Bibliography


**Suggested Reading List**

**General Supervision and Leadership in Community Service**


**Communication**


**Advising/Coaching**


**Team Building**


**Planning and Managing**


**Building Community Partnerships**


**Resources from NCPC**

The National Crime Prevention Council (NCPC) operates demonstration programs with youth, youth-serving agencies, schools, neighborhood groups, and municipal leaders. NCPC publishes books, kits of camera-ready program materials, posters, and informational and policy reports on a variety of crime prevention, youth development, and community-building subjects. Proceeds from the sale of materials, which are funded by public and private sources, are used to produce more materials and to help support the full range of NCPC’s work, including the National Citizens’ Crime Prevention Campaign.
For more information about NCPC programs, call 202-466-6272. The following is a list of NCPC materials that may be of special interest to the National Service supervisor. To order publications, mail your prepaid order to the National Crime Prevention Council Fulfillment Center, PO Box 1, 100 Church Street, Amsterdam, NY 12010. Or fax credit card and purchase orders to 1-518-843-6857 or order by phone at 1-800-NCPC-911.

Changing Perspectives: Youth as Resources
Presents a landmark, tested, powerful approach in which communities involve youth in solving local problems. Three Indiana cities undertook to view young people as sources of solutions, not problems. Youth designed and led projects tackling drugs, homelessness, dropout rates, literacy, community safety, and more. Results? Community betterment, personal growth, and new perspectives by civic groups on youth (Item M16B, $14.95).

Charting Success: A Workbook for Developing Crime Prevention and Other Community Service Projects (Third Edition)
Extraordinary popular workbook for teens (also popular with adult groups) explores crime’s impact on youth; presents sample program and project ideas young people themselves have carried out; assists readers step-by-step to develop a workable plan for action on community problems (Item M11B, $7.95).

Creating a Climate of Hope: Ten Neighborhoods Tackle the Drug Crisis
Based on three years of work, 10 neighborhoods across the nation show how to partner with civic leaders and policymakers to reduce crime, drugs, and fear as well as build community spirit and capacity. Explains process, strategies, start-up. Inspiring and encouraging: a must for communities beset with drugs and violence (Item M23A, $14.95).

Helping Communities Mobilize Against Crime, Drugs, and Other Problems
Treasure-trove of lessons learned around the country about success in spurring communities to action. Style, approach, and operations are touched on in this compact guide (Item M43A, $5.95).

Making Children, Families, and Communities Safer From Violence
A 24-page booklet is action-packed with a range of things individuals can do to prevent or reduce violence, including gun-related violence against family and friends, neighborhood, or community. Profiles of real-life programs that help curb violence are complemented by tips for success in talking with children, working with neighbors, and building community strength. Extensive resource list, family-neighborhood-community checklist, referral phone list, and two posters to help in talking with children are included. Call 1-800-WE PREVENT for a free copy.

More Adventures With Scruff
Colorful comic/activity book continues the adventures of Scruff. Helps children handle situations that involve guns, bullies, and drugs. Individual copies free by writing Scruff-McGruff, Chicago, IL 60651.

Preventing Violence: Program Ideas and Examples
Extraordinary guide to ways to invest community in violence prevention. Shows how and why to recruit key partners including law enforcement, schools, community groups, policymakers; explains crucial strategies for anti-violence work. In-depth profiles of 27 programs—from gang prevention for youth and adults to conflict management, from domestic violence prevention to dealing with violence on TV—demonstrate...
diversity of approaches that can help with this major social problem (Item M21A, $11.95).

The Power to Change (Video)
As told by youth and community residents, this video portrays the powerful impact youth can have on improving community environments in inner city neighborhoods. Through participation in Youth as Resources, youth tackle social problems through volunteer service projects which are designed and directed by the youth themselves. Youth and adults partner to take responsibility and make changes in their communities. The application of this program to public housing and other urban settings is the focus of this video (Item V7A, $19.95).

Youth as Resources: The Power Within (Video)
Compelling 15-minute video shows how youth solve community problems and how communities and youth benefit on many levels. Presents concept; provides basis for discussing both Youth as Resources program and youth-community relationships (Item V5A, $19.95).

To request a catalog, call 800-627-2911.