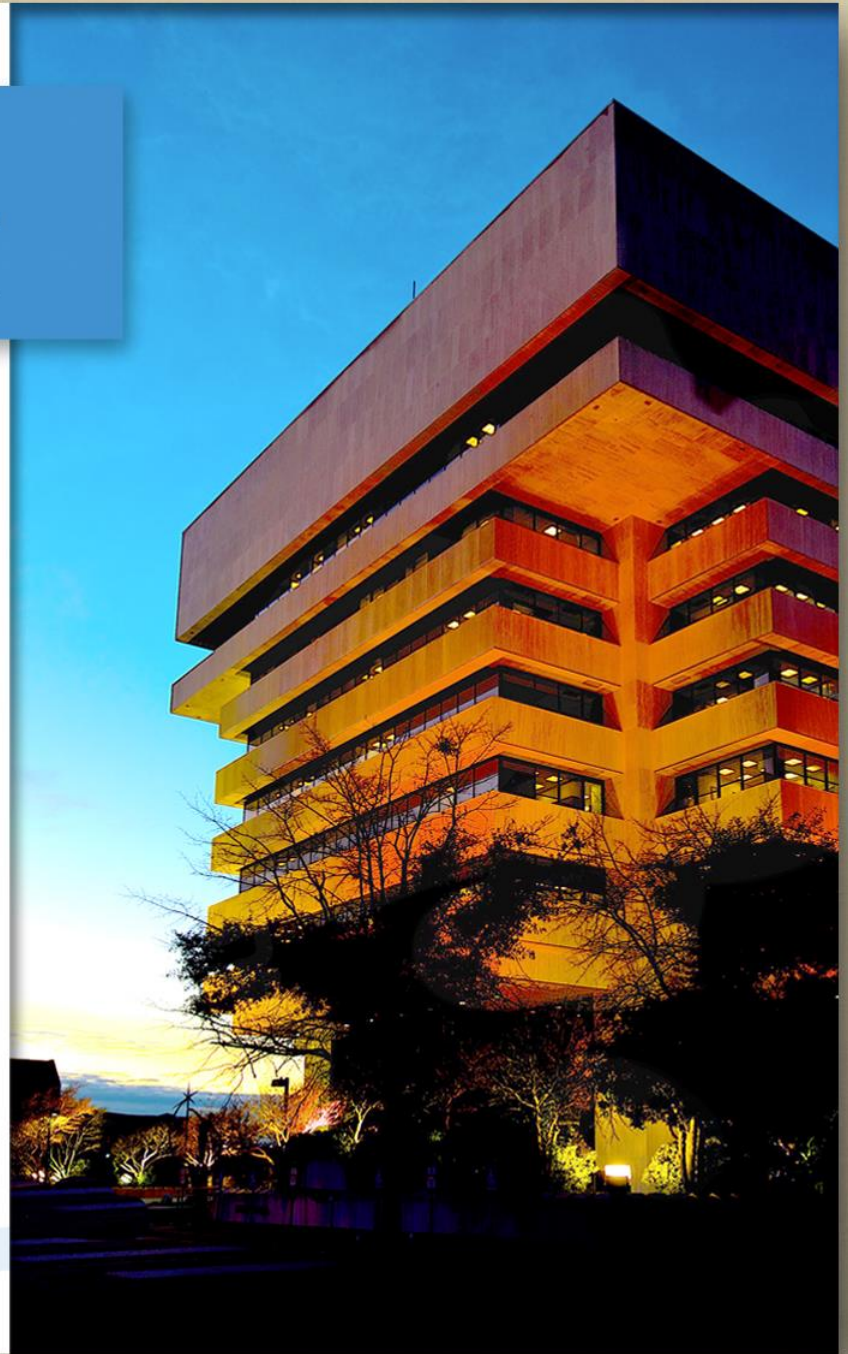


# HAMPTON VA

## **Serious or Habitual Offender Comprehensive Action Program (SHOCAP)**



# What is SHOCAP

- The Serious or Habitual Offender Comprehensive Action Program (SHOCAP) is a multidisciplinary interagency comprehensive and cooperative information sharing and case management program. It is designed to enable juvenile-related agencies to share information about serious or habitual juvenile offenders in order that comprehensive, coordinated services can be provided for the juveniles, and the community can be protected from serious juvenile crime.
- VA Code 16.1-330.1 establishes the ability for localities to voluntarily create a SHOCAP committee, but requires a resolution from the governing body.

# Why Create a SHOCAP Committee

- An estimated 6-8% of juveniles are responsible for 80% of juvenile crime.
- State and local laws that restrict sharing of records on adjudicated juvenile cases limit access to vital information about repeat juvenile offenders.
- SHOCAP's focal point is a database that lists serious, habitual juvenile offenders and integrates information gathered by all agencies. The data is maintained by a local or state agency.
- National standard for cooperative information sharing for serious, habitual juveniles offenders.

# How SHOCAP can Help Hampton

- Identify juveniles as a serious habitual offender when they meet the criteria established by the VA Code.
- Share information with all partners of the team to enhance case management and coordinate resources.
- Potentially reduce the number of repeat offenses, thus increasing public safety.
- Allow access to the younger siblings in the home for referral to prevention services.
- Provides the ability to share information with other jurisdictions that have a SHOCAP Committee i.e. Newport News.

