



Interagency Panel on Juvenile Justice

Mandated by the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) to act as a “coordination panel on technical advice and assistance in juvenile justice” (ECOSOC Resolution 1997/30)

In order to ensure that justice systems comply with the rights of the child, the Panel aims to facilitate and enhance country and global level coordination in juvenile justice in accordance with the Convention on the Rights of the Child and other relevant norms and standards. The Panel also aspires to increase its role as a platform for exchange of information and expertise at the national, regional and international level.

It is in this spirit that the following Panel members have chosen to collaborate to bring protection of the rights of children in conflict with the law onto the agenda of the international community.

Panel Members:

Committee on the Rights of the Child

www2.ohchr.org/french/bodies/crc/

United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations (DPKO)

Peacekeeping best practices:

www.un.org/Depts/dpko/lessons/



Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)

Activities on children’s rights:

www2.ohchr.org/english/issues/children

United Nations Children Fund (UNICEF)

Activities on children and justice:

www.unicef.org/protection/index_juveniljustice.html

Activities on juvenile justice in Eastern Europe and Central Asia:

www.unicef.org/ceecis/protection_7704.html



United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

Activities on justice and human rights:

www.undp.org/governance/sl-justice.htm



United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)

Activities on criminal justice reform and juvenile justice:

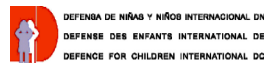
www.unodc.org/unodc/en/justice-and-prison-reform/interagency.html



United Nations

Interregional Crime and Justice Institute (UNICRI).

<http://www.unicri.it/>



Defence for Children International (DCI)

www.dci-is.org



International Association of Youth and Family Judges and Magistrates (IAYFJM)

www.judgesandmagistrates.org



International Juvenile Justice Observatory (IJJO)

www.oijj.org



Penal Reform International (PRI)

Activities on juvenile justice:

www.penalreform.org/juvenile-justice-2.html



Save the Children

Save the Children UK

Activities on children’s rights:

www.savethechildren.org.uk/en/31_57



Terre des hommes – aide à l’enfance (TdH)

Activities on juvenile justice:

www.tdh.ch/website/tdhch.nsf/pages/juvenile_justiceE



World Organization Against Torture (OMCT)

Activities on child justice:

www.omct.org/index.php?id=CHL&lang=eng&PHPSES SID=6035e7a3788a30f37778b6430b244aac

Selected Panel Activities:

- Making existing juvenile justice technical resources available through a specialized website in English, French and Spanish: www.juvenilejusticepanel.org and a trilingual monthly newsletter: <http://www.juvenilejusticepanel.org/en/newsletter.html>
- Development of a juvenile justice expert roster for consultation by its members.
- Development and dissemination of common tools and good practices, including the publication, of a compilation of its members' programme and advocacy experiences relating to juvenile justice: *Protecting the rights of children in conflict with the law* (2006) available in Arabic, English, French, Spanish and Russian.
- Close involvement in the development and dissemination of the UNICEF/UNODC *Manual for the Measurement of Juvenile Justice Indicators* (2007) and the PRI/UNICEF *Juvenile Justice Training Manual* (2007) available in Arabic, English, French and Russian.
- Coordination of information on technical assistance requests relating to juvenile justice.

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