

2000
19,000 youth
in detention.

2000
Probation supported Schiff-Cardenas Crime Prevention Act signed by Governor; Challenge Grants begin

2006
Probation begins Risk Needs Responsibility principles

2007
Juvenile Justice Realignment signed with Probation support

2008
Probation adopts a new evidence-based approach for juveniles

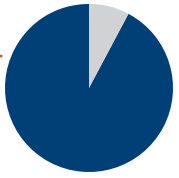
2012
Probation increases use of validated assessments and careful detention screening leading to significant reductions in juvenile detention

2016
CPOC supports Prop 57 ending direct filing of juveniles to adult court

2017
The Continuum of Care Reform (CCR) (SB 403) redesigns residential care for foster youth creating short-term residential treatment programs providing mental health treatment and focuses on child and family teaming

2021
SB 823 begins closure of Division of Juvenile Justice; realigns entire juvenile justice continuum to county probation departments

2023
Nearly 90%
of youth served in the community.



State begins investment in Probation, leading to development services for youth.

Services targeted to high-risk youth, diverting low-risk youth and referring them to interventions tailored to their needs.

Programs implemented to keep youth closer to families while providing and connecting youth to services.

Educational, rehabilitation, job training, and other social service programs implemented and evidence-based programming and wrap-around services for youth continue.

About 8,000 youth in juvenile detention or camps. More youth receive treatment and supervision in the community.

Felony arrest rates down 73%. Probation continues individualized assessments, needs-based case planning, evidence-based programming, and wrap-around services for youth continue.

CCR in implementation and Probation works to find familial and STRTP placements for high-needs youth.

DJJ permanently closed in 2023, approximately 250 youths returned to California counties.

2023
Juvenile Detention at just over 2,877 youth.

County Probation's Leadership in the Transformative Evolution of California's Juvenile Justice System

