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Prevention, Retention, and Contingency Development Reserve (PRCDR) Projects for the State of Ohio

Executive Summary

The Prevention, Retention, and Contingency (PRC) program is the cornerstone of Ohio's welfare reform efforts. The local flexibility inherent in this new program encourages counties to develop initiatives that strive to prevent Ohio's working families from seeking public assistance as well as provide the necessary work support services to encourage the formation and maintenance of healthy families. PRC also encompasses projects funded through the PRC Development Reserve (PRCDR) fund that enabled the expansion of PRC services within communities. This report provides brief descriptions of PRCDR projects funded for the time period January 1, 2000 through June 30, 2001 and is accurate as of August 31, 2000. Actual project numbers and expenditures to date may vary due to amendments to PRCDR projects that may have occurred in counties since September 1, 2000.

The wide-ranging diversity among PRCDR projects contained herein illustrates the ingenuity and entrepreneurial spirit with which county agencies approached implementing the PRC program. These project narratives highlight creative opportunities that have been undertaken throughout the State of Ohio to address a broad range of societal issues that impact an individual's ability to achieve and maintain self-sufficiency.

Proposals have been categorized into one of the following ten subject areas: employment and training; diversion, work support, and retention; child welfare and protection; non-custodial parents; pregnancy prevention; domestic violence; emergency, contingency, and disaster services; youth and educational support services (birth to age 18); community and economic development; and early start. A total of \$299.1 million funded 1,207 proposals. The amount of funding allocated to each of the ten categories is presented in the following table.

Category	Funding	Number of Projects	Percent of total funding
Employment and training	\$88.4 million	222 projects	29.6%
Youth educational support services	\$61.3 million	262 projects	20.5%
Diversion, work support, and retention	\$44.4 million	238 projects	14.8%
Child welfare and protection	\$43.9 million	171 projects	14.7%
Community and economic development	\$18.9 million	84 projects	6.3%
Emergency, contingency, and disaster services	\$15.3 million	54 projects	5.1%
Non-custodial parents	\$8.6 million	34 projects	2.9%
Pregnancy prevention	\$7.2 million	48 projects	2.4%
Domestic violence	\$5.6 million	52 projects	1.9%
Early Start	\$5.5 million	42 projects	1.8%
TOTAL	\$299.1 million	1,207 projects	100%

This report summarizes all projects in Category 3 Child welfare and protection. These programs provide services to vulnerable children and their families. Programs that address this include the prevention of child abuse and neglect and the promotion of family reunification. For a total compilation of county projects please see *Volume 1 Description of PRCDR Projects by County*.

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<p><i>Allen County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Enhanced Graduation, Reality, And Dual-Role Skills (GRADS) Program Lima City Schools and the Apollo Career Center will provide the Graduation, Reality, And Dual-Role Skills program (GRADS) to all pregnant and parenting teenagers (both male and female parents). Services will include mentoring, emergency child-care and transportation, tutoring, prenatal classes and Welcome Home visits.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Family Literacy Program The Lima/Allen Council on Community Affairs (LACCA) will provide education on parenting and early childhood to families eligible for OWF and PRC assistance.</p>	<p><u>Total Funding</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$75,000</p> <p>\$18,000</p>
<p><i>Ashland County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Prizing Each Child Ashland Parenting Plus will provide parent education, fatherhood education, and pregnancy prevention education to vulnerable families based on professional referrals and to those requesting these services. The purpose is to facilitate the sense of caring and connectedness children have with their families and for each child to be prized.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Newborn Follow-Up The Catholic Charities Services Corporation of Ashland provides home visits to families bringing a baby home from the hospital. Funding allows for the hiring of needed staff and for the purchase of breast pumps. The goal is to reach vulnerable children and families at a very early point and provide parental education and support of breast-feeding.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Parents & Children Cooperating Together The Catholic Charities Services Corporation of Ashland County provides a full-time mental health clinician to meet with youth, who are in danger of further criminal behavior, in their homes with their families. The goal is to maintain youth in their home and to prevent court adjudication.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Families Empowered to Succeed The Appleseed Community Mental Health Center and Catholic Charities Services Corporation of Ashland County each will hire a community-based worker who will work with low-income, at-risk families with at least one minor child. These individuals will work in the family's home environment and model healthy family behaviors such as good parenting. They will focus on helping families to build trust, teaching them how to manage conflict, and will suggest constructive ways to make "family" a priority. This program will also provide a home-based awareness consultation whenever drug or alcohol abuse is suspected. A cash incentive may be offered to newly employed individuals who have transportation and/or daycare needs.</p>	<p><u>Total Funds</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$30,000</p> <p>\$9,320</p> <p>\$82,960</p> <p>\$155,959</p>

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<p><i>Ashtabula County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ For Children's Sake: Non-Custodial Parent Program This program will be implemented in order to help non-custodial parents meet their obligations. These individuals will receive employment and training services from Goodwill Industries of Ashtabula, Inc. Specifically, the services will be individualized vocational assessment, job readiness training, peer support, job development, placement, and follow-up services, and will address the needs and responsibilities of being a parent.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Advocate A licensed social worker will assist low-income families who are nearing time limits by providing supportive services. The targeted families will receive individualized case management, counseling and conflict resolution, anger management, and problem resolution.</p>	<p><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$114,300</p> <p>\$100,000</p>
<p><i>Athens County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Low Income Family Awareness Outreach Program This program is designed to increase low-income families' awareness of programs and services for which they are eligible. A media campaign (TV, radio, billboards, etc.) and community based outreach will be employed to educate low-income families about services such as Medicaid, food stamps, and job services. The program will also provide assistance in applying for these benefits.</p>	<p><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$300,000</p>
<p><i>Belmont County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Home-Based Therapeutic Services CDJFS designed this program to provide supportive services and immediate, intensive in-home services for families in crisis situations. The primary goal will be to intervene to prevent removal of children from the home and reduce the number of placements into foster care.</p> <p>☞☞ 4-H Youth Development and Family Consumer Science - Divorce and Blended Family Educator The OSU Extension Office will hire a Divorce and Blended Family Educator who will work with mentors and consult with appropriate families in order to teach basic communication skills, self-esteem development, interpersonal skills, and alternative ways to resolve conflict for families adjusting to divorce, remarriage, death, or moving. The "Family Change" program will target 1,000 third grade students and the mentoring program will provide one-on-one counseling services for 20 children from single-parent families.</p>	<p><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$710,853</p> <p>\$61,353</p>

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<p><i>Belmont County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Juvenile Court Intake Coordinator The Juvenile Court will hire an intake coordinator to screen complaints, meet with youths and parents, and assess the youth. The intake coordinator will also enter the youth's name in a database. The program will act as a mediation service to identify and refer delinquent youths to the appropriate agencies for counseling, diverting them from court.</p> <p>☞☞ Many Colored Days (Bereavement) Program High school and middle school students who have recently experienced the death of someone close will be targeted in this program. A bereavement specialist will present a program to help students talk about how they feel about the death of their loved one. The students will attend sessions in which they watch a video and talk in a group format.</p> <p>☞☞ Life Enrichment The Salvation Army will hire a caseworker to work with low-income families in several areas. The caseworker will conduct in-home visits, group sessions, emergency services, and attend various community meetings as a representative of the Salvation Army. He or she will determine which families are in need of emergency services such as rent food, and utility assistance.</p> <p>☞☞ Social Service Coordinators The Educational Service Center will hire several coordinators to help middle school students improve their educational, social, emotional, and behavioral skills. The topics to be covered by the after-school program include nonviolent conflict resolution, character development, study skills, peer mediation, goal-directed behavior, teen behavior, decision-making, and communication skills.</p> <p>☞☞ Belmont County Visitation Center The visitation center will offer a multi-level system of services to families including supervised drop-off/pick-up, monitored visitation, facilitated visitation, parenting programs, child counseling and adult counseling. The goal of the center is to improve functioning levels in families that are court ordered for supervised visitation.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$55,054</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$11,004</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$39,870</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$278,808</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$491,822</p>
<p><i>Brown County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Project</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation Team A family preservation team - consisting of intervention specialists, diversion coordinators, secondary resource staff, JOBS coordinators, and other professionals - will work collaboratively to provide crisis intervention services for at-risk families at or below 300% of the federal poverty threshold through service referrals and case management services. Activities will target a variety of at-risk families, including those that need help paying utilities or rent, those that need assistance with the daily care of their children, and those whose children have been referred through juvenile court and are in need of individual family intervention.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$1,215,396</p>

