

NATIONAL YOUTH ADVOCATE PROGRAM

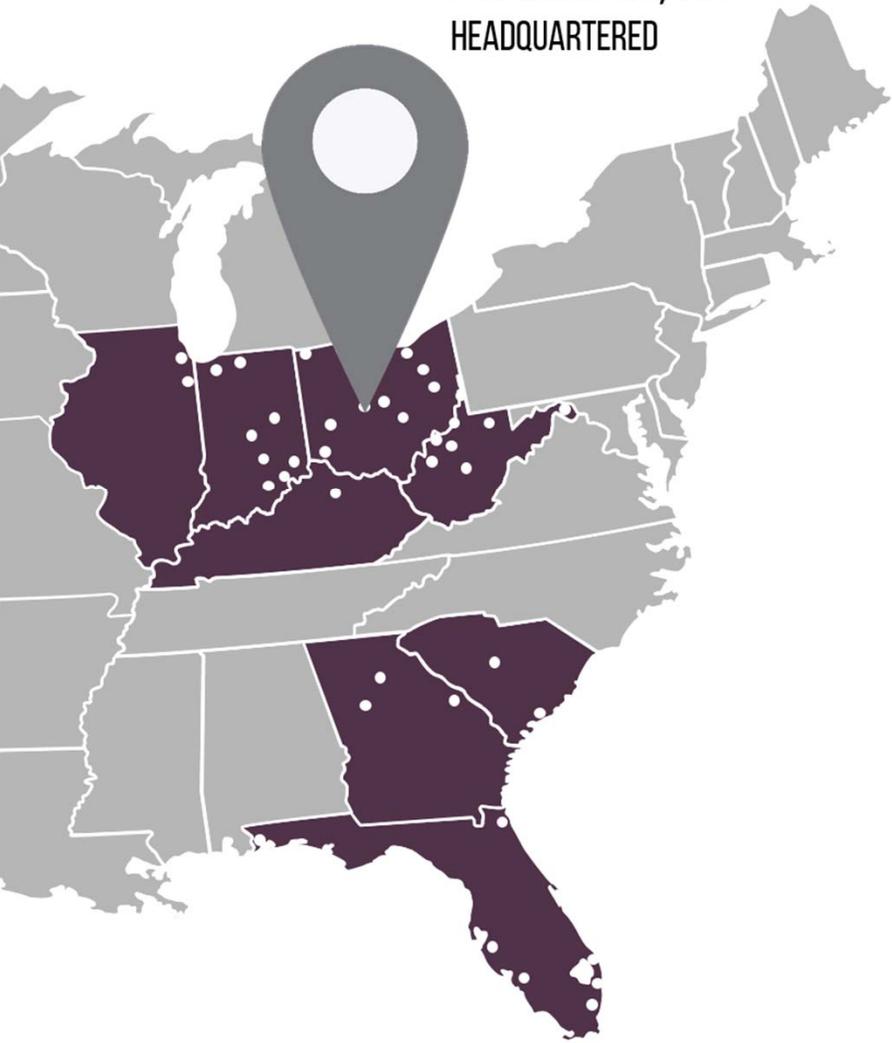
Caring for People Connecting Communities Promoting Peace

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COLUMBUS, OH
HEADQUARTERED



NYAP NATION

Ohio

Indiana

Illinois

Kentucky

West Virginia

South Carolina

Georgia

Florida



**REUNIFICATION/
PERMANENCY**

KINSHIP CARE

ACTION ADOPTION

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SERVICES



**SERVICE
RECEPTION
CENTER
(SRC)**

**Available 24/7
For all
referrals,
support and
questions**

African American Girls Served

2017 Outpatient Mental Health Services:

- **246 girls age 11-15 years old**
- **480 girls age 16-22 years old**

What can the Commission & the Community do to improve the quality of life for Black girls?

- **Serve the family unit/kinship**
- **Strategic engagement of places of faith (church, temples, mosques, etc.)**
- **Create safe, accessible community spaces**
- **Invest in early intervention services**

What can the Commission & the Community do to improve the quality of life for Black girls?

- **Increase academic support resources**
- **Increase MH education/literacy resources**
- **Invest in black, female practitioners of healing arts**
- **Continue the conversation and hold us accountable**

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On behalf of all black girls in Columbus...

Thank you, Columbus City Council

Thank you, Commission on Black Girls