

Provider Identification and Organization Information Form

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Contract Administration

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Liability Insurance: Yes
No

Auto Insurance: Yes
No

Employees are subject to criminal background checks Yes
(according to caregiver background check statutes) No

Organizational Overview (i.e. organizational/individual mission, history, scope, etc): To work collaboratively with counties and other partners to keep children and adolescents at the lowest level of care in the community. Also, to help children and families to develop skills in the community where they live and develop healthy networks of support in order to maintain stability

Service area, plans for expansion (counties/tribes served, willingness to reach out to counties outside current service area or any plans for expansion): Currently working in Brown and Kewaunee Counties and willing to expand to other counties providing services to clients not in the foster care system. The foster care program is currently working with clients from a number of counties throughout the State.

***Organizational Structure (for agencies/organizations—incorporation status, governance):** This is an LLC

Agency/Individual Philosophy (Your agency or individual philosophy, practice framework and values): The goal is to focus on “at risk” youth and families and build a community of support that communicates well and understands the specific role of each player. Through a collaborative and flexible process the family and youth are able to transition from formal to informal resources, necessary for developing long-term supports that can sustain them in the future.

Services to be provided: 1. Foster Care Academy, which is a state licensed level 3 and 4 foster care program. 2. Partnerships in Community Intervention, which provides programming on-site and off-site and provides support and training to teachers and schools on how to maintain youth in the local school setting. 3. Advocates Extension, which provides after school programming, mentoring, and crisis intervention to youth struggling in their homes and communities. Advocates Extension also provides summer programming to youth, which focuses on social skills development and independent living skills.

Quality assurance and outcome measures (Please discuss any outcome measures or quality assurance or improvement measures you utilize, if applicable): The foster care program tracks length of stay, permanency outcomes, and referral sources. Foster care also rates client and team progress on treatment plans in order to evaluate progress and additional services needed.

Please describe your familiarity with and expertise in crisis prevention and intervention services: The foster care program provides 24/7 “on-call” for their foster care program. Advocates Extension also provided crisis prevention and intervention services.