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<p><i>Butler County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Relative Care Coordinator The Children Services Board and the CDJFS will hire a relative care coordinator to assist families who must give up their child temporarily to a relative. The coordinator will organize times when the family and child can meet without interrupting school or work. The coordinator will also make additional appointments and provide individual attention to each family.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Night Program A collaborative effort among the New Miami Local School District, the Head Start Parent Involvement Group, the New Miami School-Linked Health Center, and Students Trying Alternatives To Using Substances, this program will offer a Family Night one evening a month to all families in the village of New Miami. The program provides a meal, an educational presentation, and a family game time.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$75,000</p> <p align="right">\$17,980</p>
<p><i>Carroll County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Personal & Family Counseling Services (PFCS) - Intensive Parent Training An intensive parent-training program will be provided to low-income parents that have an “identifiable problem of inadequate parenting.” Parents will be required to meet for 2 ¼ hours, two to three days per week, for a total of 12 weeks.</p> <p>☞☞ Red Cross - Family Ties – Water & House Safety Program The program is designed to teach low-income individuals and families how to be safe around the home and water. Various programs include water safety training for all ages, babysitting courses for young teens, and childcare courses for adults. The “Till Help Arrives” program includes CPR and First Aid courses as well as aquatic training.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$7,680</p> <p align="right">\$5,275</p>
<p><i>Champaign County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Juvenile Diversion The Champaign County Prosecutor’s Office will assist approximately 200 at-risk youth entering the juvenile justice system due to an offense. The office will dismiss an indictment or complaint in return for responsible measures to be taken by the youth. These measures include drug and/or alcohol counseling, obtaining steady employment, obtaining a high school diploma or GED, receiving tutoring, attending adult literacy classes, attending school, and providing community service.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$49,122</p>

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<p><i>Clark County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Advocate Program The Rocking Horse Center, Inc., will provide family advocacy services to low-income people. Facilitation and advocacy will be provided to help families gain access to services that meet basic human needs in regard to education, legal assistance, financial assistance, safety, and appropriate housing. This will be done by home visits, early intervention, and follow-up.</p> <p>☞☞ Strengthening Families Approximately 205 staff members at CDJFS will be taught Covey’s Seven Habits of Highly Effective Families. These staff members will then customize the program so that low-income families served by the Family and Children’s Service Division will easily understand it. The trained staff will then relay Covey’s methods to the target population.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Service Agency – Neighborhood Development Program The Family Service Agency will encourage the development of relationships among people in the community through their neighborhood development program, Neighborhood Network. This program helps improve the residents’ ability to maintain a safe environment for their families. They will also initiate their Families and Schools Together (FAST) program to bring families within the neighborhood school environment together for fun, research-based activities aimed at strengthening families and empowering parents.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$78,672</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$149,070</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$170,234</p>
<p><i>Clermont County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Development of Living Skills OSU Extension Office will provide the “Development of Living Skills” program to families referred from Children Services or Common Pleas Court. The one-hour-per-week, six-month program offers a holistic approach to addressing work-family issues such as childcare, meal management, budgeting, interpersonal communications, parenting, and transitioning from being at home to being employed outside the home.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$122,200</p>
<p><i>Clinton County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Kinship Care Coordinator The Clinton County Children Services Board will hire a Kinship Care Coordinator for families in which the main caregiver is the grandparent or specified relative of the minor child, not the biological parent. The coordinator will become a centralized service point for information and referral, advocacy, and community awareness.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$53,750</p>

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<p><i>Clinton County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Youth Intervention Services Two series of group intervention classes will be offered to enable youth to better understand and better deal with their feelings of anger. These classes will be offered to youth 10-18 years of age in families at or below 300% of the federal poverty threshold and who are referred by the Juvenile Court Judge, Magistrate and/or probation officer, area schools, or other social service agencies.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$46,000</p>
<p><i>Columbiana County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Learning to Parent Through the county's child advocacy center, parents will have access to a total of 40 hours of training in child development and intervention methods to include hands-on and role-play activity. Participants will be TANF-eligible parents at or below 200% of the federal poverty threshold who are involved with the court system due to domestic violence, involved with Children Services, involved in any form of crime, or are referred by schools, hospitals, or the court system.</p> <p>☞☞ Safe Kids The Columbiana County Health Department will provide training on prevention of and response to water, bicycle, and motor vehicle accidents involving children. Safety equipment such as bicycle helmets and car seats will also be provided. Eligible families will have children and an income at or below 200% of the federal poverty threshold.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$77,500</p> <p align="center">\$44,000</p>
<p><i>Coshocton County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ The Family Organizational Stability Program (FOSP) A team of specialists from Thompkins Child and Adolescent Services will administer a 24-hour on-call assistance program that provides intensive in-home services to families referred from the Children's Services Board or the Juvenile Court. The program will help resolve conditions that could lead to the removal of a child or children from the home.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Stability Urgent Respite Care The Family and Children First Council will provide respite care services to families with children at risk of being removed from the home. The families will be supervised during respite care and placement at the First Step Family Violence Intervention shelter. Other services for the families are participation in therapeutic interventions and community activities.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$135,000</p> <p align="center">\$80,085</p>

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<i>Cuyahoga County</i> <u>PRCDR Projects</u>	<u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u>
<p>☞☞ Youth Training and Employment to Serve Vulnerable Children and Their Families The Department of Justice Affairs is looking to help youth in correctional facilities to prevent recidivism and future dependency. They will develop a comprehensive continuum of care for juvenile offenders so that they can successfully transition from the correctional facility. A reintegration capacity plan and a training/employment plan will be created for each individual.</p>	\$1,200,000
<p>☞☞ Grandparent and Other Kinship Caregiver Initiative The CDJFS will serve grandparents and other relative caregivers who are eligible for PRC assistance. The target services provided will include legal assistance, respite care, and community linkages. Kinship care navigators (paraprofessional social service workers) will be stationed at 12 community agencies in the city and inner ring suburbs to serve as family guides.</p>	\$2,012,000
<p>☞☞ Parent Support Program Component 2: Parent Services Project in Child Care Arena The Parent Service Project will meet the needs of single- and two-parent families through childcare programs. These programs will include parent education workshops, respite care, family fun events, leadership training, informational sessions, and others. All activities are designed to teach necessary skills and offset crisis.</p>	\$1,339,100
<p>☞☞ Parent Support Program Component 3: Families & Schools Together Families and Schools Together (FAST) is a national model that facilitates the building of relationships for children 3-14 years of age with their own families, peers, schools, and communities. It is a 2-year program that reaches out to socially isolated low-income families and is centered around regular multi-family meetings led by a parent professional.</p>	\$2,000,000
<p>☞☞ Family-to-Family Neighborhood Collaborative: School Partnership Initiative The Department of Children and Family Services (CFS) will collaborate with five urban school districts to meet the needs of children and families who are active or at risk of becoming active with CFS. They will utilize the Family-to-Family Neighborhood Collaboratives and the School Readiness Resource Centers to build capacity and serve the children and their families. Services will include: outreach, mental health, advocacy, crisis intervention, substance abuse prevention, parent education, and others.</p>	\$2,750,000
<p>☞☞ Family Support Network Parenting classes will be given to approximately 300 families at risk of substance abuse and/or domestic violence. Parents will be given information on child growth and development, child management and discipline techniques, parenting skills for difficult to manage children, coping with stress, and balancing work and family demands.</p>	\$21,000
<p>☞☞ Expansion of Family Resource Center Networks The county will expand current resource center services by providing programs that break down isolation, create positive opportunities for educational and social interaction, and strengthen the parent-child relationship. One hundred low-income families will be targeted to receive these services.</p>	\$117,210

