



Los Angeles County DMH, Continuum of Care Reform Division

Trauma/Resilience Tip of the Week: Pathways to Partnership

Trauma-informed care provides opportunities for partnership with youth, families, resource parents and professionals based on mutual respect and a commitment for collaboration. By encouraging children, youth, and families to participate in all levels of services, everyone can ensure that families voice and choice being honored. Team members can provide an opportunity to assist families exposed to trauma by giving support and fostering healthy relationships.



According to the National Child Traumatic Stress Network (2014)

Some ways to encourage increase partnership include:

- Language and Tone of all team members.
 - Intake and registration process.
 - Initial Meeting.
 - Feedback from assessments and evaluations.
 - Planning and making adjustments to treatment .
 - Ending a course off phase of treatment .
 - Providing linkages as needed in the community.
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