

Families most likely to succeed in this program are:

- Committed to helping their child stay in the home and avoid becoming further involved in the juvenile justice system;
- Able to identify some aspects in their lives that they would like to change; and are willing to build upon their strengths and resources to change them
- Willing to work toward solutions with their Case Manager and the CTD team at least 3-4 hours a week;
- Comfortable meeting with their Family-based Worker in their own home



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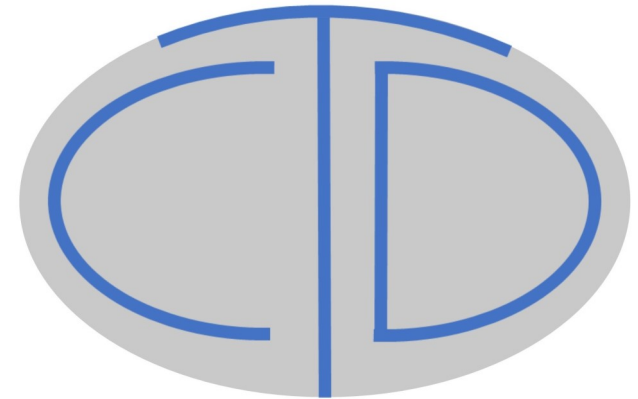
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Diversion Track for high-risk youth Professional Referrals



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What is the CTD Diversion Track?

The **CTD** Diversion Track is a program offered by Judge Cynthia Wheless, through the 417th District Court, dedicated to identifying youth, ages 10–17, who are at risk of being trafficked, due to frequent runaways, truancy, past abuse, and/or trauma.

The goal of the Diversion Track is to divert these youth from the juvenile justice system, and help keep them in their home, through supportive services, education and treatment for the youth and his/her family.

We use a strengths-based model that focuses on skill-building, partnering with the family, and building on their strengths to bring about positive change.

We are here to support the youth and his/her family, offering therapy, and supportive services to try to help the youth stay out of the juvenile justice system, and in their home with their families.

Referral Process

- If you have a teen who appears appropriate for our program, please contact Dee Anna Harvey to refer him/her (contact information on back of pamphlet);
- Please specify how quickly you feel the family should be contacted:
Priority 1—within 2 business days;
Priority 2—within 1 week;
Priority 3—within 2 weeks.
- A CSE-IT will be completed; if there is a clear concern, they will be offered services.

FREE Services Provided:

- Supportive, intensive, in-home services for up to 6 months;
- Assessment and goal-setting with the family;
- Life skills building for the youth and his/her family;
- Groups/Classes/Activities, to include Human Trafficking awareness;
- Individual & Family Counseling (or referral);
- Substance abuse education and counseling (or referral);
- Parenting skill development;
- Supports for rebuilding family relationships;
- Flexible scheduling;
- 24/7 availability in crisis
- Help in all life domain areas: residential, family, social, educational, vocational, medical, psychological, emotional, legal, safety, cultural, community and more.

