

**Wayne County**



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**Department of Children and Family Services  
Juvenile Services Division  
JUVENILE JUSTICE SERVICES HANDBOOK**

**POLICY RELEASE BULLETIN**

Issued: May 29, 2012

Effective: June 1, 2012

Subject: Juvenile Escalation Matrix and Overrides

Purpose: Juvenile Replacement Policy

New Policy Release(s): 800.6, 800.7

These policies have been updated to provide direction on replacement of juveniles adjudicated on a new offense; subsequent to initial commitment as a state ward. The former "Reoffender Matrix" is obsolete. Effective June 1, 2012 the JAC and CMOs will use the new "Juvenile Escalation Matrix" to assign a security level for replacement of a juvenile adjudicated for a new offense. This includes juveniles that have not adhered to the terms and conditions for placement in the Court Order. A completed Matrix must be attached to all supplemental petitions that recommend escalation in placement security level. The Matrix will be completed on the Juvenile Agency Information System (JAIS).

**Juvenile Justice Services Handbook Maintenance:**

Policy Items 800.6 and 800.7 dated prior to June 1, 2012 are obsolete and should be removed from the Handbook.

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