

Beyond Youth Custody

Improving policy and practice in the effective resettlement for young people leaving custody

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Beyond Youth Custody (BYC)

- BYC is a six-year England-wide learning and awareness programme funded by the Big Lottery Fund as part of the Youth in Focus (YIF) initiative
- BYC uses research to challenge, advance and promote better thinking in policy and practice for the effective resettlement of young people leaving custody
- BYC is a partnership led by Nacro along with three research and evaluation partners: ARCS (UK), University of Salford and the University of Bedfordshire
- The Big Lottery Fund's YIF initiative also funded 15 service delivery projects across the country to work with young people leaving custody

Our work

Over the six year programme, we have...

- Produced a robust evidence about what works



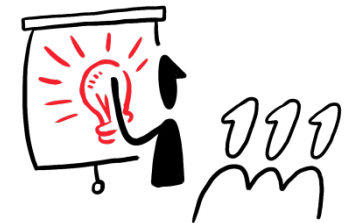
- Provided opportunities for young people to have their voices heard



- Developed and promoted good practice



- Identified and communicated what needs to change



Thematic research reports and practitioner's guides

- Engaging young people in the resettlement process
- Participatory approaches
- Trauma informed resettlement practice
- Girls and young women
- Gang-involved young people
- Ethnicity, faith and culture
- Responding to diversity
- Cost benefit analysis
- Measuring effectiveness
- The role of families in resettlement
- Custody to community: how young people cope with release



All resources available to download <http://www.beyondyouthcustody.net/>

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