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## **POLICY**

In order to determine minors' risk classification who pre-date the use of the YASI, it is the policy of the Juvenile Probation and Court Services Department to utilize the Illinois Juvenile Probation Risk Assessment/Re-assessment.

## **DEFINITIONS**

**Courtesy supervision** refers to interstate cases and intrastate cases where the sending jurisdiction retains jurisdiction.

**JPRA** refers to Illinois Juvenile Probation Risk Assessment.

The **Youth Assessment Screening Instrument (YASI)** is an assessment that profiles the factors (static and dynamic risk factors and protective factors) that are critical to promoting positive outcomes for juvenile probation clients.

## **PROCEDURES**

### **Illinois Juvenile Probation Risk Assessment**

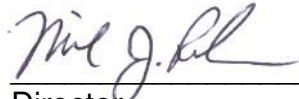
The Illinois Juvenile Probation Risk Assessment (JPRA) must be administered for all cases that pre-date the administration of the YASI. Each division/unit began administering the YASI at different points in time and their respective implementation date must be adhered to. As of March, 2006 all employees were required to utilize the YASI. The JPRA must be completed at the time the social investigation is due (see Social Investigation policy, #2.14). JPRA re-assessments must be completed half (½) way through the minor's court ordered probationary period. For probationary periods longer than one (1) year, the JPRA must be completed one (1) time per year. A JPRA does not need to be completed for courtesy supervision cases that pre-date the YASI. Intrastate and interstate non-YASI caseloads must be seen one (1) time per month.

When a case pre-dates the administration of the YASI and the minor is later placed on probation/supervision on a subsequent petition during the time frame where the YASI

became effective for the unit, the Probation Officer must cease the administration of the JPRA and begin utilizing the YASI to determine risk.

Relative to YASI caseloads, Probation Officers must comply with current YASI Protocols (see YASI Protocols, #2.18.)

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