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Appropriates \$500,000 over the next biennium to the commissioner of corrections to fund grants to a nonprofit organization that provides one-on-one mentoring relationships to youth whose parent or other significant family member is incarcerated. The goal of the program is provide the targeted youth with resources and skills that keep them out of the juvenile justice system. The bill also establishes criteria that a grant recipient must satisfy to be eligible to receive funding under this program.