Drastic budget cuts forced CA courts to operate with decreased personnel and court resources.

Input: Courts support the CJI program

The local courts support and encourage the CJI, providing the City Attorney and Public Defender necessary space to process their offers.

Local criminal justice stakeholders have the funding and programmatic foundation to make implement CJI.

Prop 47 increases the workloads of the local criminal justice system.

Input: Programmatic changes are made to execute the CJI

All CJI practitioners identify the necessary programmatic changes to successfully roll out CJI. City Attorney hires a designated Program Coordinator. The Alpha Project staffs CJI with an experienced full-time Case Worker. Both Urban Corps and Alpha Project increase their capacity to absorb the influx of offenders into their programs.

Input: Capacity and awareness of stakeholders and service providers raised.

Stakeholder personnel and service providers receive training on the functionality of CJI and its importance to the criminal justice system.

Input: Medium and High risk offenders get a COMPAS needs assessment

The Sheriff uses the COMPAS tool to identify the needs of medium/high risk offenders.

Input: All offenders get a Proxy risk assessment

The self-administered Proxy identifies low/medium/high risk offenders. Low risk offenders receive a CJI offer with the Urban Corps. Medium/high risk offenders receive a CJI offer with the Alpha Project.

Input: Medium and High risk offenders get case management

Alpha Project provides the medium/high risk offenders with case management, which includes housing assistance, mental health, and/or employment support.

Urban Corps and Alpha
Project are providing
increased services to
prevent offenders from
recidivating into the
criminal justice system.

Output: CJI is established for low-level misdemeanor offenses

KA: Key stakeholders and courts have the capacity (financial, technical, political, etc.) and willingness to adopt or promote the community court program.

KA: The CJI activities promoted or utilized by stakeholders are appropriate to keep misdemeanor offenders out of the criminal justice system.

KA: The CJI offer is feasible for the offender to undertake (both financially and logistically).

misdemeanor offenders have the

KA: Alpha Project is able to correctly

address the needs of medium/high risk

Output: The low-level

offenders.

offenders.

risk offenders.

in lieu of CII.

participate in CII.

support to stay out of the criminal justice system

KA: The Proxy tool accurately

identifies low/medium/high risk

KA: The COMPAS tool accurately

measures the needs of medium/high

KA: Medium/high risk offenders are interested in services offered to them

KA: Low risk offenders are willing to

Local criminal justice stakeholders are carrying out and scaling up the CJI.

The offenders are completing CJI, linked to useful resources within the community, and staying out of the criminal justice system.

Outcome

Taxpayers' money is saved from unnecessary incarceration spending.

Court system does not become overcrowded.

Criminal justice stakeholder workloads lightened.

Offenders stay out of the criminal justice system.

Service providers get assistance through additional manpower via CJI.

San Diego homelessness is decreased.

Homeless population of San Diego is the 4th largest in the country

Misdemeanor offenders are not encouraged to stay out of the criminal justice system.