



Vision, Mission and Values

Vision: Healthy families and strong communities

Mission: To bring programs, partnerships and resources together to empower and strengthen families and communities.

Values:

We value and recognize the family as the cornerstone of society.

We value the multifaceted structure of the family.

We value strength based approaches that preserve and enhance the dignity of all persons.

We value and support the process of advocacy as it relates to family issues.

We value the principles of respect, trust, equitable treatment, confidentiality and empowerment of all individuals.

We value all people regardless of cultural, ethnic, religious, racial background, sexual orientation, age, gender, socio-economic status, state of health or level of ability.

We value programming that is culturally sensitive and multi-disciplined in approach.

We value diversity in clients, community and staff.

We value equitable access to community services.

We value and support systemic change as it relates to community development.

We value commitment to personal and professional growth.

We value an elected, voluntary Board of Directors that is sovereign and representative of

the community.

We value a Board of Directors, staff and management that foster the development of outcome based policies and practices.

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