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PROJECT BRIDGE

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH



PAXEN  
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H&M  
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# What is Project Bridge?

Innovative Collaboration – Five Partners-One Focus  
*Right Service, Right Place, Right Time*



# Partner Roles & Experience

## **Eckerd: System Administration and In-School Education**

- 45 years working with at-risk/delinquent youth
- 14,500 served annually

## **HBI: Career Technical (Vocational) Education and Mentoring**

- Certification, mentoring & job placement for at-risk youth/delinquent youth
- 13,000 served annually

## **Henkels & McCoy: Career Preparation, Workforce Training**

- Workforce experience (certifications/job placement) at-risk/delinquent youth
- 3,350 served annually

## **Paxen: Published Curriculum and Workforce Training**

- 21 in-school/out-of-school workforce programs for at-risk/delinquent youth
- 2,900 served annually

# Aligned with DJJ Roadmap

**Supports DJJ mission and vision to increase post-residential stability for youth through the facilitation of a successful transition from residential commitment programs to communities throughout Florida.**

## **Core Services:**

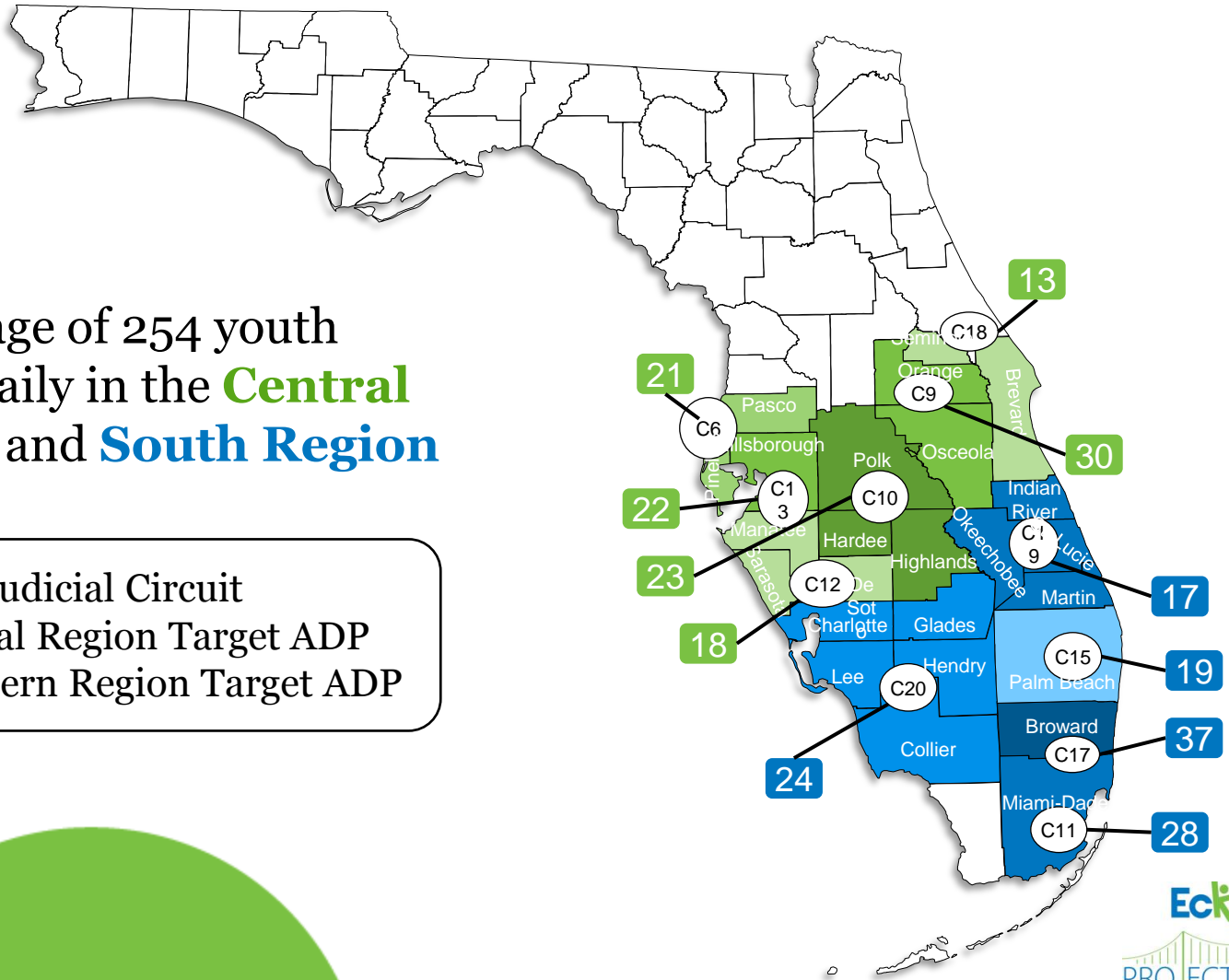
- Educational Instruction
- Vocational Credentialing & Job Readiness Training
- Mentoring and Community Activities
- Group and Individual Transportation

Related Support

# Geographical Service Delivery

An average of 254 youth served daily in the **Central Region** and **South Region**

- DJJ Judicial Circuit
- Central Region Target ADP
- Southern Region Target ADP





# Referral Criteria

- **Boys and girls ages 11 to 21 reintegrating back to their home communities from residential programs in Central and South Florida.**
- **Must be on Conditional Release or Post-Commitment Probation status with the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice.**
- **Must be in need of one or more of the following Core Services:**

Educational

Vocational

Mentoring

Transportation

Related Support

## Method of Service Delivery





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# Eckerd Project Bridge Website

## www.eckerd.org

The screenshot shows the Eckerd Project Bridge website. At the top, there is a blue navigation bar with links for OFFICE LOCATIONS, NEWS & EVENTS, JOIN OUR TEAM, CONTACT US, and DONATE. Below this is a white header with the Eckerd logo on the left and a search bar followed by dropdown menus for ABOUT ECKERD, PROGRAMS & SERVICES, and GET INVOLVED. The main content area features a large photograph of three smiling young adults. To the left of the photo is a sidebar with the heading PROGRAMS & SERVICES and a list of service categories: Prevention Services, Community-Based Services, Transitional Services (with sub-items: Group Home Transition Services, Juvenile Justice Aftercare Services, and Project Bridge Transition Services), Residential Services, System of Care Management, and Affiliations. Below the photo is a breadcrumb trail: Home > Programs & Services > Transitional Services > Project Bridge Transition Services. The main heading for the page is PROJECT BRIDGE TRANSITION SERVICES.



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# What are your questions?

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