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Juvenile Delinquency in Bed-Stuy Brooklyn

During my semester in Urban Community, I've researched on juvenile delinquency in Bed-Stuy Brooklyn New York. I've come to the deeper understanding how a poor or badly known neighborhood can affect younger generations, understanding why there more Youth are committing crimes and showing no remorse for their actions, Continuing their actions or even getting worse. Young Men and Women doing such crimes such as Scamming, that is one of the biggest delinquency crimes because it's done in different forms such as credit cards, online, Fake bank Accounts, but things don't stop there, When Covid-19 first started Young Juveniles was committing a lot of PPP loan frauds and Bank Scams and Robberies of big companies like clothing and supermarkets.

These type of events also also brings to how these affect communities, stores would have to be closed down, prices would be raised, and most people in these poor environments don't have the extra money due to landlords raising rent higher to move people out, so a lot of people who don't have well paying jobs or other expenses that drain someone who making less than \$20k a year, A lot of economical changes and that affect poor communities and leads to a lot of juvenile delinquency, facing those hardships would cause a family to act out, mother can be going through a depression which leads to lack of attention or attentive to their children, which

leads to children acting out in public causing property damage or committing criminal acts. From my research on this subject ive read articles such as

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[origsite=gscholar&cbl=48391](https://www.proquest.com/openview/2b2de3a660de78f813edcc98bbcdc888/1?pq-origsite=gscholar&cbl=48391) Ive learned that in this article the governor of Harlam see black communities and how they are treated in 2019 being labeled as Worst then other burrows in NewYorkCity, and how the justice system does very little to nothing to help or make it better for black communities.

As a governor how can you be hateful to the black community and do nothing to improve quality of life in these poor communities, Kids need something to keep them occupied so they turn to doing things as scamming and bullying and other violent act of crime that a child or teenage can get into, thats brings me to this other article ive read as well Children are not always alone doing these acts, its the group of friends they choose to hang out with and acting out because of social media <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1023/A:1015227414929>. The relation between friends and either both or one is a bad choice maker is what brings me to this article ive shared here this study's consolidation of fellowship networks takes into consideration a more thorough conceptualization and estimation of companion misconduct in light of painstakingly characterized organizations of juvenile kinships. Discoveries outline that fellowship networks are extremely heterogenous as far as individuals' cooperation in delinquent way of behaving with most of youths having a place with networks containing both delinquent and non-delinquent companions. The proportion of delinquent friends in a respondent's network is most strongly associated with their subsequent delinquency, supporting differential association's premise that delinquency is influenced by the ratio of definitions favorable to law violation (Sutherland, 1947).

These Articles plus more have lead me to believe Juvenile delinquency in bedstuy Brooklyn NewYork, That youth are getting into trouble with the law because of issues at homes or peer pressure due to wrong group of friends, There are adult enabling young boys and girls to most crime and due to the raise in age law some group of teens may start facing harsher penalties for there crimes. Teens And Other youth that lives in bedstuy seem be the like teens in the article ive read, Ive notice most teens are going through trouble times, and manly caused by there fellow peers by doing things they called as “trendy” something that people across in other states are doing that had gone viral on social media. Or better yet they are on social media showing off. Alot of teens in Bedstuy area are just troubled teens who needs better guidance, Better afternoon activities or hobbies something more productive that help teens understand destroying the city you live in only makes it worst on you and your communities, Understanding where your from help you to understand how to help it to grow better, Most people dont learn anything staying in one place, In Bedstuy, The Neighborhood can be very quiet and peaceful, you seen along the blocks that there are homeowners who take pride in there gardens to make the block look more exciting then dead and dry there would be older men playing soft old school music on the blocks and everyone knows each other can be a very nice neighborhood at times, especially when there block parties and the whole block gets together for the great times. Only times there isnt no shoot out or fights or something violent then the day next sound like a warzone outside most times its not gang related its mostly because when someone dont like the other and use social media as an outlet for there arguments then leading to someone coming to someone home for a fight, These of the main issues ive seen in my neighborhood even on my block, and i notice how badly it affected there children, they started being more rebellious and because their own mother and father would have the same issues its trickled down to the children, and now the children behave

just as worst as the parents. This would be the only beginning of juvenile delinquency. But just from that example given that isn't the only way delinquency is born.

What I want my readers to take from this is that Delinquency Starts at home and with self, some children have little to no guidance and they lead in the life of a survival without the knowledge of knowing to be better or do better. Some Youth don't even know to express their emotions let alone understanding who there for them or who just using them for a gain. A lot of the times when a child or teen don't have the proper guidance, End up with the wrong guidance if not searching for help before they start making bad decisions. A lot of resources for children isn't branched out as much as you would think, and teachers now a days show little interest in their students so a lot of outlets aren't resolved it's just either pushed aside or never dealt with which can lead teens and children to believe they are alone and have nothing but bad decisions to make. Understanding your feelings and emotions and a clear mind can save a lot of lives but because we don't address the problem at the beginning and keep up with it, How does a normal person fix a problem is to fix it at the source. Which is what The Youth need. Therapy would be a good way to start. A lot of problems being balled up in someone's thoughts that leads to just an angry soul just growing more angry. If I can notice this within myself, I know there are people who feel the same. I went to therapy for my issues and honestly I can say it was the best choice I made. Having someone who has no connection with your life or family makes it easier to speak freely without the judgment! Helping A teen at its source is what is really needed.

Conclusion

To end my Final Paper on Juvenile Delinquency We are in times where in honesty The violent acts committed by Youth will only get worst due to the fact for one social media is being

used in the wrong way, Children at home having Financial Difficulties or emotion issues they face. The Youth is being ignored or pushed aside or dealt with later, as i said earlier in my paper Children need proper guidance, Theres a Difference between taking care of your child and just looking after them. Plays to different roles. and alot of young parents get confused between the two because they themselves are still young! And they barely have any guidance themselves on being better parents, but then again its also society have many different ways of parenting there child, some believe gentle parenting is the way the go, while other parents would disagree because children need some sort of discipline. While in all reality children need both..

Understanding you can discipline your while without being overly aggressive. Some young parents dont know how to calmly discipline there child and understand that this a learning experience. You are your child first role model. Which young parents fail at. Then Juvenile Delinquency is starting to build up in a child because of a young parent very ignorant mindset and not understanding the example they are setting for their children. I believe Young parents should go through a young mothers or young parent (for males as well) to being a better parent for there child and understanding putting fear into your child isnt discipline. it Creates angry and there are going to need somewhere to let it out and where better then probably destroying property or something violating the law. Juvenile Delinquency has a source and sometimes it to late to reform a child from the life of crime and hatefulness, Thats why i feel there should be more free outlet or run understand having insurance programs for children and young adults give them better guidance. but unfortunately There aren't enough people to help anyone and thats why things are so back up due to the high numbers of Juveniles that in need of assistance. I mean even therapy would be a great first step in children letting out there emotions and release any angry they bear in there head or heart, releasing those feelings would help children with clearing there mind then talking everything out but also giving help to there parents can also help

the issues they already facing in their life. Problems home reflect on the children so starting off helping the parents better their lives would be a great start in my opinion.

Resources

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