# **Comprehensive Youth Services Plan Checklist**

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| Each county shall develop a Comprehensive Youth Services Plan (Community Plan). Plans may be developed by individual counties, multiple counties, federally or state-recognized Indian tribes, or by any combination of the three. Plans must be submitted to the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice and must be updated no less than every five years.  |

Pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stats. §43-3504, §43-3505, and §43-2404.01, and Title 75, Chapter 1, 005.02, these are the elements that must be included in a Community Plan.

## Community Team Members (§43-3505):

Juvenile justice system stakeholder representation, including but not limited to:

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| **Stakeholder Representation:** | **Name(s):** |
| [ ]  | Courts |  |
| [ ]  | Law enforcement  |  |
| [ ]  | Community service providers |  |
| [ ]  | Schools |  |
| [ ]  | Detention or shelter care |  |
| [ ]  | County elected and administrative officials |  |
| [ ]  | Probation officials |  |
| [ ]  | Health and human services representatives |  |
| [ ]  | State officials or agency representatives |  |
| [ ]  | Similar committee or group of individuals |  |
| [ ]  | Other |  |
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## Plan Components

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| **1. Data (43-2404.01)** |
| **Notes:**  |
|[ ]  Data is relevant to juvenile and family issues  |  |
|[ ]  Includes an examination of racial and ethnic disparities  |  |
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| **2. Identification of the County Risk Factors (43-3504)** |
| **Notes:**  |
|[ ]  Risk factors for delinquency that exist in the county or counties |  |
|[ ]  Services needed to address risk factors |  |
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| **3. Identification of juvenile services available within the county or counties, including, but not limited to (§43-3504):**  |
| **Notes:**  |
|[ ]  Programs for assessment and evaluation |  |
|[ ]  The prevention of delinquent behavior |  |
|[ ]  Diversion |  |
|[ ]  Detention |  |
|[ ]  Shelter care |  |
|[ ]  Intensive juvenile probation services |  |
|[ ]  Restitution |  |
|[ ]  Family support services |  |
|[ ]  Community centers for the care and treatment of juveniles in need of services |  |
|[ ]  Other:  |  |
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| **4. Identification of Services in close proximity of the county or counties that may be utilized if community-based programs are not available within the county or counties (§43-3504):**  |
| **Notes:**  |
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| **5. Identification of juvenile detention or alternatives to detention the county primarily uses (§43-3504):** |
| **Notes:**  |
|[ ]  Juvenile Detention programs, services, facilities, and providers |  |
|[ ]  Alternative to detention programs, services, facilities, providers |  |
|[ ]  Costs associated with use of such programs, services, facilities, and providers |  |
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| **6. Identify needed community-based programs not available within, or in close proximity to, the county or counites.** |
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## Coordination Plan and Priorities

The coordination plan must include an enhancement, development, and expansion plan of community services within the county, counties, or region to help prevent delinquency by providing intervention services when behavior that leads to delinquency is first exhibited.

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| **1. Coordination Plan: Enhancement, development, and expansion plan of community services, including, but not limited to (§43-3504):**  |
| **Notes:**  |
|[ ]  Alternative schools  |  |
|[ ]  School truancy programs |  |
|[ ]  Volunteer programs |  |
|[ ]  Family preservation and counseling  |  |
|[ ]  Drug and alcohol counseling |  |
|[ ]  Diversion programs |  |
|[ ]  Parents Anonymous |  |
|[ ]  Delinquency prevention efforts and system improvement efforts designed to reduce the disproportionate number of youth members of minority groups who come into contact with the youth justice system.  |  |
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| **2. Priorities: Identify community priorities that includes defining a problem, or set of problems, that affects juveniles at risk or those already involved in the criminal justice system (Title 75, Chapter 1, 005.02);** |
| **Notes:** |
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| **3. Strategies: Identify Implementation Strategies (§43-2404.01)** |
| **Notes:**  |
|[ ]  Identify policies and practices that are research-based or standardized and reliable and are implemented with fidelity and which have been researched and demonstrate positive outcomes. |  |
|[ ]  Identify clear implementation strategies that are S.M.A.R.T.  |  |
|[ ]  Identify how the impact of the program or service will be measured. |  |
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| The plan shall be submitted to the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice. Following or in conjunction with the development of a comprehensive youth services plan, each county may develop regional service plans and establish regional juvenile services boards when appropriate. The regional service plan shall be submitted to the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice. |

