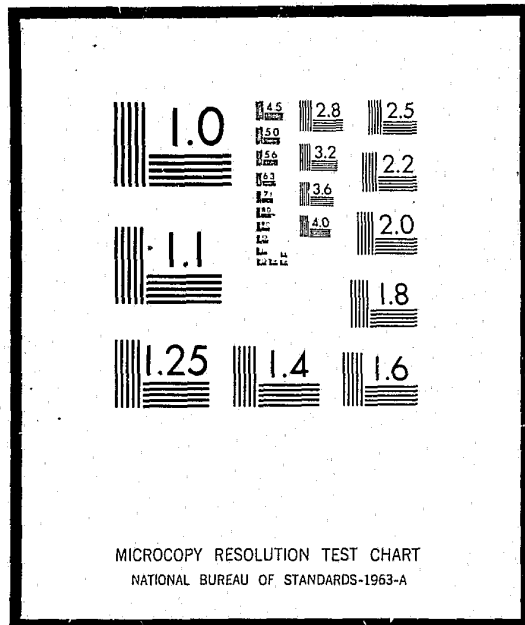


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Region "C" CCCJ
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Dear Howard:

Enclosed please find a copy of Colusa County's final quarterly report for the period ending 6-30-1974. Along with the report you will find a copy of the product evaluation performed by Pace of Chico.

During the past two years, I have been most grateful to you and your staff for the guidance and assistance you have provided. The project went well, but without your assistance we would have had many more problems to overcome.

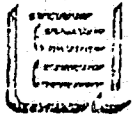
I would like to thank the Regional Board and CCCJ for their support and assistance with this project. The seed money provided enabled us to develop a program which continues to provide a valuable service to the residents of Colusa County. As can be seen in the final report and the evaluation, the project has met its goals and the desired impact was achieved.

Again my thanks to you and the Board. We couldn't have begun without your help. I look forward to working with your office again, possibly on future projects. If I can be of assistance to you with other programs please feel free to contact me. If you are in the area stop by or give us a call.

Sincerely,

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COLUSA COUNTY (CA) DELINQUENCY PREVENTION
COMMISSION

QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT

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1.0 General

At the conclusion of the second year of the project, Colusa County has completed the implementation phase, trained 200 teachers, 60 professionals, 90 paraprofessionals and has provided educational programs to over 500 community members and 600 students.

The Colusa County Project has implemented an extensive counseling/crisis intervention program which has provided service to over 300 clients since its inception in October, 1973. The Counseling Program is also providing programs for Drug Diversion clients under P.C. 1000, Group Sessions for high risk juveniles for Delinquency Prevention and Group Sessions for persons in jail or under intensive supervision by the Probation Department.

The Grant Project, Systematic Plan for involving youth in Productive Interaction was used by Colusa County as seed money to implement new services to residents of the County. At the end of the second project year it was the decision of the County Government to not renew the grant for a third year, but instead fund all of the new programs through existing County agencies on a continuing basis. The programs started with the assistance of the CCCJ Grant are now being funded by the County Mental Health, Probation, and Superintendent of Schools Offices.

The objective of the Project was to develop and implement a County wide program that, through productive interaction between existing agencies and community action programs, will significantly increase community awareness of the causes of delinquent behavior, provide youth and adults with constructive

alternatives to delinquent behavior, and increase positive reactions by adults and youth in terms of attitudes toward and compliance with community norms, legal provisions and acceptable health standards with emphasis on drug abuse and alcoholism.

(See Attachment A, final product evaluation.)

2.0 Summary of Activities/Accomplishments

2.1 County Wide Management Component

During the second project year the major accomplishments of this component were in the area of expanded responsibilities and fiscal independence.

In the second half of the project year the Commission was expanded to include the managements of the County Alcoholism Program under its mandated responsibilities by the County Board of Supervisors, the fiscal budget for the program was expanded from \$24,000.00 to \$41,600.00 and now includes Drug Abuse, Alcoholism, Delinquency Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation in addition to planning and administration.

The financial base for the program was shifted from CCCJ to Mental Health, Probation, Schools and C.Y.A. by action of the County Board of Supervisors during the budget hearing for fiscal year 1974-1975. This action by the Board of Supervisors and the financial commitment by the "existing County agencies", indicates the degree of acceptance of the new programs within the County.

2.2 Education/Training Component

The major emphasis for the second project year shifted from community awareness to indepth education and training of professionals and laymen in the County.

1. Initial Exposure. 475 persons received an introduction to the problems of substance abuse and delinquency (1-3 hours)
2. Indepth Exposure. 523 persons attended educational programs throughout the County. These programs included teacher workshops on Values Clarifications and youth workshops on problem solving, communications and decision making. (3-20 hours)
3. Training. 432 persons in Colusa County received intensive training in the areas of teaching techniques for Substance Abuse, Crisis Intervention, Peer Counseling and Community Organization. 35 persons were trained as crisis workers, 160 teachers received training in Values Clarification and 30 teachers attended 2 weeks of inservice training in New Approaches in Human Education. 155 students were trained in Values Awareness-Decision Making and 30 students attended a 2 week program in Human Education.

