southernecho 2009-2010 to 2010-2011 School Years Working to empower the African-American community through an inter-generational model of effective community organizing. This map examines the practice and policy of corporal punishment (CP) in MS School Districts. The map is color coded to show five different classifications of MS school districts regarding their use of corporal punishment: **Marshall County Benton County DeSoto County Corinth** Alcorn 1) PURPLE: In these districts, the use of corporal punishment increased **456 446** 3,202 3,233 Tishomingo Co. **North Tippah** 4 more 13 10 less from 2009-2010 to 2010-2011. 31 more **506 571** 2 more 65 more **Holly Springs** 2) BLUE: In these districts, the use of corporal punishment decreased **South Tippah 656** 735 **Prentiss County Tate County** from 2009-2010 to 2010-2011. 617 456 79 more Senatobia 883 557 **Tunica County 161 less** Booneville **245 260 326 less** 3) PINK: In 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 thirteen districts did not report **271** 83 **New Albany** 15 more Baldwyn **188 less** incidents of corporal punishment to the MS Dept. of Education, **Union County** 1,324 1,340 North Panola Lafayette Co. 337 202 but each district HAS an express policy which permits the **471 614** 16 more **385 177 135** less **143** more use of corporal punishment according to the most recently **208 less** 7 less Lee County Itawamba County **Coahoma County** available Student Handbook (typically but not 1,399 1,163 **177 99** Oxford **35 65** exclusively the 2011-2012 student handbook). **Pontotoc City 236** less 78 less **South Panola Quitman County** 30 more 6 18 **Pontotoc 2,572 1,985 294** 1,594 Tupelo Clarksdale 12 more 4) GREEN: In 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 eleven **587 less** County **1300** more Water Valley 344 276 districts did not report incidents of corporal **Nettleton 302 271** 83 43 North Bolivar 68 less 31 less punishment to the MS Dept. of Education, 40 less **375** 602 Chickasaw 5 less but these districts DO NOT have an express East **227** more Coffeeville Okolona West Amory policy permitting the use of corporal **Tallahatchie Calhoun County 175** 90 **247 253** 3 less Monroe **Tallahatchie** punishment according to the most recently **348 336** 85 less **366 226 Mound Bayou Drew** 6 more **719 382** available student handbook. 12 less Houston **140 less** 0 50 0 38 **337 less** West 25 less **208 114** Grenada Aberdeen 38 more 50 more Bolivar 94 less 5) GRAY: In 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 **181 284** Cleveland 7 less **103** more seventeen districts did not report incidents Sunflower of corporal punishment to the MS Dept. Shaw Clay **West Point 92** 502 **Leflore County** Montgomery **Benoit** of Education, and we were unable to 6 55 **410** more **233 269 143 0 Carroll County** Columbus **Webster County** 49 more obtain a recent student handbook to 36 more **143 less 72 197** Greenwood Winona Indianola determine whether these districts have **125** more **887 493 245 157** Starkville 0 53 Greenville a policy concerning corporal punishment. **394 less** 88 less 53 more **528 284** Leland **Lowndes County Choctaw County** Oktibbeha Co. **244 less 42 0** This map relies in part on data obtained 1,137 1,074 1,252 531 42 less 63 less from the MS Dept. of Education and the **721 less** Jackson, MS Clarion Ledger. **Attala County Holmes County** Hollandale 959 1,338 **Western Line 317** 184 **Noxubee County** Humphreys Durant Louisville **379** more We obtained corporal punishment data for **133 less** 868 457 **164 239** 918 863 Kosciusko 108 of 152 MS School Districts. For 411 less 75 more 55 less 1 more each of these districts we have provided three numbers. **Yazoo City Neshoba County 559 137** The BLUE number repesents the number of **422 less** 2 less **South Delta** reported corporal punishment incidents for the **Leake County Kemper County** Madison **52** 3 Philadelphia 2009 - 2010 school year. **352 67** 445 4 1,043 1,050 **Yazoo County** 49 less **197** 145 **441 less 285** less 7 more Canton **283 146** 52 less The RED number represents the number of **137 less 6** 116 **Union City** reported corporal punishment incidents for the **110** more Lauderdale Co. 499 376 **Scott County 2010 - 2011 school year. 123 less** 1,017 816 **2,245 2,129 Newton County 201** less **116 less Clinton** The GREEN number represents the increase or decrease Vicksburg-Warren **11 539** Meridian **Forest City Jackson** in reported corporal punishment incidents from **528** more 4 0 708 873 1,157 820 **Public** the first school year to the second school year. **Newton City** 4 less **165** more **337 less 116** 88 Pearl **Hinds County** 28 less **Enterprise** 41 Districts did not report CP data to the MS Dept. **Rankin County 55 0** 8 5 of Education. Therefore, in these districts no **523** 350 West Jasper 55 less 3 less **173 less** numbers are provided. 1,141 1,181 **Smith County** 40 more Quitman **Copiah County East Jasper 743** 385 Overall, 67 of 108 school districts reported a **363 437 358 less 490 372** 389 592 **Simpson County Claiborne County** reduction in the incidents of corporal 74 more Hazlehurst City 118 less **203** more **805 393** punishment by an accumulated total of **412 less 34 2 10,975** beatings. 32 less Jefferson Co. Laurel **Covington County** Overall 33 of 108 school districts **253 207 Wayne County** reported an increase in the **Lincoln County** 46 less 15 less **156 137** 887 320 incidents of corporal punishment Lawrence Co. 19 less **567 less** Jeff.Davis Co. by an accumulated total of 4,862 **Jones County 709 441** Brookhaven **88** 249 1,176 959 beatings. **Franklin County 268 less Natchez-Adams 161** more **217 less** Therefore there was a reported Richton Petal Columbia net decrease in the number of **70 0** North Pike **72 92** McComb 233 472 reported incidents of **70 less** Hattiesburg 20 more **Greene County** 314 223 **239** more corporal punishment **Lamar County 218** 262 91 less between the 2009-2010 and 0 23 Walthall Co. **Amite County** Marion 44 more Wilkinson Co. **Perry County Forrest South Pike 2010-2011** school years 23 more **78 103 297 226** 0 21 County **272 218** by an accumulated total of 25 more 71 less 21 more 54 less 1,025 565 6,113 beatings. **Lumberton** 460 less **George County** Legend **Stone County Poplarville** The 3 Agricultural High Schools are **623 574 Corporal Punishment (CP) in MS School Districts** 49 less not included in the visual map because **Incidents of CP; Whether CP Policy in Student Handbook** they do not have discrete physical jurisdictions Pearl River **Jackson County** that school districts have. These districts had **Harrison County Incidents of Corporal Punishment Increased 78 54** 1,821 1,471 no reported corporal punishment incidents. 24 less **Incidents of Corporal Punishment Decreased** Hancock **350 less Picayune** Coahoma AHS allows corporal punishment in Moss its student handbook. No Data reported - CP Policy is in Student Handbook Pass **Ocean Springs** Gulfport **Point** Forrest AHS has no corporal punishment policy Christian Long No Data reported - No CP Policy in Student Handbook Biloxi **72 3** in its student handbook. **151 290** 69 less Bay St. Beach No Data Reported - No Student Handbook Available Hinds AHS's student handbook was unavailable. **139** more Louis 03 Pascagoula

Mississippi School Districts Corporal Punishment Incidents:

3 more