

# Resources

Our unit cannot survive on Probation alone. We depend a great deal on the ties we make in the community. Some of the great Community Based Organizations (CBO's) we collaborate with are:

- CASH (Community Against Sexual Harm):
- City of Refuge:
- WIND Youth Services:
- Turning Point:
- River Oak Center for Children:
- My Sister's House:
- Stanford Youth Solutions:
- Another Choice Another Chance:
- UCD CAARE:
- Capital Star:
- Strategies for Change:
- Soroptimist:



## Commercially Sexually Exploited Children (CSEC) Officers

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## Sacramento County Probation Department Supporting Positive Change Impact Services



### Commercially Sexually Exploited Children Unit (CSEC)

Specialized Field Unit providing support, case management, supervision and assistance to young people ages 13-21 years of age under Juvenile Court Jurisdiction.

We work with young people who may also be involved with the Department of Children, Family and Adult Services. These young people may be at risk of being sexually exploited or may have been sexually exploited.

# CSEC Goals & Responsibilities

Our team, the CSEC unit, works closely with Child Protective Services (CPS), Mental Health, and Community Based Organizations (CBO) to provide a comprehensive and collaborative response and ensure CSEC youth are appropriately assessed, supported, and provided with the services they need to overcome trauma and live healthy, productive lives.

As a part of the Collaborative Court team, CSEC officers meet with the District Attorney, Public Defender, and County Counsel, CPS, Mental Health, other law enforcement entities and community based providers to discuss viable options for youth at their Court proceedings. The goal is to ensure Youth and their families have input and are provided with a roadmap for success.

With safety as a priority, CSEC officers use a harm reduction approach when providing intensive case management services and guidance.



# Indicators

Some common indicators we look for while working with our youth are:

- \* New Tattoos/Branding
- \* Difficulty making eye contact
- \* Change in their behavior i.e. depression, anger, shame
- \* Suddenly in possession of expensive clothes,
- \* Hair and nails done and they are not employed
- \* Large sums of money and no employment
- \* Starts calling her boyfriend “DADDY”
- \* Truancy



# Neccesities & Incentives

These items are provided to support the youth in need. Whether it is for those youth whom are pregnant or those that just need to buy some clothes or food.

Gift Cards are given for such things as accomplishments, holidays, birthdays, graduations or special occasions.

These items are all generously donated by our community partnerships.

