# PbS E-Newsletter

# August 2012



#### TIMELINE:

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**Aug 15** 

Youth Records Open

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Aug 15

FIP Progress Notes Due

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**Sep 19** 

Pre Data Collection DLW

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Oct 1

**Data Collection Begins** 



Oct 15

FIP Progress Notes Due



Oct 31

Data Collection Ends

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## **PbS Honors Award Winners**

The PbS Learning Institute (PbS Li) honored Cuyahoga Hills Juvenile Correctional Facility of Ohio and Weber Valley Detention Center of Utah as the winners of the 2012 PbS Barbara Allen-Hagen Award during a ceremony on July 21, 2012 in Denver. The PbS awards are given annually to the one youth correctional facility and the one

detention center that best



as the winners of the 2012 Anthony Pierson, Angie Wurgler, Kenneth Agee, and Damita Peery from Cuyahoga Hills Juvenile Correctional Facility with Coach Lois Jenkins



Mark Osenbach and Susan Burke from Weber Valley Detention Center along with PbS Executive Director, Kim Godfrey and Coach Akin Fadey i

exemplify the core principle  $^{\text{To see more photos, view the }}$   $\underline{\text{online slideshow}}$ 

of the Performance-based Standards (PbS) program: treating all youths in custody as one of our own.

The winners were selected in a competitive application process open to all PbS facilities across the country. More than 30 high-quality applications were considered and all demonstrated how implementation of the national PbS program resulted in positive outcomes for youths, staff and families. The winners were selected for changing the facility culture and aligning practices and services with the current research showing the developmental differences and needs of youths. The leadership in both facilities showed extraordinary dedication to improving their facilities.

"We're here tonight to recognize individuals and programs who, amidst all the demands of daily operations, budget cuts and shifting priorities, intentionally set out on a path of change to make the facilities they run better for staff, youths and families and who accomplished their goals,' said PbS Li Executive Director Kim Godfrey.

The PbS award was created in 2007 to honor Barbara Allen-Hagen in her retirement from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). Barbara's dedication to improving the quality of life in facilities

for young offenders kept PbS' focus on youths for all decisions and innovations and helped drive PbS to its current success.

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