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<p><i>Cuyahoga County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Community/Family Partnership Program Residents of the Collinwood and Euclid Green neighborhoods will be provided wraparound services by the CDJFS. The program will allow communities to receive appropriate referrals and will assist in developing partnership plans that describe family goals, responsibilities, timetables, and strategies for achieving goals. The population of this area is 1500, and all will be served through this project.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$211,749</p>
<p><i>Darke County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Juvenile Day Treatment To address the issue of juvenile delinquency, Darke County Juvenile Court has installed a day treatment program for children with drug and alcohol problems or concomitant behavioral issues. Each child in the program will attend a group therapy session five days a week, two hours a day. The sessions are intended to reduce the number of delinquents and build self-esteem among participants.</p> <p>☞☞ Child Car Seat Voucher A partnership between K-Mart of Greenville and the Darke County Health Department will provide infant car seats to families whose income is at or below the 300% of the federal poverty threshold and who have a child who is 40-80 pounds or between 4 and 8 years old.</p> <p>☞☞ Darke County Family Visitation Center The Juvenile Court system is attempting to simplify the supervised visitation process by creating a visitation center. This facility will allow families referred to the center to meet at a neutral site where visitation can continue to develop family attachment. A Project Manager will be hired to begin the implementation of the facility.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$82,901</p> <p align="center">\$7,500</p> <p align="center">\$50,000</p>
<p><i>Delaware County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family and Children First Council - Youth Mentoring Program The target population for this project is first- or second-time nonviolent offenders or younger siblings of adolescents currently in the juvenile court system. Trained mentors will be matched with each child. They will focus on teaching life skills and goal selection and attainment. The mentor match will last about 3 months with regular weekly activities.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$21,800</p>

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<p><i>Delaware County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Delaware Juvenile Court - Court Appointed Special Advocates; “Whatever It Takes” Court Appointed Special Advocates will work with at-risk children and their families to ensure competent advocacy in the courts for abused, neglected, and dependent children. They will gather information, attend interagency meetings, do home visits, and participate in court proceedings. The “Whatever it Takes Program” utilizes a full spectrum of nontraditional and flexible services to assist at-risk children and families. Goals are to assist minor children transition to independent living, provide skills to teenagers to remain off public assistance as a lifestyle, keep kids in school, and keep families together. The program will provide flexible funds, specialized counseling, childcare, and transportation.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$120,000</p>
<p><i>Erie County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Multi-Systemic Therapy to Stabilize Youth and Family in Our Community The use of multi-systemic therapy aimed at youth with serious antisocial behavior problems will aid in family preservation and behavior management. The intervention calls for increased awareness and training of families, helping parents better manage youth behavior.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$270,000</p>
<p><i>Fairfield County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Parenting Directions Services will be provided by the OSU Extension Office, Fairfield, to educate families on the power of positive parenting. Referred families will be given weekly instruction on parenting skills and knowledge. The instruction will be delivered either face-to-face or through a newsletter. The aim is to reduce child abuse and neglect within the target families.</p> <p>☞☞ Car Seat The Fairfield County Health Department will assist any family in need that receives services from CDJFS. The family will receive a voucher for a car seat, and will be given a car seat for a child upon completion of a one-hour educational session. Also, community-wide education will be provided to the public on the proper uses of car seats and necessity for them. A total of 300 seats will be given out through the program.</p> <p>☞☞ Bremen Family Outreach Bremen-Bethel Presbyterian Church, along with Fairfield Medical Center and Fairfield Union School District, will help students and families in the Bremen Elementary School District. Any student who exhibits signs of abuse or has significant behavioral problems will receive crisis counseling for six hours a week. Other services will be help in coping with divorce, grief counseling, and coping with various forms of abuse.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$5,000</p> <p align="center">\$11,700</p> <p align="center">\$6,850</p>

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<p><i>Fairfield County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Support and Visitation Center This center will provide a safe place for divorced parents to meet and visit with their children. Intervention services such as parenting classes and mediation will also be provided. These services will be offered to all types of families, including OWF recipients and those divorced or separated.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$668,850</p>
<p><i>Franklin County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family to Family Project This project will provide services to families from which a child has been removed temporarily, or is at risk of being removed. The adoptive and foster families will also be served. The services included are recruiters for adoptive/foster families, training classes, caseworkers for birth and foster families, referral and assessment, monthly community meetings, family preservation meetings, and community partnerships to provide services to the families.</p> <p>☞☞ Post-Legal Adoptions Services for adoptive families are necessary to prevent further disruption for the child. Children's Services seeks to strengthen family structure through group services, provision of educational materials, crisis counseling, educational workshops and support groups, referral to resources in the community, subsidy reevaluation, background and medical history updates, birth search letters, and follow-up phone contacts for support.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Supports Project CDJFS will provide or contract out services to help the development of family support structures for low-income residents. The five areas include: transportation (free bus passes to a job for six months), substance abuse and mental health (work readiness and job search), homelessness (budget counseling and case management), children's issues (after-school programs), and general family support for targeted specific groups (families with and MR/DD child).</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$180,625</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$312,500</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$7,373,457</p>
<p><i>Fulton County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Young Fatherhood Initiative Program An education program for young males who have fathered a child with a teenage mother will use group and individual counseling in an effort to help these fathers remain an active, positive, and supportive part of their children's lives. The program will also provide career planning and personal development assistance.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$34,000</p>

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<i>Greene County</i>	
<u>PRCDR Projects</u>	<u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u>
<p><i>☞☞</i> Children’s Services Board Home-Based Program Expansion Project The Children Services Board wants to extend its services by hiring two more caseworkers, which would provide service to up to 10 more families. The goal is to provide intensive home-based intervention and link the families with various types of support. Targeted families are those at risk of having a child removed from the home.</p>	\$115,297
<p><i>☞☞</i> Family Environment Upgrade Area children in low-income families will receive school supplies. The CDJFS will give book bags to the children, and vouchers will be distributed to the children so they may buy needed school supplies. In addition, families in need of smoke or carbon monoxide detectors will have them supplied.</p>	\$98,000
<p><i>☞☞</i> Supporting Council of Preventive Effort (SCOPE) Case Management and Transportation Advocacy SCOPE will provide case management, transportation advocacy, and support to referred low-income individuals. SCOPE will hire a case manager to connect the families to support services and make sure they have transportation and childcare. A transportation advocate will assist the family in getting vehicle repairs or making car purchases, as well as making visits to homes to inspect vehicles or order repairs.</p>	\$49,023
<p><i>☞☞</i> Teen Mother Mentoring Project The Tri-County Women’s Network will provide a program titled Mentoring Mom for teenage mothers. The teens will receive one-on-one mentoring from an experienced mother in areas such as infant bonding, basic parenting skills, and cooking. Mothers will be able to shop for baby items at a boutique by collecting points during the course. A program will also be implemented for teenage fathers in need of mentoring.</p>	\$58,355
<p><i>☞☞</i> Supervised Visitation Center This center will be established to allow for children to visit their parents under supervision. Low-income families that have had their child or children removed from the home will be targeted for this service provided by the Family and Children First Council. The visitation center will be open seven days a week, and the staff will provide intake assessment, screening, and orientation into the center.</p>	\$101,602
<p><i>☞☞</i> Teen Mother Home Visitation A home-health nurse will be hired to come into the home of teen mothers to help them improve their first-time birthing experience. The program will be designed for low-income mothers and provided by the Combined Health District. The home nurse will help the women in the areas of health-related behaviors, care of their children, and life course development.</p>	\$60,047
<p><i>☞☞</i> Family Support Program The Council on Rural Service Program will assist low-income families with children 3-5 years of age. Three home visitors will provide in-home instruction for the children. The visits will be held one or twice a week, and will cover literacy activities, school readiness, health issues, and family support.</p>	\$142,500

