAMMING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Home detention</li> <li>--Day/evening reporting center</li> <li>--Electronic Monitoring/GPS</li> <li>--Shelter/foster care beds</li> <li>--Reception Center</li> <li>--Placement Coordination</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 4</li> <li>--Model sites</li> <li>--Fundamentals training</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--ADP</li> <li>--FTA rate</li> <li>--Re-arrest rate</li> <li>--RED reductions</li> <li>--Commitments/placements</li> </ul>
EXPEDITED CASE PROCESSING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--“Speedy trial” rules</li> <li>--Expeditors</li> <li>--Weekly detention &amp; daily case reviews</li> <li>--Early screening/assignments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 5</li> <li>--Model sites</li> <li>--Fundamentals training</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Average length of stay (LOS)</li> <li>--Distribution of LOS</li> <li>--FTA rate</li> <li>--Re-arrest rate</li> <li>--RED reductions</li> </ul>
“SPECIAL DETENTION” CASES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Response grids</li> <li>--Court notification systems</li> <li>--Differential warrant policies</li> <li>--Dispositional planning</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 9</li> <li>--Model sites</li> <li>--Fundamentals training</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Admissions &amp; LOS</li> <li>--RED reductions</li> <li>--FTA rate</li> <li>--Re-arrest rate</li> <li>--Commitments/placements</li> </ul>
CONDITIONS OF CONFINEMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--JDAI facility standards</li> <li>--Facility self-assessments</li> <li>--Population reductions</li> <li>--Statewide standards</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 6</li> <li>--Practice Guide #2</li> <li>--Conditions training</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Influence</li> <li>--Leverage</li> </ul>
REDUCING RACIAL & ETHNIC DISPARITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--The formal RED mandate</li> <li>--Community engagement</li> <li>--RED work plan</li> <li>--Disaggregated data</li> <li>--Special detention case reforms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--Pathways 8</li> <li>--RED training</li> <li>--Model sites</li> <li>--Helpdesk</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>--All YOC impact indicators</li> <li>--Additional metrics</li> <li>--Influence</li> <li>--Leverage</li> </ul>

Click on a core strategy, best practice, tool or resource for more information.

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