

FAMILY-CENTERED SERVICES IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE

2019

August 20, 2019: Family-Centered Services RFP (ACFS 20-006) is released

December 16, 2019: ACFS 20-006 proposals are due to Department of Human Services (DHS).

2020

January 1, 2020: Solution Based Casework (SBC) developer is in Iowa to introduce SBC to DHS and partners:

- ▶ Jan: DHS Leadership Retreat
- ▶ March: DHS Manager's Retreat recorded Webinar about SBC
- ▶ April: SBC Online E-learning. Required for caseworkers and child protection workers.
- ▶ March-May: SBC developer trains DHS training staff and helps develop training tools.

March 2, 2020: DHS announces the apparent successful bidders for ACFS 20-006

May 2020: Danger vs. Risk recorded Webinar. Required for caseworkers, child protection workers, and supervisors.

May 2020: Risk Re-assessment Recorded Webinar. Required for case managers and supervisors.

June 2020: FCS/QRTP fundamentals video training covering all aspects of the new services starting July 1. Required for case managers, child protective workers, and supervisors. Supervisors will conduct follow up training.

June 1, 2020: Family-Centered Services Contract starts in order to transition cases as needed

July 1, 2020: Family-Centered Services, service provision begins

- ▶ Family Team Decision-Making (FTDM) Meetings
- ▶ Youth Transition Decision-Making (YTDM) Meetings
- ▶ Child Safety Conferences
- ▶ SBC (as soon as trained)
- ▶ SafeCare (as soon as trained)
- ▶ Motivational Interviewing (MI) (as soon as trained)

December 1, 2020: All Family-Centered Services Contractors are trained and delivering SBC

2021

January 1, 2021: All Family-Centered Services Contractors are trained and delivering Motivational Interviewing as part of their Family Preservation Service

July 1, 2021: All Family-Centered Services Contractors are trained and delivering SafeCare

2022

July 1, 2022: The initial contract is a two year term. This date is the first of four potential one year renewals.

2026

June 30, 2026: Family-Centered Services Contract (ACFS 20-006) ends no later than this date