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<i>Guernsey County</i>	
<u>PRCDR Projects</u>	<u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u>
<p><i>☞☞</i> Teaming for Success Children’s Service Agency will apply an intra- and interagency team approach to the development of an innovative service that is designed to meet the needs of families at risk of abusing or neglecting their children.</p>	\$302,937
<p><i>☞☞</i> Family Intervention to Reorganize and Maintain Stability (FIRMS) A DJFS intervention team will provide in-home counseling for families at risk of losing custody of their children because of ongoing conditions within the home. A Family Training Specialist will provide 24-hour on-call assistance to reduce the risk of child removal, as well as offer training in such areas as financial planning and parenting. A Family Resource Specialist, with experience in helping parents with chronic patterns of abuse or neglect, will work closely with families and aid them in accessing information, services, and funding which will contribute to the stability of the family and safety of the children.</p>	\$117,500
<p><i>☞☞</i> The Family Stability Program Cambridge Community Development Corporation developed this program to combat juvenile delinquency by involving more than 50 youth in a nine-week program designed to foster participants’ work ethic, increase school attendance, and eliminate drug and alcohol experimentation and abuse. This program will use counseling services, group discussions, recreational and role activities, and individual role modeling.</p>	\$42,100
<p><i>☞☞</i> Family Empowerment Program The Mental Health Board will hire a new clinical employee to work exclusively with clients of the GCCS and CDJFS. The services provided will include: comprehensive assessments, ongoing counseling, collaboration on case and self-sufficiency plans, collaboration with caseworkers, conducting educational sessions for families and workers to help them understand mental illness, and providing classes on anger management or other areas of need.</p>	\$49,875
<p><i>☞☞</i> Kinship Care The Children Services Board Family Empowerment Program will provide advocacy, education, and support to grandparents or other low-income kinship caregivers who are raising children. The program coordinator will act as an advocate for these caregivers in accessing services, providing support and education necessary to deal with school issues, obtaining medical coverage, and gaining custody, when necessary.</p>	\$44,936
<p><i>☞☞</i> Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) The Ohio State University Extension’s Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) is a national outreach program to families the knowledge, skills, attitudes, and changed behaviors necessary for nutritionally sound diets. EFNEP will serve 55 teach low-income adults who have a young child in their home, are pregnant, or are non-custodial parents.</p>	\$14,000

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<p><i>Hamilton County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ The Ossie Mae (OM) Project: Family Development The Ossie Mae project will target men and women 18 to 24 years of age with children 2 years of age or older, living in Over-the-Rhine, by assisting them in making healthy life choices, becoming productive employed citizens, and developing goals that lead to a desire to effectively parent in a two-parent household.</p> <p>☞☞ Prevention and Education Groups for Parenting, etc. Mental Health Services East, Inc., will develop evening group programs for low-income families at risk for disruption of their family formation. The four areas will be Family Preservation, Conflict Resolution, Peer Relations, and Social Skills. They will use as a model the Nurturing Parent Program (NPP) distributed by Family Development Resources, Inc.</p> <p>☞☞ Gaining Opportunity And Living Skills (GOALS) Family Connect Program Designing Success will create the Gaining Opportunity And Living Skills (GOALS) program for families affected by having a parent incarcerated. Intervention and support services will be provided to keep these fragmented families intact. An individualized program plan will be developed with the help of the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections Case Manager. A community-based support group will provide weekly support after release.</p> <p>☞☞ Development of Adolescent Parent Support Center The Division of Adolescent Medicine at Children’s Hospital Medical Center will develop a program for adolescent parents. Each will be assigned a health professional as a case manager who will help navigate the various service institutions. The adolescent parent will also participate in support groups and parenting education classes.</p> <p>☞☞ Children with Special Needs – Services Coordination The Work Resource Center will target families below 300% of the federal poverty threshold who have a child with special needs. The center will provide services coordination, mentoring, parenting education and life skills training. This is to help participants attain stable workforce attachment and/or to get better jobs in order to maintain a strong and stable family.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$243,610</p> <p align="right">\$59,900</p> <p align="right">\$120,000</p> <p align="right">\$175,887</p> <p align="right">\$370,290</p>
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<p><i>Hancock County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation and Reunification The Children’s Protective Services Unit (CPSU) will identify families in need of services and eligible for PRC assistance. These services may include therapeutic counseling, substance abuse counseling, respite care, parent education, kinship care, or others.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$144,000</p>
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<p><i>Hardin County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Respite Services for Behaviorally Disordered Children Respite services will be provided to low-income families with behaviorally disordered children.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$9,999</p>
<p><i>Harrison County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Ties - American Red Cross This program will teach low-income adults how to safeguard a child’s environment to help prevent accidents around the home and water by designing activities on water safety and swimming, babysitting, and CPR and first aid training.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation Team The CDJFS will assist families at risk of losing children to out-of-home placement. A staff member will assess each family to determine its specific needs. In behavioral parent training, the parents will practice learned methods of childcare on their children. Family therapy will enable the families to communicate, improve relationships, and eliminate substance abuse and domestic violence. The third technique, family skills training, will involve structured activities, such as special therapeutic play, that encourage unity, communication, and conflict reduction.</p> <p>☞☞ Blessings Program – Family Mentors The Salvation Army developed this Parent-Aide program to provide mentors and resources to address family instability issues. The program promotes self-sufficiency by modeling and teaching the following skills: parenting, money management, time management, and stress reduction. The program provides 30 hours of training for nine mentors recruited from local churches. It will also provide a maximum of \$1,000 to low-income families in the program for necessary items such as cleaning supplies, clothing, utilities, and other emergency needs.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$3,956</p> <p align="right">\$77,096</p> <p align="right">\$27,367</p>
<p><i>Henry County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Child Welfare Services – Family Support The CDJFS will provide services for qualified families in order for them to become more stable and competent. The program will offer services such as vocational and family counseling, parenting and family preservation classes, respite care, and assistance to victims of domestic violence.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$296,500</p>