2.3 Treatment Component

During the second project year the treatment component progressed from theory to reality. In July, 1973, the treatment component existed only on paper as a part of the county plan. In October 1973 a Counseling Center was opened with a staff of one counselor 3-6 hours per week and the program Coordinator. By July of 1974, the program had provided over 350 hours of individual counseling and 380 hours of group counseling to 175 clients, and included a drug counselor 32 hours/week, alcohol counselor 16 hours/week and the program supervisor/coordinator. The Counseling Center now operates a 24 hour/day Crisis Hotline, runs the county drug diversion program, group counseling for persons on intensive probation supervision,

and group sessions for young people indentified as high risk for potential delinquency. Individual counseling is provided for drug users/abusers from early experimenters to heroin addicts, accounting for over 35% of all individual counseling provided at the Center. Drug Diversion accounted for 8% of the individual counseling, and alcohol problems accounted for over 17% of the counseling provided.

The product evaluation report (Attached A) indicates that the clients served by the counseling center were persons who would otherwise not have received assistance from previously existing county programs, therefore is fullfilling a previously un-met needs.

3.0 Project Summary

The Colusa County Systematic Plan to involve youth in Productive Interaction was initiated in January 1972, in an attempt to impact the problems of drug abuse and alcoholism, and to break down the barriers that prevented persons with these problems from seeking and receiving help before their problems created a serious health and community hazard. At the time the project was implemented existing county agencies were struggling with hit and miss fragmented, un-coordinated efforts to "solve" the problem. Youth felt they had no place to turn for help with their problems and parents were frightened and frustrated in their attempts to cope with the "new" problems.

The plan selected by Colusa County was based on the premise that:

1. Youth needed to turn to someone with their problems.
2. Once trust is developed youth will seek assistance from certain adults in their communities.
3. Before adults could be trusted they needed to be trained.

4. Before adults seek training they need to become aware of the problems that exist, the causes and the potential solutions to these problems.

The plan then concluded that once a path for productive interaction was established between youth and adults, the agencies in the county needed to provide services which would permit the youth with problems to begin changing their lives and move away from Drug Abuse, Alcohol Abuse and other patterns of delinquent behavior.

The plan was implemented and followed step by step. The end results have been measured and evaluated and are included in Attachment (A).

The adults were educated and became more aware of the problems and causes of Drug Abuse, Alcohol Abuse and Delinquency. Out of the adults who attended the awareness sessions came a core group who were concerned enough and interested enough to seek further training in working with people and their problems. From this core group came a select group of adults who were informed and trained, and who were able to obtain the trust and confidence of youth and adults experiencing problems. The youth have turned to these people for assistance and the agencies and county government have responded by providing, through the Counseling Center, services which permit people to solve problems and change their lives.

The Colusa County Plan has not eliminated the problems of Drug Abuse, Alcoholism or Delinquency but it has broken down many barriers which had prevented people from seeking and receiving help. The plan has not eliminated the fear parents have concerning drug abuse, but it has provided them with a place to turn where they

can receive assistance with their problems. The plan has not eliminated agencies efforts to "solve" the problems of Drug Abuse, Alcoholism and Delinquency it has, however, provided the agencies with training to better serve the public, a vehicle to provide new services where gaps existed before, and improved cooperation with each other to improve public image and to increase their effectiveness in the delivery of services.

COUNSELING CENTER

SUMMARY SHEET - HOURS OF SERVICE

APRIL-MAY-JUNE

	JACK			1974			JOHN			SUE-JIM			TOTAL
	APR	MAY	JUNE	APR	MAY	JUNE	APR	MAY	JUNE	APR	MAY	JUNE	
Drug Abuse		1		2	8	6				6	3		26
Drug Diversion		4	2	1									7
Alcohol Problem	2	3		5	6					3		14	33
Crisis				5	7	16							28
Total Individual	2	8	2	13	21	22				9	3	14	94
Prevention Group	9	12		27	10	10				3	8		79
Jail Group	4			6	10	15							25
Probation Group				3	3					4			10
Drug Ed. Group			88										88
Total Group	13	12	88	36	23	15				7	8	-	202
TOTAL HOURS	15	20	90	49	44	37				16	11	14	296

C O U N S E L I N G C E N T E R

Client Data Summary

MONTHS

NUMBER

April, May, June, 1974

Individual/Group	44
Group only	<u>83</u>
Total 127
Number of repeat clients	<u>-55</u>
Number of new clients.....	72

SUMMARY:

Inactive	14
Discharged	34
Clients in groups only	83
Clients in Individual & group sessions	17
Clients in Individual counseling only	<u>27</u>
Total of clients served through 1 July, 1974.....	175
Males over 21	54
Males under 21	40
Females over 21	51
Females under 21	<u>30</u>
Total 175

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