Every year in the United States, an estimated 250,000 youth are tried, sentenced, or incarcerated in the adult criminal justice system despite overwhelming public disapproval. In 23 states, children as young as 7 can be prosecuted and tried in adult court.

The First Annual Justice for Youth Summit is bringing together policy makers, advocates, experts, families, youth, and students to learn about the challenges facing incarcerated youth and how, together, we can create better outcomes for troubled youth. The Justice for Youth Summit will be an educational and action oriented experience to get the millennial generation involved in the youth justice movement, appreciate advocates, and sign the pledge to cut youth incarceration by 2015.

The Justice for Youth Summit will provide a personal and expert perspective on youth justice issues with thought-provoking plenaries, panels, and a life changing photo exhibit. For more information or questions, contact Deon Jones, Summit Director, at jjyouth@cfyj.org

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  Academic
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If other, please describe your role in juvenile justice:

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