

IMPACT COMMUNITY INITIATIVE

*2023-2024 City of Pittsburgh STOP the
Violence Community Investment Grants*

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FollowUp Form

Quarter Three Activities Update

Greetings, STOP the Violence grantees!

As the City of Pittsburgh prepares to update our stakeholders on the impact of this process, we need to gather some evaluation-focused information about your programs. Please answer the following survey about your services and activities from the third quarter following receipt of your grant award.

Thank you!

Organization Name*

Please enter the name of your project/program in the box below.

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Did you spend any of your STOP the Violence grant funds during this period?*

Yes

How did you spend the funds?*

Please check all categories that apply.

Program Supplies

General Operations

Other

If you chose "other", please describe.

We used some financial resources to co-sponsor and collaborate on 2 community events and to host a community event.

Tell us how many people your organization/group served from the following age groups during this period.

Ages 0-17*

50

Ages 18-30*

75

Ages 30+*

40

Programs and Services*

Provide a brief description of any programs or services your organization or group provided in alignment with your STOP the Violence proposal.

The IMPACT Youth Diversion Program provided services to students at Propel, City High Charter, Woodland Hills and Pittsburgh Public Schools located in Zones 1, 2 and 5. Prevention and Intervention services were provided to referred youth in the school settings as well as in the community. Youth and Families were also recruited to participate in programming to teach them about healthy food choices, cooking together as a family and workshops for parents. These youth and families were signed up for SNAP benefits.

Did you partner with any other organizations or groups during this period?*

Yes

Did your organization intentionally engage officers from the Pittsburgh Police during this period?*

Yes

Did you use STOP the Violence logos in marketing and media (social or traditional)?*

Yes

Give a brief description of your STOP the Violence during this period*

IMPACT Community Initiative through the Youth Diversion Program hosted one (1) and co-hosted two (2) community events during the reporting period. These events were facilitated to expose, educate and introduce youth and families about the importance of Post Secondary Education. Through the events, programs and services that were provided, we believe that it aided in reducing violence by providing at-risk youth in our program with alternatives to traditional justice methods, fostering positive development, academic success, and strong community ties. This approach decreases crime and strengthens neighborhood safety.

EVENT 1 - Bowling Party at Zone 28 on 7/20/24

EVENT 2 - Student Send-Off Cookout on 8/5/24

EVENT 3 - Tailgate Event at Woodland Hills on 10/11/24 (See Attached Flier)

Is your organization planning any public activities in the next few months?*

No

If "yes", please provide a brief description.

Does your organization need capacity-building support?*

Yes

On what areas of focus would you like your capacity-building support?

Board Recruitment/Board Development

Fundraising

Marketing

Social Media

Share Your Stories*

Upload a clip or provide text to share one or more specific stories (please avoid using full names of clients/participants) that illustrates the impact of your work.

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A 16-year-old student from Perry High School was referred to the Diversion Program after struggling with truancy and involvement in a physical altercation. Through conflict resolution training, mentorship, and community service, he developed self-awareness and coping skills. With guidance and support, he successfully completed the program—but his journey didn't stop there. Choosing to give back, he now mentors new participants and actively advocates for violence prevention. As a testament to his growth, he will attend the Sylvester Pace HBCU College Tour in April 2025, proving that with the right support, transformation is possible.

File Attachment Summary

Applicant File Uploads

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**10.11.24
4PM - 6PM**



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