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Supporting Families & Children Through Wraparound Planning



WrapAround develops individualized plans around young people and their families based on their strengths. The primary mission of the team is to look at needs and find creative solutions and resources.

When to Develop A Child & Family Team

- When there is multi-agency involvement
- There is a need for continuity of services
- There has been no progress or a deterioration toward family goals
- Resources for the family do not seem to be available or efficiently utilized
- The child's placement is at risk
- The child is returning to the community from placement
- Intensive cases or when family crises is imminent



Functions of the Team

The team approach begins by assessing the family's strengths and developing a plan to meet the family's needs. The plan builds on the family's strengths and natural supports already in place while also planning for crisis stabilization if needed. Informal and formal resources are accessed and services are monitored for continuity of care. Long term support of the family inspires unconditional care and improves the quality of life for children, youth and their families.

Child & Family Team Members

The parents, children and four to eight people who know the family best. Each person involved should know the family strengths and needs. The family works with the coordinator in determining who should be involved with the team. Meeting times and places are at the convenience of the team members and the family. Meeting places need to be accessible and appropriate for the family.

Functions of the Coordinator

- Assembling the Child & Family Team with the family
- Taking notes at meetings and compiling WrapAround plans
- Facilitating the Child & Family Team process
- Monitoring the plan for progress and need for necessary intervention and/or changes
- Primary dissemination of information to other team members and the family