



Elevator Pitches

Fitchburg:

I am a CS² entrepreneur/ Dir of Student Sup. Services—I am a drop out prevention/ career readiness / intervention strategist. I work both directly with students and systemically use data to implement programming to connect adults with disengaged, underserved students around a culture of high expectations. I develop and implement creative safety nets for youth placed at risk by the system.

Springfield:

As CS² entrepreneurs, we are part of a network that provides funding and a guiding light for the initiatives that support drop out prevention and workforce development. We use this light to illuminate opportunities for SPS students in the classroom, workplace, and community. We serve 27,000 students in an urban district of 47 schools. Providing various programs such as internships, job shadowing experience, middle school portfolio process and Summer of Work and Learning.

Brockton:

WE...

Break down barriers

Recognize: Help youth recognize their potential

Overcome: Help youth overcome obstacles and foster their resiliency

Kids: Kids come first

Engaged: Keep youth engaged in meaningful life experiences

Resources: Leveraging the community wealth

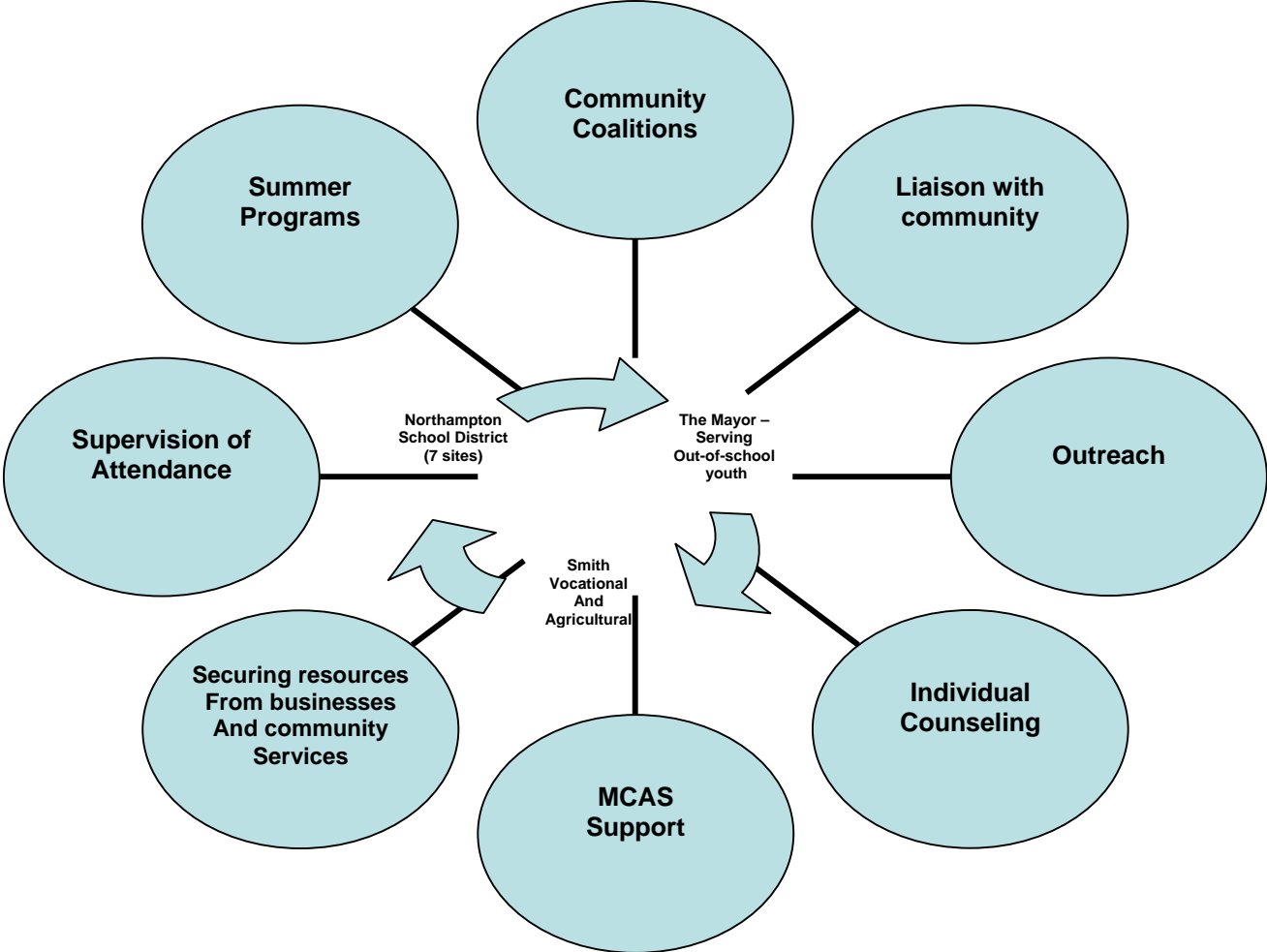
So...Who are we?

WE ARE BROKERS FOR BROCKTON'S YOUTH!

New Bedford:

The New Bedford CS² Communities and Schools for Success Team serves as community and school partnership coordinators. We take an entrepreneurial approach to engage youth, involve community and inspire opportunities. Through innovation, vision and resources, we strive to create multiple pathways to success for all students.

Northampton:



Pilot Program: CS² Northampton supports schools with the goal of drop-out prevention with core tenets of cultural competency and resiliency.