Wednesday, June 3
CJJ Hill Day, JJ Specialists Meeting, Youth Welcome, CJJ Executive Board Meeting
Attendees are encouraged to visit their members of Congress to inform them of state and local needs, interests, and accomplishments in juvenile justice and delinquency prevention.

Participants are expected to schedule/arrange their own meetings in advance of the conference.

7:00 am – 1:00 pm  Hill Day Packets available for pick-up
7:00 am – 1:00 pm  Registration Open
7:00 am – 8:00 am  Skill Building: Hill Day Training
Discuss talking points on current state/federal issues, juvenile justice funding, and implementation of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (JJDPA) with CJJ staff and allies prior to your Hill Day visits. This training is being offered twice.

Facilitated by: Naomi Smoot Evans, Executive Director, Coalition for Juvenile Justice
Rachel Marshall, Federal Policy Counsel, Campaign for Youth Justice

10:00 am – 11:00 am  Skill Building: Hill Day Training
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5:00 pm - 6:00 pm  **JJ Specialists Meeting (closed meeting)**  
This session provides a forum for state Juvenile Justice Specialists to network, share resources, and discuss emerging issues. **NOTE:** Meeting will involve election of National Juvenile Justice Specialist representative to CJJ’s Executive Board.

**Facilitated by:** Jessica Wheeler, National Juvenile Justice Specialist, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm  **Youth Member Welcome Session**

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm  **CJJ Executive Board Meeting (closed meeting)**  
**Facilitated by:** Pastor Edward Palmer, National Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

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**Thursday, June 4**  
Regional Breakfast Meetings, Conference Opening, Council of State Advisory Groups, Workshops, CJJ Business Meetings

7:30 am – 5:00 pm  **Registration Open**

7:30 am – 5:00 pm  **Exhibit Hall Open**

7:30 am – 9:00 am  **Breakfast (In Exhibit Hall)**

8:00 am – 9:45 am  **CJJ Regional Breakfast Meetings**  
The challenges states and territories face can vary greatly based on geographical region. This meeting time is dedicated to information sharing, problem-solving, and networking for those looking to share concerns, recent innovations, and successes with juvenile justice professionals confronting similar issues. All are invited to attend. (A list of states by region can be found in the back of this program.)  
**NOTE:** Elections will take place during meetings for Regional Chairs, representatives to CJJ’s Executive Board.

**Midwest** – Facilitated by: Hon. Michael Mayer, Midwestern Region Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

**Northeast** – Facilitated by: Bob Sheil, Northeastern Region Representative, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

**Southern** – Facilitated by: Hon. John Dewese, Southern Region Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

**Western** – Facilitated by: Stacie Nelson Colling, Western Region Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

9:45 am - 10:00 am  **Break**
10:00 am - 1:00 pm  **Council of SAGs Meeting & Executive Board Elections**
All conference attendees are welcome to attend this annual meeting of CJJ’s policy-setting body, comprising CJJ Member State Advisory Groups.

**Facilitated by:**  *Pastor Edward Palmer*, National Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm  **LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**

1:05 pm – 2:00 pm  **CJJ Finance Committee Meeting (closed meeting)**
This committee serves as the financial advisor to the CJJ Executive Board and the CJJ Council of SAGs in all of the organization’s financial affairs, in concert with the Executive Director, including, but not limited to preparing an annual operating budget prior to presentation to the Executive Board; conducting periodic review of all financial reports; facilitating a periodic review of all financial policies; reviewing the work of the audit committee; and designing and ensuring compliance with general accounting practices and a system of internal accounting controls.

**Facilitated by:**  *Mark Hutchinson*, Treasurer, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm  **Concurrent Workshop Session #1**
A. TBA
B. TBA
C. TBA
D. TBA

3:30 pm – 3:35 pm  **Break**

3:35 pm – 4:35 pm  **Concurrent Workshop Session #2**
A. TBA
B. TBA
C. TBA
D. TBA

4:35 pm – 4:40 pm  **Break**

4:40 pm - 5:40 pm  **Workshop and Business Meeting**

**R/ED Coordinators and CJJ Ethnic and Cultural Diversity Committee Joint Business Meeting**
All R/ED Coordinators and Ethnic and Cultural Diversity Committee members are invited to attend this joint meeting. It will serve as a forum for those who work on reducing racial and ethnic disparities (RED) to network, share resources, and discuss emerging issues.

