

**VISION STATEMENT:**

***“We are a committed community, working***

***together producing safe and healthy environments for children.”***

“How can we, in the next 5 years, ensure the system‐wide use of effective policies and practices to support positive parent child interaction and impact child well-being?”

*“What do we want to see in place 5 years from now as a result of our collective action?”*

• A diverse and committed coalition

• Collective production of positive and healthy norms in children and families

• Resources that support individual and family needs

• Shared evaluation

• Communicating with intention

These elements would result from a continuum of strategies that focus on prevention and would result in sustainability.

**The Mission of Broken County Partnership for Child Well-Being**

We will build protective factors in families through a community based collaborative system of prevention services.

Specifically, we will provide:

* Safe and healthy environments where children and families are valued and engaged.
* Programs and strategies focused on Prevention/Early Intervention
* Opportunities for community teamwork and resources to provide holistic services
* Strong leadership committed to the process and demonstrated through policies, Open and sustainable communication and Ongoing Assessment

GOALS AND WORKGROUPS -- We will:

1. INCREASE QUALITY EARLY EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES/CHILD CARE CENTERS:
   1. Capacity – affordable slots
   2. Support and train existing child care providers to improve quality
   3. Daycares and pre-schools indicated needs were:
      1. How to build healthy family structures.
      2. They need family enrichment skills and behavior skills training.
      3. Would welcome a uniform curriculum.
2. INCREASE SOCIAL EMOTIONAL WELLBEING OF YOUNG CHILDREN AND THEIR PARENTS
   1. Development of /Referrals to PCIT, Save the Children, PIWI, Kid Squad
   2. Increase family access to existing resources
   3. Outreach to isolated families
3. PREVENT CHILDREN FROM ENTRYING THE CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM
   1. Pilot Community Based Services with Non-Court Involved Cases or Helpline Cases
   2. DHHS staff connection to prevention – EC resources
      1. Based on Service Array figure out what services need to be purchased
      2. Resource person in the collaboration that DHHS can connect to for community based services
   3. Families entering system:
      1. Engage lower risk families
      2. Understand their family strengths and needs
4. STRENGTHEN COLLABORATIVE INFRASTRUCTURE TO PROVIDE COMMUNITY BASED PREVENTION SERVICES.
   1. See attached work plan