

The main purpose of this research is to compare CPI personality characteristics among 5 different crime types of Juvenile delinquents. It was hypothesized that "The Crime types of Juvenile delinquents possess different personality characteristics". The sample in this study consisted of 326 Juvenile delinquents at Central Observation and Protection Center, Nakonsawan Observation and Protection Center, Ubon Rajathanee Observation and Protection Center, Song kla Observation and Protection Center and Rayong Observation and Protection Center, who were registered from August, 1991 until October, 1991. The California Psychological Inventory was constructed by Dr. Harrison G. Gough, with translated into Thai by Dr. Narongsak Channual and his associates, was employed to assess the personality characteristic of The Juvenile delinquency. One - Way Analysis of Variance was used to analyse the data.

The results of this study were that male showed inactivity, leisurely, inert, thoughtless, blunt, attention seeking, impulsive, mistrust, narrow minded, impatient, inconsistency, and female showed inactivity, inert, irresponsible, blunt, indiscipline,

impatient, inconsistency, self-defence, sly, narrow minded,
attention seeking. Also indicated that there were not significantly
different in the personality characteristic base on 5 crime types in
both male and female.