

# PbS E-Newsletter

February 2017



## TIMELINE:



**March 22**

Pre-Data Collection DLW



**March 29**

Pre-Data Collection DLW for  
Community Residential  
Programs



**March 31**

Barbara Allen-Hagen Award  
Application Closes



**March 31**

Kids Got Talent Application  
Closes



**April 1**

Data Collection Begins

## BLOGS & RESOURCES:

Department of Education  
Releases Resources To  
Support Justice-Involved  
Youth Transition

PbS Reentry Measurement  
Standards: Give All Youths  
a Chance to Start Again

## REQUEST FOR SUBMISSIONS:

Send your  
recommendations of reentry  
services, practices and tools  
to include in PbS' field scan!  
[Submit Your  
Recommendation](#)

Send us your stories,  
articles and news for  
publication!  
[Submit Your News](#)

## Barbara Allen-Hagen Award Application Tips

Applications are now being accepted for the 2017 Barbara Allen-Hagen Award. PbS put together a tip sheet to help you best represent your facility or program while crafting your application! These tips cover everything from writing advice to previous award winners, and are a great place to start your application process. The Barbara Allen-Hagen Award will be given to the correction, detention/assessment and community residential program that best exemplify PbS' commitment to treating all youths in custody as one of our own using the PbS improvement model to achieve positive outcomes.

[Read the Tips](#)

## PbS Kids Got Talent Contest

The PbS Kids Got Talent Contest has begun, encouraging youths in PbS facilities to showcase their talents and express themselves. All talents are welcome - singers, dancers, magicians, athletes, comedians, poets, whistlers and more. If you have a talent then we want to see it! Participants may enter either as an individual or group performance. The winning individual submission will be invited to perform live at the PbS Awards Ceremony. Travel and one night hotel accommodations for the youth and a chaperone will be paid by PbS. Submit your audio and video recordings on the PbS website in the Awards tab under Talent Contest.

[Submit Your Contest Entry](#)

## PbS Perspective January 2017: Using PbS and Research to Improve Education and Recidivism Outcomes

Offering a snapshot of the conditions of confinement and quality of life in secure facilities, this latest edition connects data with research in areas research show impact education and recidivism outcomes for youths.

[Read the PbS Perspective](#)

## Performance and Budgeting Survey

PbS has partnered with two professors on a project to examine performance and budgeting in juvenile justice programs. This survey should take about 20 minutes to complete. Thank you in advance for considering participating in this study. The work of PbS CJCA and these academic studies are efforts to support the ability of state agencies such as yours to provide the highest quality, most efficient and effective juvenile justice programs and services.

[Take the Survey](#)