



Department of  
Youth Services

**Message from DYS Director Harvey Reed**  
**PBS Barbara Allen Hagan Award**

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I am proud to announce that Cuyahoga Hills Juvenile Correctional Facility has been awarded the prestigious honor of being selected as the recipient of the PBS Barbara Allen Hagan Award for best exemplifying the core principles of performance based standards by treating all youth in custody as one of our own. Cuyahoga Hills was one of two institutions recognized out of 30 applications submitted from facilities across the country.

I am very proud of the work DYS team members throughout Ohio are doing every day to help our youth truly rehabilitate and work hard to become successful, productive community members. Ms. Needham and her staff will be presented with the award in July. It is wonderful to see good intentions and hard work acknowledged.

Please join me in congratulating Superintendent Needham and her staff for this national recognition.

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