

Discretionary Fund Requests

Based on the NC Administrative Code, the following categories of program improvements may be submitted for consideration of discretionary funding:

- 1) New equipment to expand or enhance the service capability of JCPC programs on a continuing basis (e.g., computers, printers, scanners, replacement vehicles to transport youth, office needs, etc.)
 - 2) New materials for improved or enhanced treatment (e.g., evidence-based/ research-supported counseling materials, parenting classes' materials, etc.)
 - 3) Renovations to allow more juveniles to be served on an ongoing basis.
 - 4) Additional staff development to add a new treatment dimension to an ongoing program
 - 5) Emergency placement for juveniles for whom all local resources have been depleted if Department placement is not appropriate
- OR
- 6) Be a funded program that, without a request for discretionary funding, may be in danger of closing or reducing the current level of services. A program may be considered for discretionary funding but must document how it plans to continue operation during the next fiscal year via projected future funding sources.

Reference NC Administrative Code: *14B NCAC 11B.0107 DISCRETIONARY FUNDS*