# **BASICS OF** WRAPAROUND

Wraparound is a team-based, family-centered approach providing intensive, individualized support to help youth remain safely at home and connected to their communities.



## - THE 4 PHASES OF WRAPAROUND





**PLAN CREATION** 



**PLAN IMPLEMENTATION** 



**TRANSITION** 

## What Makes Wraparound Unique?

Wraparound includes four Key Elements that must all be present for the approach to be considered high-quality and true to the model. Each element reflects essential skills and practices that staff must consistently demonstrate in Wraparound implementation.



#### **GROUNDED IN A** STRENGTHS PERSPECTIVE

Identify and build on the capabilities, knowledge, and skills of a youth, family, and team.



### **DRIVEN BY UNDERLYING**

If the underlying need is identified, named, and met, behavior will change.



### SUPPORTED BY AN

EFFECTIVE TEAM

An invested team made of people who know and support the family, and are willing to follow through on their roles and responsibilities.



#### **DETERMINED BY FAMILIES**

Youth and their families have influence, choice, and authority over services and supports.

**STAFF RATIOS** 

To ensure fidelity, ratios of Wraparound facilitators / carecoordinators to youth need to be at or below 1:10



## INTENDED **POPULATION**

### **Wraparound is intended for:**

- Youth at risk of residential placement, hospitalization, or juvenile detention
- Youth & their families with frequent crises, emergency room visits, and/or service disruptions
- Youth with complex trauma, cooccurring disorders, and/or developmental concerns
- Youth & their families who are working with several systems or professionals at the same time

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## THE 10 PRINCIPLES OF WRAPAROUND

- Family Voice & Choice
- **Community-Based**
- Collaboration
- **Natural Supports**
- **Outcome-Based**
- **Team-Based**
- **Individualized**
- Strengths-Based
- **Culturally Competent**
- **Unconditional Care**