The Ethnic and Cultural Diversity Committee ensures that the
diversity of race, culture, and ethnicity of youth in the juvenile justice system remains foremost in the minds of CJJ members. Committee members develop juvenile justice system reforms that generate policies and services to resolve R/ED in the juvenile justice system. The committee acts as an advisor to CJJ on all ethnic and cultural issues.

**Facilitated by:** William Jernigan, National Racial and Ethnic Disparities Coordinator, Coalition for Juvenile Justice  
Tracey Wells-Huggins, Ethnic and Cultural Diversity Committee Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

**CJJ Government Relations Committee Meeting**
This committee reviews federal policy issues and questions related to juvenile justice and delinquency prevention on behalf of CJJ and all of its members. It formulates educational documents, including position papers and policy recommendations, to represent the views of the SAGs and CJJ members. The committee also organizes CJJ’s annual Hill Day and other member training opportunities. The committee also serves as a liaison to other national and state organizations working on federal policy.

**Facilitated by:** Brock Landwehr, Government Relations Committee Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

**Mindfulness Session**

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**Friday, June 5**
Conference Plenary, Workshops, CJJ Business Meetings, Awards Luncheon

- 7:45 am – 5:00 pm: **Registration Open**
- 7:45 am – 5:00 pm: **Exhibit Hall Open**
- 7:45 am – 9:30 am: **Breakfast**
- 9:00 am - 11:30 am: **CJJ Conference Welcome and Plenary Session**

**Welcoming Remarks:** Pastor Edward Palmer, National Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

**Leading the Movement: Reenvisioning Juvenile Justice at the State Level**
States continue to push forward new policies to improve justice systems and keep young people and their communities safe. This session will explore how states are implementing data-driven
changes that reduce incarceration and connect young people with services.

Speakers:
TBA

Building Change: How Youth Leaders are Shaping Reform
Youth are essential partners in the work to improve the systems that serve them, bringing unique lived expertise and fresh perspectives. Join us to hear from the next generation of youth leaders on ways to improve systems and partner with youth.

Speakers:
TBA

11:30 am - 12:30 pm
Concurrent Workshop Session #3
A. TBA
B. TBA
C. TBA
D. TBA

12:30 pm - 12:40 pm
Break

12:40 pm – 2:00 pm
CJJ 2019 Awards Luncheon

CJJ Welcome and Moderator: Michelle Diaz, National Vice Chair, Coalition for Juvenile Justice

Each year CJJ recognizes and celebrates the accomplishments of its national award recipients. Nominated and selected by CJJ members, each recipient has made significant and inspiring contributions to the juvenile justice field.

Awardees:
- A.L. Carlisle Child Advocacy Award
- Tony Gobar Outstanding National Juvenile Justice Specialist Award
- National Spirit of Youth Award

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Concurrent Workshop Session #4
A. TBA
B. TBA
C. TBA
D. TBA

3:00 pm – 3:05 pm
Break

3:05 pm – 4:05 pm
Concurrent Workshop Session #5
A. TBA
B. TBA
Saturday, June 6
Workshops, Conference Closing
8:00 am – 8:30 am  Breakfast
9:00 am - 10:30 am  Concurrent Workshop Session #7
A. TBA
B. TBA
C. TBA
D. TBA
10:30 am – 10:40 am  Break
10:40 am - 12:00 pm  General Session and Closing Remarks

Aloha Spirit: Addressing Racial and Ethnic Disparities Through Culturally Competent Programming
In 2014, Hawaii overhauled its juvenile justice system. At that time, Native Hawaiians were overrepresented in the justice system, along with other youth of color. Among the state’s reforms was a focus on restorative justice and embracing the Aloha Spirit that had long been central to local culture.

Speakers:
TBA

The Sky’s the Limit: How States are Building on the Momentum of Earlier Reforms
In 2016, Vermont became the first state in the country to include 18 and 19 year olds in their juvenile justice system. Hear from local leaders on the lessons they have learned through that process and what’s next on the horizon for the state’s continuing reforms.

Speakers:
TBA