# SHOCAP Committee Structure

- Police Department
- Commonwealth's Attorney's Office
- Youth Violence Prevention Office
- Hampton/Newport News Community Services Board
- Human Services Department
- Juvenile Services Department
- Hampton City Schools
- Sheriff's Office
- 8<sup>th</sup> District Court Services Unit

# SHOCAP Social Autopsy Example

John Doe			36th Street Bang Squad
Date	Agency	Contact	Results
4/1/2006	HPD	Arrest	Theft from vehicle
9/23/2009	HCS	Drug Violation marijuana	7 day suspension
11/5/2009	HCS	Causing Harrassment	4 day suspension, adminstrator conference
1/28/2010	HCS	Fighting	Restricted activity 19 days
1/13/2011	HCS	Fighting	Suspension 7 days
4/26/2011	HPD	Victim	Simple assault
11/15/2011	HCS	Failure to comply	Conference with administrator
1/12/2012	HCS	Cutting class	Alternative Behavior Class (ABC)
2/6/2012	HCS	Failure to comply	Alternative Behavior Class (ABC)
2/20/2012	HCS	Failure to comply	Alternative Behavior Class (ABC)
3/5/2012	HCS	Failure to comply	Alternative Behavior Class (ABC)
3/8/2012	HCS	Failure to comply	Alternative Behavior Class (ABC)
4/10/2012	HCS	Disrepect - talking back	
4/10/2012	HCS	Fighting	10 day suspension
05/25/2012	HCS	multiple-throwing objects	10 day suspension with contract
11/19/2012	HCS	shocing, kicking	10 day suspension
9/1/2013	HDHS	Founded Level II Physical Abuse	Referral by CPS regarding father and younger brother
9/1/2013	HDHS	Transfer of custody request	Transfer of custody from father to mother per father's request
9/23/2013	HCS	Altercation	Conference with administrator
10/2/2013	HCS	Altercation	2 day suspension

# Social Autopsy Example (Cont.)

John Doe			36th Street Bang Squad
Date	Agency	Contact	Results
10/3/2013	HCS	Excessive Talking	
10/8/2013	HCS	Disrespect - Damage	3 day suspension, parent conference before return
11/17/2013	HPD	Report	Runaway
11/22/2013	HPD	Report	Runaway
12/3/2013	HCS	Failure to comply	3 day suspension, parent conference before return
12/27/2013	HPD	Arrest	Simple assault
12/31/2013	HPD	Offender	Simple assault
1/1/2014	HPD	Offender	Robbery from person
1/6/2014	HCS	Failure to comply	3 day suspension, parent conference before return
1/6/2014	HDHS	CHINS Involvement	Court ordered
1/7/2014	HPD	Report	Runaway
1/13/2014	HJJS	Robbery	Secure Detention 44 days
3/24/2014	NNPD	Arrest	Shoplifting
3/24/2014	HJJS	Escape	Secure Detention 38 days
3/25/2014	HJJS	Charges PRB 5012-S9	Secure Detention 125 days
5/1/2014	HJJS	Post D	Secure Detention 166 days
10/22/2014	HJJS	CHINS Services	Intensive Day Supervision 21 days
11/13/2014	HJJS	Charges PRB 5012-S9	Secure Detention 30 days
12/23/2014	HJJS	Simple Assault - Attempt Robbery	Outreach Program
1/9/2015	HPD	Arrest	Burglary

# Social Autopsy Example (Cont.)

John Doe			36th Street Bang Squad
Date	Agency	Contact	Results
1/10/2015	HPD	Report	Runaway
2/4/2015	HJJS	Simple Assault	Intensive Day Supervision 20 days
2/12/2015	HJJS	Simple Assault	Intensive Day Supervision 30 days
2/26/2015	HJJS	Street Robbery	Electronic Monitoring
3/20/2015	HPD	Offender	Robbery
3/23/2015	NNPD	Arrest	Disorderly Conduct
11/3/2015	HPD	Report	Runaway
11/19/2015	HPD	Offender	Weapons Violation
10/18/2016	NNPD	Citation	Curfew Violation
10/18/2016	NNPD	Arrest	Motor Vehicle Theft
10/19/2016	NNPD	Arrest	Receiving Stolen Goods - Curfew Violation
11/18/2016	NNPD	Citation	Curfew Violation
11/21/2016	HJJS	Charges LAR 2817-F6, Mult WPN	Secure Detention 86 days
12/5/2016	NNPD	Arrest	Failure to appear on a misdemeanor
1/4/2017	HPD	Field Interview	suspicious person
2/9/2017	HDHS	Crisis application submitted by mother	Application Denied
2/26/2017	HPD	Victim	Aggravated Assault
3/21/2017	HPD	Arrest	Brandished a Weapon
3/22/2017	HPD	Search Warrant	Arrest of possession of marijuana and 9mm handgun
10/19/2017	HJJS	Charges LAR 2808-F9	Secure Detention 21 days



# Results of Social Autopsy

- Warning Signs
  - Acting out in school, feeling of abandonment by parental figure, running away, curfew violations
- Progression from Minor Crimes to Major Crimes
  - Theft from vehicle, simple assault, burglary, robbery, weapon and drug possession.

# How Can SHOCAP Help

- The juvenile example in this social autopsy case had over 50 interactions with law enforcement and school disciplinary officials. SHOCAP would have allowed us to accomplish the following:
  - Identify the juvenile as a serious habitual offender.
  - Share information with all partners of the team to enhance case management and coordinate resources.
  - Potentially reduce the number of repeat offenses, thus increasing public safety.
  - Provide assistance to parents or guardians.
  - Allow access to the younger siblings in the home for referral to prevention services.

# Next Steps

- Adopt a Resolution
- Create SHOCAP Committee
- Develop Action Plan, Standardized Identification Procedure and Identify Roles of each SHOCAP Committee Partner