

Community Services Service and Support Administration

Community Teams

The basic unit of the Butler County MRDD Program design is the Community Team. These teams are intended to be both the initial and the primary point of contact for individuals and families who are seeking services and supports through the MRDD programs. The Community Teams are located throughout the county.

Most of the Community Team members are “Support Coordinators”. Each of these teams comprise of a Team Supervisor, Team Secretary and a Support Coordinator that is

primarily responsible for eligibility determination. In 2003, we began assigning Early Intervention specialists to work as members of the different community teams.

Team members are responsible to:

- Establish individuals’ eligibility for MRDD services.
- Develop plans for individuals so that they get the services they want and need.
- Help people to become more connected in their communities.
- Establish budgets for needed services.
- Help identify qualified service providers so people can choose providers they like.
- Ensure that services meet the needs of the people being supported, and revise services if they do not.
- Work with service providers to make sure that they are providing the supports that they have agreed to provide.
- Monitor and ensure the health and safety of the people they help.

- Help people manage their money so they can figure out what they can afford.
- Ensure that each individual served has a designated person to provide representation, advocacy, advice and assistance related to the day to day coordination of services in accordance to his/her plan.
- Assists families to make future life plans (for their family member with a developmental disability) for a time when they are no longer able to care or provide direct support.

The Community Teams are committed to supporting and empowering individuals who use MRDD services so they can make informed decisions about how they will live their lives.

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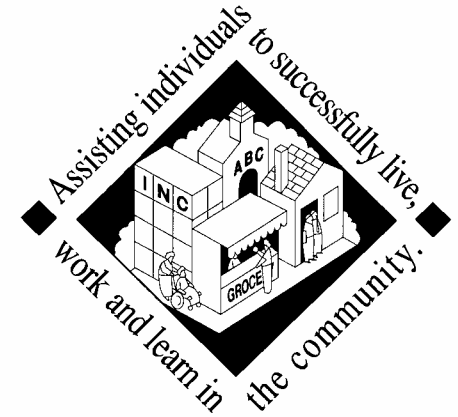
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