

Hampton Systems of Care

Teaching Parent Project

The Hampton Family Assessment and Planning Team developed the Teaching Parent Project in 1997 to support at-risk children and their families living together and succeeding at home, school and in their community. The Project supports children and families who are at imminent risk of removal from their families through placement in foster care and/or an institutional setting. An array of services are provided to the birth parents, relatives and/or fictive kin to insure stable homes; success in school; reduction in significant behavioral issues; and integration into positive community activities. Services provided include:

- ❖ Support, training and education for the family related to positive parenting skills and increasing behavior management skills.
- ❖ Case management services and family case management skills development to increase family advocacy and linkages to critical services and supports.
- ❖ Development of family crisis intervention skills and linkages to community based crisis intervention services.
- ❖ Education and development related to involvement in all child welfare systems, to include the schools, juvenile justice, mental health, and social services.
- ❖ Support and development of natural supports for each family member including relatives, neighbors, fictive kin, community members, spiritual supports and school supports.
- ❖ Support and access to a wide array of community organizations including the YMCA, Hampton Parks and Recreational, the Hampton Healthy Family partnership, NA/AA, church groups, public library, support groups and other community organizations.
- ❖ A monthly stipend to support the outcomes that children and families live successfully together.

For further information please contact the Hampton FAPT office at (757) 727-1745.