

Principles of Youth Justice in Australia

Service responses are evidence based

The youth justice system holds young people accountable for their behaviour

Support to young people is individualised & reflects the diversity of cultures & communities in which they live

Interventions are informed by the drivers of offending & the assessed risk of future offending

Developmental needs of young people are addressed

Effective policy & service responses to address the over-representation of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander young people in the justice system

Effective support to victims of youth offending

Authentic collaboration across service systems

Health and mental health needs of young people are addressed

Offending behaviour is prevented & young people are diverted from the justice system

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