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<p><i>Hocking County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Hocking County Juvenile Court – Intervention for At-Risk Youth Two caseworkers will each work with up to ten youth who have a history of being unruly, truant or a runaway. Caseworkers will work intensively with, and prepare a risk assessment and social history on the youth and his/her family, as well as develop a case plan including the youth’s personal and career goals.</p> <p>☞☞ Scenic Hill Grandparents Program This program addresses the specific needs of grandparents raising grandchildren without the help of the parents. Operated by the Scenic Hills Senior Center and utilizing the skills and knowledge of the Hocking County extension agent, this program will provide seminars for grandparents, respite day-care, classes for children, and recreational activities for the family units.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$99,737</p> <p align="right">\$40,000</p>
<p><i>Holmes County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Project STAY - Glenwood Apartment Complex This is an outreach program that provides a comprehensive strategy to target low-income, single head-of-household families with a number of social problems who are at risk for abuse and neglect. The program intends to assist these families by increasing their utilization of existing social service programs that prevent child abuse, promote family stability, and encourage self-sufficiency.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$63,960</p>
<p><i>Huron County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation Team CDJFS will implement this project with the help of the Huron County Family and Children First Council and the Huron County Alcohol, Drug Addiction, and Mental Health Services Board. This is a preventive service based on Multi-Systemic Therapy (MST) for the treatment of serious antisocial behavior in youth. Using home-based services, these agencies hope to change the behavior of referred youth and reduce family separations.</p> <p>☞☞ Parenting for Parents of Teens Erie-Huron-Ottawa Vocational Education (EHOVE) Career Center will provide parenting classes to low-income parents with a teenage child living in the home and non-custodial parents of teenagers. Individuals will receive small group instruction in the form of handouts, group discussion, speakers, role-playing, and other instructional methods.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$200,000</p> <p align="right">\$12,000</p>

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<p><i>Huron County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ For Children’s Sake: Services to Non-Custodial Parents For Children’s Sake is a program developed by Sandusky Bay Area Goodwill Industries, Inc. to provide an array of services to non-custodial parents, which will result in long-term, stable employment. The program services include job readiness training, peer support, job development, placement, and follow-up services.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$16,320</p>
<p><i>Jackson County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Project</u></p> <p>☞☞ Jackson County Family Support Wraparound services will be provided to at-risk families in three areas: intensive family support services for stabilizing families; home intervention services to include advocacy, support, and assessment; and parenting services to provide education, information, and skill development.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$779,188</p>
<p><i>Jefferson County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Non-Foster Care Respite Services Respite care will be provided to low-income families whose children and caregivers need time apart for the purpose of maintaining the stability of the family unit. Services are expected to be short-term, 30 days or less, and up to six families can participate in any given month.</p> <p>☞☞ Community Assessment Team This team will be hired to provide assessments and training to low-income families. After the needs of the families have been identified, the caseworkers will link the families to appropriate community sources that will help them identify their strengths, facilitate problem-solving, increase functioning during times of transition, establish individual goals, provide support for change, monitor progress toward goal attainment, and provide day care.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Stability Enhancement JCDJFS will fund Jefferson Behavioral Health Counselors and Children Services Board Caseworkers who will work intensively with low-income families as a team to prevent out-of-home placement of troubled children, while also stabilizing the family unit. Sessions will be conducted within the home to address such issues as stress and time management, arranging childcare and transportation, coping with discipline problems, getting the kids to school everyday, and other general family stressors.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$172,213</p> <p align="right">\$329,130</p> <p align="right">\$225,000</p>

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<p><i>Knox County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ FREEDOM Center - Parenting Workshop A workshop has been designed for OWF recipients nearing their time limits. It will provide information on family management and coping with stress. The program is designed to help working parents remain employed and become competent parents.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$6,400</p>
<p><i>Licking County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Juvenile Delinquency Prevention Services Multisystemic Therapy will be used for youth 13-17 years of age demonstrating antisocial behavior. The program works with the parents so they can keep the youth in the family. Family, peers, and school interventions are among the approaches used to improve behavior.</p> <p>☞☞ Client Advocacy The client advocacy position has been formulated in order to help OWF families in danger of reaching time limits. The client advocate will visit families in their homes with the hope of resolving their concerns and arranging referral services. He or she will identify and respond to the specific needs of each at-risk family.</p> <p>☞☞ Prevention Youth Services The CDJFS will implement several programs targeting low-income and at-risk youth. These programs will be designed to decrease truancy rates, behavioral problems, and unwanted pregnancies in the youth. They will focus on social, behavioral, and educational services, juvenile delinquency prevention services, and early childhood intervention services.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$213,075</p> <p align="right">\$218,000</p> <p align="right">\$705,000</p>
<p><i>Logan County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ PRC Development Reserve for Vulnerable Children & Their Families This proposal will help at-risk children and their families by providing tutoring, mentoring, and enrichment activities. Adult volunteers will train the parents through mentoring and modeling the appropriate actions for childcare. They will also refer other opportunities to the parents.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$100,000</p>

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<p><i>Lorain County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Respite Care for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Planned, intermittent, short-term substitute care designed to provide supervision for the children to meet their instrumental and daily living needs.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$57,086</p>
<p><i>Lucas County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Well-Being & Nutrition The OSU Extension Office will provide training on housecleaning and homemaking skills, self-help and self-care skills, and meal planning and preparation. The targeted population is families on OWF or those transitioning from it.</p> <p>☞☞ Services for Vulnerable Families Nine county Family Resource Centers will offer services to families transitioning to OWF assistance and those at risk for it. Service providers will link the families to needed services and supports and provide on-site outreach.</p> <p>☞☞ Fatherhood Responsibility Initiative Support for OWF and other low-income fathers will be provided in this program. The service will use outreach and mentoring to help the targeted men become better fathers. Services will include advice regarding balancing work and family, peer support, mediation, and linkage to other services.</p> <p>☞☞ Kinship Care The CDJFS will offer support services to families who provide kinship care. The support will come through home-based and peer-group support services. In addition, respite care will be provided, and information on childcare topics will be given.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$100,000</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$1,400,000</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$625,000</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$450,000</p>
<p><i>Madison County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Respite and Developmental Assets Program The Madison Area Youth Center Inc. (MAYCI) will attempt to nurture the parent-child relationship by implementing a 15 hour-per-week respite program. Services include a monthly seminar for parents, individual consultations, child advocacy and referral services, tutoring, counseling, and a training course for the children.</p> <p>☞☞ Child Welfare Services This expansion program increases the dollar cap and number of occurrences for services and also raises the economic need standard to 200% of the federal poverty threshold. Services include case management, homemaker services, resource and referral, parenting classes, respite care, and others. The cap is raised to \$3,000.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$117,230</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$69,509</p>

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<p><i>Madison County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Stability/Support Services This expansion program increases the dollar cap and number of occurrences for services and also raises the economic need standard to 200% of the federal poverty threshold. Services include consumer credit/budgeting services, legal services, life skills training, and others. The cap is raised to \$1,500.</p>	<p><u>Total Funding</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$69,509</p>
<p><i>Medina County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Child Safety Seat Program Community Action Wayne/Medina will provide infant/toddler (convertible) safety seats to families with children up to 4 years of age or 40 pounds and will provide high back belt positioning booster seats to families with larger toddlers and for children 4-8 years of age. Families will also be trained on the appropriate installation and use of the child safety seats, as well as the use of tether restraint straps.</p> <p>☞☞ Job and Family Services CDJFS offers Family Group Conferencing as a service available to low-income families whose children face imminent removal from their home or who have been removed because of high risk of abuse and/or neglect. This service will empower the families to recognize and utilize their own strengths, maximize available community and kinship resources, monitor progress, become more accountable.</p> <p>☞☞ Risley Agricultural Center: Family Development Program The Cultivating Kids Committee of the Family First Council and Risley Agricultural Center will offer a program to work with low-income at-risk youth and their families by improving their communication skills, anger management, decision-making skills, and empathic qualities. This program is offered in an effort to prevent future negative behaviors.</p> <p>☞☞ Rural Family Preservation Project A number of countywide organizations will team together to develop a Family Resource Center designed for families in rural areas and low-income families who cannot access urban facilities during the day. The Family Resource Center will have a variety of services for these individuals and families, including health clinic services, supportive drug and alcohol programming, family literacy classes, early intervention information and screenings for Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities (MRDD) families, developmental and vision screenings for preschoolers, bookmobile services, a library lending service, family counseling, and parenting classes.</p>	<p><u>Total Funding</u> <u>SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p>\$17,000</p> <p>\$81,543</p> <p>\$38,702</p> <p>\$139,268</p>

