

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

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WRITTEN QUESTION

K McNamara to the Minister of Children and Families, Hon Robyn Cahill OAM MLA:

Youth Crime Prevention

- 1. What evidence-based preventions have you implemented or are looking to implement to address the structural causes of youth crime?
- 2. Strong health and family support services are significant early prevention drivers, what investments in greater community health services is your government committing to?
- 3. What support, caregiver training or education is your government providing to vulnerable parents in order to prevent children from being disengaged and turn towards crime?
- 4. What occupational therapy-based programmes are currently available to youths and families in the justice system to develop skills in becoming productive community members after their first offence?
- 5. What supports are you giving paediatric occupational therapists, psychologists, behaviour specialists, in the Northern Territory to develop the relevant skills and knowledge to support children and families in the justice system?