2024-2025 Family-Centered Services Program Plan

District:

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A. Program Overview and Staff Allocations

Provide a description of the central objective your district hopes to achieve through the new hiring facilitated by your Family-Centered Services program funding. This could involve a particular challenge or area of limited resources you'd like to address, a new targeted initiative you hope to establish, or plans for how the new staff allocation would otherwise support case management for families facing instability.

- Based on your district's funding allocation in Attachment A, provide an estimated breakdown of how many staff the district plans to hire and the required credentials, specialization and/or relevant experience that the district will seek for each of these positions.
- Provide an estimated timeframe expected for the hiring and training of the new Family-Centered Services staff.
- Provide a description of any collaboration with the county DCS. Document that services provided will not be duplication of Single Point of Access and Children's Single Point of Access, and how they will be coordinated with these resources. Document coordination with any existing System of Care infrastructure in collaboration with the county DCS.

B. Program Activities

- Provide a description of the specific services and activities your district proposes the Family-Centered Services staff will deliver. Include the following information:
 - Detailed description of each activity/service to be provided and which of the new staff (if the allocation is for more than one) will work on each.
 - Description of the population(s) to be served and an estimated number of families expected to be served by each activity. If targeting a specific population(s) or area(s), describe the rationale for selecting said target(s).
 - Indicate whether or not proposed activities are an expansion of an existing local initiative(s) and if so, provide background on said initiative(s) including data on participant outcomes and other evidence of program effectiveness.
 - If the district expects to serve individuals who are not in receipt of public assistance or for follow-up services to eligible former recipients of public assistance, please describe (or indicate not applicable).

C. <u>Reporting/Monitoring Performance</u>

OTDA intends to develop annual reporting requirements for the Family-Centered Services program that will allow us to review district progress in bringing the new staff onboard and utilizing them towards the district's stated objectives.

Based on the target population and program design proposed above, describe how the district intends to measure performance and monitor staff and participant outcomes for the initiative.