



**Governor's Office for
Children and Families**



**Criminal Justice
Coordinating Council**

Juvenile Justice Grant Program Technical Assistance

REGIONAL WORKSHOP ANNOUNCEMENT: May 16, 17, 23, 29 & 31

The Georgia Criminal Justice Coordinating Council (CJCC) and the Governor's Office for Children and Families (GOCF) have issued RFPs for grant programs that strengthen community-based treatment options in order to reduce a county's annual felony commitments to the Department of Juvenile Justice and to Short-Term Program sentences.

Workshop focus: CJCC and GOCF have partnered with the University of Georgia's Carl Vinson Institute of Government to host a series of regional full-day workshops to support counties as they develop plans that are informed by data, by evidence-based practices and by assessments of the county's strengths and challenges.

The Regional Workshops support the RFPs' purpose to "bring together system stakeholders, community leaders and residents to identify and access existing local resources for the development of a multifaceted response to prevent further penetration in the system. This community-focused planning approach will allow for the maximum usage of available community resources and ensure broad community support."

Attendance: Each county is encouraged to have a team of key stakeholders attend the Regional Workshops, including representatives of courts, county government, the Department of Juvenile Justice, community collaborative bodies and service providers.

When and Where:

- All Workshops are from 9 a.m. to 4 pm with a light lunch provided; sign-in is from 8:30 – 9 am.
- Please see the chart below for Regional Workshop dates, registration deadlines, locations and directions.

Please Pre-Register to ensure adequate lunch count: <http://cjcc.georgia.gov/node/406>

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2013 Juvenile Justice Grant Programs-CJCC & GOCF: County Plan Development

Regional Workshops start promptly at 9:00 am and end at 4:00 pm

Please sign-in before 9 am, beginning at 8:30 am

Date	Registration Deadline	Location
GAINESVILLE Thursday, May 16, 2013	May 14	Gainesville Civic Center, Sidney Lanier Room 830 Green Street, NE Gainesville, Georgia 30501 (770) 531-2680 Directions: http://www.gainesville.org/fullpanel/uploads/files/gpr-facilityrentalmap-v4-00003.pdf
CARTERSVILLE Friday May 17, 2013	May 15	Holiday Inn Cartersville, Azalea Room I-75 & Hwy. 411 Cartersville, Georgia 30120 (770) 386-0830 Directions: http://www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/us/en/cartersville/ctvga/hoteldetail/directions
FORSYTH Thursday, May 23, 2013	May 21	Georgia Public Safety Training Center, Bay C 1000 Indian Springs Drive Forsyth, GA 31029 (478) 993-4000 Directions: http://www.gpstc.org/directions.html
TIFTON Wednesday, May 29, 2013	May 23	UGA Tifton Conference Center, Ballroom A 15 RDC Road Tifton, GA 31793-5766 Directions: http://www.caes.uga.edu/external/tccc/location/index.html
SAVANNAH Friday, May 31, 2013	May 29	Coastal Georgia Center, Room 111 & 113 305 Fahm St Savannah, GA 31415 (912) 651-2005 Directions: http://cgc.georgiasouthern.edu/directions.html