



FY2008 RECOMMENDATION/FY08-BP61 DEFER SUBSISTENCE PAYMENTS FOR INDIGENT OFFENDERS IN COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

Status: Implementation Unknown

Actions/Updates

2023 UPDATE (JUNE)

During the FY 2023 Legislative Session, Senate Bill 2023-158 to reauthorize the Colorado Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice (CCJJ) was postponed indefinitely on May 7, 2023. Therefore, with the sunset of the Commission, all activities of the CCJJ ceased on June 30, 2023.

No further monitoring of CCJJ recommendations will occur.

2013 - 2022 UPDATE

Status unknown.

2012 UPDATE

No implementation.

2011 OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ACTION STEPS

CCJRC's Christie Donner to contact Senator Pat Steadman regarding a footnote in the long bill to spend reverted community corrections dollars on programs such as the one noted in this recommendation. Ms. Donner to report back to CCJJ staff with an update.

2010 UPDATE

No implementation.

2009 ACTION/IMPLEMENTATION

There has been no action taken on this recommendation.

2009 BARRIER

State budget limitations preclude implementing this recommendation.

Description

For individuals entering community corrections facilities, provide the opportunity to defer the first two to four weeks of subsistence payments for those who are indigent.

Agencies Responsible

Department of Public Safety (Office of Community Corrections/DCJ), Community Corrections Advisory Committee

Discussion

Implementation of this recommendation is consistent with the Commission's statutory mandate "to investigate effective alternatives to incarceration [and] the factors contributing to recidivism..." [C.R.S. 16-11.3-103(2)(b)].