



# Allegheny Children's Initiative, Inc.

## JOINT PLANNING TEAMS

Joint Planning Teams utilizes a strength based process, known as Hi-Fidelity Wraparound, which focuses on assisting families who have children with serious emotional or behavioral problems to become self-reliant and successful at keeping their children safe and in a home environment. The goal of Joint Planning Teams is to help families connect with natural and community resources to aid in family goal achievement rather than immediately seeking out professional services with the end result of families and their support team being able to manage their own family needs.

### OBJECTIVE

- ✓ Assist families with strengthening their natural support system & social network
- ✓ Empower families to identify / prioritize their own needs as they relate to the vision they have for their family
- ✓ Support the family to develop a team of their choosing made up of those people that are most supportive and influential in their lives
- ✓ Promote collaboration among team members to develop individualized strategies in an integrated plan to aid the families in achieving their family vision
- ✓ Assist the team in accessing necessary resources to achieve their vision
- ✓ Transition empowered families to manage their own team to meet all future family need, thus achieving self efficacy.

### GUIDING PRINCIPLES

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|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| ✓ Family voice and choice | ✓ Community based      | ✓ Strength based     |
| ✓ Team building           | ✓ Culturally competent | ✓ Unconditional care |
| ✓ Natural supports        | ✓ Individualized       | ✓ Outcome based      |
| ✓ Collaboration           |                        |                      |

### REFERRAL INFORMATION

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