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<p><i>Medina County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>Family Stability Services The CDJFS will begin a project to assist families experiencing difficulties that might lead to temporary loss of children. Wraparound/diversion services will be provided by a family stability caseworker. Short-term service delivery by highly trained employees will help families with more severe problems by providing an even more intensive support system. Increased concrete services, such as transportation, activities for children who have been moved from the home, homemaking, and independent living services will all be implemented through this program.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$100,000</p>
<p><i>Meigs County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>Home Stabilization: At-Risk Children’s Mentors Program This program provides a mentor to at-risk children identified by the Juvenile Court, the Public Children’s Service Agency, or local schools. The mentor will make home visits, be a resource for referrals to various agencies, and provide transportation to the individual to various necessary treatment facilities.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$54,494</p>
<p><i>Mercer County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>Active Parenting The Mercer County DJFS, along with Mercer Early Childhood Agencies and Mercer County Head Start, will expand current parenting services by beginning three new classes aimed at specific parenting skills. These classes will help parents or expecting parents in low-income families learn the importance of active parenting. The classes focus on parenting teenagers, parenting children 2-12 years old, and parenting children 1-4.</p> <p>Family Support Services Organizations United for Resources (OUR) Home will provide several services to help families remain together. All families will first be assisted with information and referral services, and will be served depending on their needs. These services include emergency assistance or other O.U.R. Home services. A follow-up will be conducted for each family after service has ended. Targeted individuals will be OWF or PRC recipients with children.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$1,721</p> <p align="center">\$76,124</p>

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<p><i>Mercer County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family to Family - Phase II A trained employee of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Mercer/Auglaize Counties will mentor OWF recipients and other low-income employed families (300% of the federal poverty threshold). The mentors will develop friendships with the participants and guide them in developing a plan that involves finances, goal setting, participation in faith-based support groups, and the use of tools designed to assess talents and abilities as related to development of self-worth and job skills.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$13,200</p>
<p><i>Miami County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ In Home Family Service Program Miami County Family and Children First Council will implement a Family Service Program to assist low-income families in the county. Each eligible family will receive an in-home family coach. The coach will attempt to strengthen the family by providing services and referral.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$25,000</p>
<p><i>Montgomery County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Intensive Service to Prevent Out-of-Home Placement Dayton Metro Housing Authority, mental health services, and child protection case management will team together to treat families with substance abuse problems at home. The project will also assist families in remaining sober and drug-free.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Stability Referral to a team of service providers for assessment and case review - as well as assistance in obtaining access to an array of formal and informal services - will be available to families who do not have open cases with Children Services but whose circumstances suggest possible need for removal of a child.</p> <p>☞☞ Supervised Child Visitation CDJFS will begin providing children and their non-custodial parents the opportunity to have a safe meeting place. The community-based visitation will give parents an environment that aids in a nurturing interchange.</p> <p>☞☞ Counseling for Families, Juveniles The Juvenile Court will screen and process all youth referred to them for delinquency. A "Red Flag" screening will be administered to evaluate the need for additional referrals and services, such as mental health or child protection.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$955,000</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$750,000</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$337,500</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$2,250,000</p>

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<p><i>Montgomery County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Youth Leadership Development/Violence Prevention In an effort to reduce violence among youth, CDJFS will design a program that promotes healthy thinking in youth and directs them away from acts of violence by helping the youth identify alternative methods of coping.</p> <p>☞☞ Comprehensive Prevention/Education for Youth and Families This program will be designed for teenagers, especially those who display risky behaviors. The program will cover teenage pregnancy prevention, preventing or delaying sexual involvement, violence prevention, preventing or delaying alcohol and drug use, and offering other alternatives.</p> <p>☞☞ Youth in Crisis Child Services will help abused and neglected children and their families by providing counseling and therapy. The program will include 24-hour assistance, advocacy, and linkages to additional resources.</p> <p>☞☞ Positive Parenting Classes Classes will be provided for new, young parents and high school girls. The class for new parents will teach them about the needs of their babies. The class for high school girls will encourage two-parent families and abstinence until marriage.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$107,100</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$362,982</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$255,000</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$106,741</p>
<p><i>Morgan County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Juvenile Boot Camp Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Division, will work with the Ohio National Guard to offer expanded weekend after-care services to the current nine-day boot camp project for both male juveniles in boot camp and at-risk male youth for placement in boot camp. This program will permit youth to associate with adult male role models who will instill in them a positive life attitude with emphasis on building self-esteem. The after-care component would also encompass psychological, living skills, and drug/alcohol counseling.</p> <p>☞☞ Visitation Center The Morgan County Court of Common Pleas will set up a visitation center to provide a neutral setting for those who need supervision for visitation. The center will have a full-time counselor who will be available for psychological evaluations, as well as, counseling of juveniles and those navigating through the domestic relations process and/or juvenile court system.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$125,000</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$60,000</p>

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<p><i>Noble County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Surviving the Single-Parent World Services will be offered to help single parents reach self-sufficiency. They will address the following issues: substance abuse, co-dependency, conflict resolution, parenting skills, time management, stress management, credit counseling, work ethic, self-esteem, decision-making, and the balance of work and family.</p> <p>☞☞ Life Skills Training Ohio State University Extension will conduct life-skills educational programs for low-income participants. Some of the topics covered are balancing work and family, maintaining a safe and functional home, disciplining children, teaching children responsibility, maintaining a functional wardrobe, and enhancing personal wellness and self-esteem.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$25,643</p>
<p><i>Paulding County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Child Welfare / Family Support Services Services provided under this program will target families with open Children Services cases or who are vulnerable to the potential removal of their children due to lack of daily coping skills. Support is needed for these families to be successful in the workforce and to be self-sufficient. Services will include personal advocacy, budgeting, coping skills, parental education and others.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$142,734</p>
<p><i>Pickaway County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Court Visitation Center The County Pleas Court-General and Juvenile Division offers a new community center to provide services for families referred by the court, child support, and human services due to past difficulties in arranging or following through with visitations. The center will provide an area for those in need of supervised visitation and a neutral pick-up/drop-off point for parent/child visitation, while also providing private rooms for crisis intervention counseling and play areas for the children and their parents.</p> <p>☞☞ Community Action and Headstart Outreach Community Action/Headstart Outreach will provide information and outreach services to a broader range of at-risk families to eliminate barriers to economic security and promote better service coordination between Community Action/Headstart and CDJFS. Assessments will be made of each family and an inventory of needed services will be developed to assist with long-term planning for community services.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$90,000</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$271,250</p>

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<p><i>Portage County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Family Solutions This project will provide outreach, advocacy, assessment, integrated case management, education, service linkage, and support for qualified families. The target population will be families receiving or at risk of receiving OWF funds. This project will serve as an information service for these families.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Kinship Caregivers Support Program Family & Community Services of Portage County, Inc. will assist kinship caregivers, primarily grandparents, with this program. The caregivers will receive parent education, support in individual and group modalities, and access to needed services by referral to community resources. A social worker will also work with these families and serve as an advocate and navigator.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$461,883</p> <p align="right">\$59,592</p>
<p><i>Preble County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Jail Intervention Preble Counseling Center and Preble County Recovery Center will work collaboratively to serve families below 300% of the federal poverty threshold who have an incarcerated family member. This program will provide behavioral health and substance abuse educational services, stabilization activities, and family reunification planning to both the inmate and the involved family.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Adolescent Court Diversion Preble Counseling Center will serve families below 200% of the federal poverty threshold who have children at risk of Juvenile Court involvement and possible out-of-home placement. The program provides intensive intervention services to adolescents and their families, including family stabilization, psycho-educational activities, parenting instruction, and referral.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Empowering Families Preble Counseling Center will serve families below 200% of the federal poverty threshold who have children identified by school personnel as being at risk for violence or acting-out behavior in school. The intervention services offered will include psychoeducational groups for children during the day at school, and parenting classes for the adults conducted after work in the community.</p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Grandparent/Kinship Outreach Preble County Council on Aging, Inc., will serve families below 300% of the federal poverty threshold in which the main caregivers are grandparents parenting their grandchildren and/or other kin. This program will identify such families and establish and develop a support group. A Resource Center/Network will be established where publications and informative materials are available.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$61,000</p> <p align="right">\$30,000</p> <p align="right">\$30,000</p> <p align="right">\$28,000</p>

