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**11th Annual DMC Conference
September 7-10, 2006
New Orleans, Louisiana**

Law Enforcement Solutions for Reducing Racial Disparities & Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC) in Juvenile Justice

The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) through a grant to the Coalition for Juvenile Justice (CJJ) presents the 11th Annual DMC Conference.

The 2006 DMC conference is designed to expand partnerships between state juvenile justice advisory groups, local juvenile justice practitioners and law enforcement officers, jointly seeking solutions to reduce racial disparities and disproportionately high rates of juvenile justice system contact for youth of color. Special attention will be given to the first points of contact that law enforcement officers have with at-risk and offending youth, exploring opportunities for positive outcomes and community partnerships. States' progress and challenges in addressing the federal core protection on DMC (disproportionate minority contact) will be highlighted. The conference format will emphasize small group discussions and information sharing.

Location:

Omni Royal Orleans

621 St. Louis Street – in the French Quarter, New Orleans, Louisiana

Omni Hotels: 1-888-444-OMNI

Royal Orleans: 504-529-5333

Hotel reservations accepted as of May 1, ask for CJJ room block.

CJJ room block rate: \$103 per night for a single or double (rate subject to change).

Conference registration now open through August 25, 2006

To register go to:

www.Cvent.com

Click on the "RSVP for Event" tab

Enter event code **4HN8DJY92SU**

Registration fees: \$225 CJJ member rate
 \$285 non-member rate

Full schedule will include:

- CJJ Board of Directors' Meeting, Sept. 8, 8:00 am - Noon (all welcome)
- CJJ Regional Coalition Meetings, CJJ Committee Meetings
- DMC Coordinators' Meeting, Juvenile Justice Specialists' Meeting and State Advisory Group (SAG) Member and Youth Member trainings
- Service opportunities to help restore New Orleans

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