



### **The Fairfax Partnership for Youth**

was created in 1997 as an outgrowth of the Fairfax County Community Initiative to Reduce Youth Violence (CIRYV). The CIRYV was initiated by the County Board of Supervisors and the School Board in 1996 with the charge of bringing public and private sectors together to develop a shared vision and a comprehensive plan for coordinating efforts to reduce youth violence.

Established as a non-profit organization in May 1997, the Fairfax Partnership for Youth, Inc. (FPY) brings together the entire community to reduce youth violence and to promote positive youth development.