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<p><i>Preble County</i> <i>(continued)</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family and Children First Council Services: Interagency Case Management Preble County Family and Children First Council will serve families below 300% of the federal poverty threshold involved with interagency systems. The council will expand its case management services to meet the physical, emotional, intellectual, and social needs of families and children, helping them build on their strengths and promoting family reunification and stability.</p> <p>☞☞ SBH Family/Parenting Education Preble County Recovery Center and Preble County Counseling Center will serve families below 200% of the federal poverty threshold who have children enrolled in a Severely Behaviorally Handicapped (SBH) class. These families will receive integrated family preservation/parenting education through in-home visits. This assistance will help families to stay intact and the parents to maintain employment.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$15,000</p> <p align="right">\$32,500</p>
<p><i>Putnam County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Parenting Skills/Nutrition/Homemaker Education This program provides financial support for parents to participate in formal parent education programs. It is available to families with incomes below 300% of the federal poverty threshold whose children are at risk of abuse/neglect.</p> <p>☞☞ Placement Prevention/Family Preservation Services This program provides financial support for families to pay for services/items included in a case plan. It is available to families with incomes below 500% of the federal poverty threshold that are involved with children services and have a case plan.</p> <p>☞☞ Taking Individual Pride (TIP) Program – After-School Program A formal, after-school diversion program will be provided to first time non-violent offenders 11-16 years of age who are appearing in Putnam County Juvenile Court, and youth 11-16, who are considered “at risk” by schools, Human Services personnel, Family and Children First Council members, law enforcement, or county attendance officers. The “Taking Individual Pride” program, purchased from the Putnam County Probation Department; includes intensive group process activities and parental/guardian involvement.</p> <p>☞☞ Children’s Advocacy Program – Supervised Visitation Crime Victim Services will create a Children’s Advocacy Center to provide a supervised visitation location for families who have difficulty interacting in a non-threatening manner. The center will offer a comfortable, homelike environment where safety and security are primary concerns. The program is designed to meet the needs of children who have witnessed or experienced violence, abuse, or trauma.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$2,000</p> <p align="right">\$4,000</p> <p align="right">\$100,914</p> <p align="right">\$107,808</p>

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<p><i>Richland County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Kinship Care Project Richland County Children Services will provide a monthly supplemental check to offset unexpected costs associated with caring for grandchildren, nieces, or nephews. The strength of using a relative caretaker is that the child remains with a known relative rather than being placed into an unfamiliar foster home. Examples of items covered with fund expenditures are clothing, food, counseling, and household items.</p> <p>☞☞ Project Family Skills The Mansfield Exchange Club will recruit and train volunteer Parent Aides. These aides will visit families who qualify for OWF or PRCDR assistance and have invited the aides into their homes to receive one-on-one family assistance. The aides will be trained in child safety, child development, home finances, life management, house cleaning, and nutrition.</p> <p>☞☞ Respite/Home Health Care for Parents and Caregivers The VNAMO will assist low-income families with fragile or developmentally disabled children or disabled adults by providing at-home respite care. This will improve the living status of the families by affording them more freedom. The respite worker will also educate the caregivers in proper care for the client.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$34,542</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$10,800</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$116,370</p>
<p><i>Ross County</i></p> <p><u>Project</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation and Placement The CDJFS wants to improve its family preservation unit by implementing this program for families at-risk of losing one or more children to out-of-home placement. Any of five programs will be used in this program, depending on the initial assessment. Psychosocial Assessment for Diversion Services is a face-to-face service that allows families to see alternatives to out-of-home placement, Placement, Diversion, and Management Services will monitor temporary placements and help the child return quickly, Respite Services will be offered to families whose youth need a break for a short period of time, Family Support Services will help families deal with issues such as behavior management or crisis stabilization, and the Family and Community Support Program helps youth who are at-risk for out-of-home placement.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$195,077</p>
<p><i>Shelby County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation Some families have significant health and safety issues inside their homes that require the children to be removed from the home until the problem is fixed. The CDJFS will now supply these families with a three-bedroom apartment until it is safe to return to their homes. A social worker will also provide in-home parenting training and serve as a liaison.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$17,400</p>

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<p><i>Shelby County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Pre-Delinquent Support Program The CDJFS will provide group, individual, and family services to children and their families. This program is directed toward pre-adolescents and adolescents with consistent behavior problems at home and school. The services will be designed to increase self-esteem and personal responsibility among the students.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Stability Funds will be provided in order to keep children in their homes. Services that will prevent the child from being removed will be better funded in hopes that the family will be able to keep the child and resolve their problems.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$174,000</p> <p align="right">\$235,980</p>
<p><i>Stark County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Community Services of Stark County, Maternity and Parenting Services Two full-time social workers will be hired to assist parents at the four locations of Stark County Community Services. The social workers will be responsible for case management, counseling, transportation, education on healthy relationships, and effective parenting and stress management. They can also provide in-home service and help parents transition from dependence to self-sufficiency.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Advocacy + Community Education = Support (FACES) of Stark County, Family to Family for Self Sufficiency FACES is a group that trains parents to mentor other parents and families. The program provides advocacy and service linkage as well. By hearing advice from other families about how to get service and how to talk to professionals, the targeted families may find employment more easily.</p> <p>☞☞ Stark Metropolitan Housing Authority – Family Stability Programs Adolescents who violate their family’s lease agreement with SMHA through problem behaviors will be provided with counseling in order to keep the family from being evicted. A counselor will intervene before the at-risk youth become criminally involved and will provide future prevention services. This plan is expected to serve 15 families.</p> <p>☞☞ Minority Development Services of Stark - Mothers at Risk of Losing Their Children This service provides for women who are in danger of losing their children due to abuse, neglect, or abandonment. The program involves counseling, case management, and instruction about basic family living, parenting, health and nutrition, and independent living skills. It will serve an expected 90 mothers and 135 children in low-income families.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="right">\$148,450</p> <p align="right">\$204,000</p> <p align="right">\$60,000</p> <p align="right">\$370,648</p>

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<i>Stark County</i> <i>(continued)</i>	Total Funding SFY 2000-2001
<u>PRCDR Projects</u>	
<p>☞☞ YWCA of Western Stark County Child Behavior Specialist Program Westark Family Services will hire a social worker with expertise in child development and behavior to work directly with problem children and train staff members at the YWCA of Western Stark County. The social worker will work approximately 20 hours a week to help children with ongoing behavior problems.</p>	\$48,210
<p>☞☞ Community Wellness Center Program Ninety people are expected to participate in the Children and Parents (CAP) program for low-income families with school-aged children who do not qualify for family development and prevention services under Early Start. Each family will be given an initial assessment and will complete a basic life-skills training program. A service plan will be subsequently developed to support each family's specific needs.</p>	\$372,446
<p>☞☞ Child and Adolescent Service Center In-Home Behavior Coach This program will enhance the Family Involved Rapid Stabilization Team (FIRST) Unit of CDJFS. The in-home program will enable the social worker to work with at-risk children in their homes, which has been found to be the most successful approach to dealing with behavior problems. The worker will create and implement a behavior program and also provide therapy and case management.</p>	\$77,750
<p>☞☞ Community Services Specialized PRC – Family Stabilization Program For families referred from Children's Protective Services, CDJFS will provide short-term benefits in order for the families to keep the children at home. Additionally, the department will offer training and job support services to the parents. CDJFS will provide emergency services to the family when needed.</p>	\$801,934
<p>☞☞ Families First Expansion Families First will expand four of their current programs to include more coverage and a larger number of people served, specifically in the Alliance and Massillon areas. Parents Anonymous is a weekly support group designed to prevent child abuse and domestic violence, and increase child behavior management. The Mother Mentor program will expand its service areas by providing support services to pregnant and parenting teens. The Minority Outreach program will increase in the number of Effective Black Parenting Classes offered. The Biracial PRIDE (Parent Resource in Drug Education) program will help biracial children identify and resolve identity issues/conflicts.</p>	\$32,596
<p>☞☞ Minority Development-Effective Black Parenting Minority Development Services Program of Stark County, Inc. will hire an additional instructor for their Effective Black Parenting Program. Approximately 60 low-income parents will receive 48 hours of classroom instruction on effective parenting techniques.</p>	\$40,800

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<p><i>Trumbull County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Advocacy + Community Education = Support (FACES) Family Preservation/Reunification Cash and non-cash services will be provided by the Children Services Board to prevent the possible breakup of the family through court-ordered custody and to help those families at risk or in the process of reunification.</p> <p>☞☞ Support Services for Needy Families Support services will be provided by Trumbull County Children’s Services and Human Services TANF staff for 2 groups: 1) public assistance families and families where parents are underemployed and do not fully use available community resources; and 2) kinship families serving as a relative placement for a dependent child. Service activities for public assistance families include liaison and coordination work between involved agencies, casework counseling to parents regarding work readiness issues, and educating parents about welfare reform. Service activities for kinship care families include specialized casework services to maintain children in their homes, assistance with services or resources, and creation of a partnership relationship between involved agencies and relative caretakers.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$75,000</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$180,000</p>
<p><i>Tuscarawas County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Family Preservation/Expanded Home-Based Counseling Program Families at risk of out-of-home placement will receive an in-depth assessment, plan of treatment, behavioral training for parents, family therapy, and family skills training in order to increase family unity, improve communication, and reduce conflict. Personal and Family Counseling Services, Inc., will focus its efforts on 25 high-risk families and others that suffer from a combination of problems including limited education, mental health and substance abuse problems, and domestic violence issues including physical, sexual, and emotional abuse.</p> <p>☞☞ Supervised Visitation Program Personal and Family Counseling Services, Inc., will provide a safe, neutral place for supervised visitations to families with a child in an alternative care setting - such as foster care or kinship care - where monitored parent/child visits are required. The program will also benefit divorced or separated couples who are required by the court to have visits monitored or who need a neutral drop-off site.</p> <p>☞☞ Lifestyle and Parenting Skills Program Single mothers will attend an eight-week lifestyle and parenting issues intervention program offered by psychiatric nurses and counselors from Community Mental Healthcare, Inc., or they will participate in a home visitation intervention program conducted by a nurse practitioner from the County Health Department. The target population includes mothers of infants from birth through 12 months whose vulnerable infant indicators include factors such as premature delivery, failure to thrive, atypical medical and developmental findings, infant born drug exposed, and/or history of physical or sexual abuse.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$146,094</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$80,634</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$32,196</p>

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<p><i>Tuscarawas County</i> (continued)</p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Kinship Caregiver Support Program Personal and Family Counseling Services, Inc., will provide grandparents and other relative caregivers who are raising children a comprehensive program that includes advocacy, parenting education, and psychological-educational support.</p> <p>☞☞ Family Ties – Family Safety Program Red Cross designed this program to teach low-income individuals and families how to be safe around the home and water. Various programs include water safety training for all ages, babysitting courses for young teens, and childcare courses for adults. The “Till Help Arrives” program includes both CPR and First-Aid courses and aquatic training.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$37,087</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$11,875</p>
<p><i>Union County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>☞☞ Home-Based Services Program – Family Development A Home-Based Services team will provide intensive, in-home services geared toward maximizing family strengths, strength-based assessment, individual and family counseling, skill training, service coordination, and advocacy. These services will be available to families who have an open, ongoing case with the Children’s Protective Services Unit or have a current investigation in progress.</p> <p>☞☞ At-Risk Intervention and Prevention (ARIP) for Elementary Students The ARIP program will provide a combination of both intervention and prevention activities at the four Marysville elementary schools. Participants will be at-risk students from families at or below 300% of the federal poverty threshold. Two new counselors will be hired to join the current staff of two; the four counselors will provide activities for teachers on such topics as guidance learning activities, and anger management student needs identification. They will also perform the following tasks: counsel individual students; consult with teachers, parents, school support staff, and community agencies; refer families to appropriate agencies; orient new students; in-service activities for staff; and interpret group test results.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$106,875</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$100,238</p>

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<p><i>Van Wert County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>Family Mentoring Services Project Family mentoring will be provided for eligible, recently employed OWF individuals or families through Van Wert County. The targeted population for this project includes families who have an open Children Services' case, those who may be vulnerable to potential removal of children from the home, and families whose children are being reunited, as well as families where children's behaviors produce stress that may impact the individual or family's ability to work. Information regarding budgeting, child development, coping skills, parental education, problem ownership, and negotiation skills, as well as personal advocacy, will be offered within the mentoring services.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$54,000</p>
<p><i>Washington County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>Children Services Resource Funding for At-Risk Families CDJFS will provide an allocation to the Washington County Children Service Board from which it can draw to keep at-risk low-income families functioning and intact. Although the amount of money spent on each family will be determined by the board, an eligible family must meet one of the requirements for uses of TANF funds and payments are limited to a four-month period.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$30,000</p>
<p><i>Wayne County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p>Positive Parenting A Family Visitor will be hired to help soon-to-be and first-time parents understand the development of their child. The worker will provide home-based services to 60 low-income families or ones considered at-risk. The ten-week visiting program will offer the appropriate care model and provide support services for the family, with a referral at the end of the period if needed.</p> <p>Parenting Classes An expansion of current CDJFS services will be implemented for at least 82 families, 170 children and youth, and 108 adults/parents. The program will now be available on an as-needed basis instead of only four times a year. The classes will teach the parents about positive discipline, communication skills, handling family stresses, parent and teen conflict resolution, and setting family rules. The service will primarily service low-income or government-supported families.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$101,811</p> <p align="center">\$22,004</p>

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<p><i>Wayne County</i> <i>(continued)</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Neighborhood Caseworkers This proposal calls for a neighborhood caseworker to work in four multi-family residences with high incidence of domestic violence. An apartment/trailer in each area will be rented and used as caseworker offices. The caseworkers will work with area residents to set up tenant groups to identify needs and develop potential solutions, and will also make referrals to appropriate services and agencies.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$96,270</p>
<p><i>Wyandot County</i></p> <p><u>PRCDR Projects</u></p> <p><i>☞☞</i> Family Resource Center – Youth Developmental Services The Family Resource Center will provide Developmental Services for a minimum of 30 students from preschool to twelfth grade. The students will receive short-term intervention from a social worker and will meet four times a year with their families for a fun and interactive program. Additionally, an outreach program will be implemented to provide referral through central intake, a book and video lending library, service coordination, program planning, and follow-up services.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Total Funding SFY 2000-2001</u></p> <p align="center">\$34,736</p>