

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

CHILDREN'S DIVISION

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M E M O R A N D U M

What's Inside:

New Regions
awarded foster
care case
management
contract.

TO: REGIONAL EXECUTIVE STAFF, CIRCUIT MANAGERS, AND
CHILDREN'S DIVISION STAFF

FROM: CELESTA HARTGRAVES, ACTING DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: FOSTER CARE CASE MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS

DISCUSSION:

The purpose of this memorandum is to inform staff of the expansion of the Foster Care Case Management Contract to three additional regions effective 8/11/08. Contracts were initially awarded on 6/1/05 to serve the St. Louis, Kansas City, and Springfield regions. These contracts were renewed with additional awards made to serve the Central, South Central and Southwest regions.

Contract Case Management Oversight Specialists have been assigned in each county the contractors were awarded to serve. These staff will provide technical assistance, monitor enrollment and disenrollments, attend all permanency planning reviews for contracted cases, and assist in quality improvement efforts designed to improve services provided to children and families.

Each contract was awarded to a consortium of agencies. The contractor and agencies included in the consortium are listed below along with the counties served, number of cases awarded, and corresponding 6Z service code:

St. Louis Region (Jefferson, St. Charles St. Louis City and St. Louis County)

	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z code</u>
Missouri Alliance Permanency Program (MAPP)	630	6ZA
Boys and Girls Town of Missouri		
Edgewood Children's Center		
Evangelical Children's Home		
Missouri Alliance for Children & Families		
Missouri Baptist Children's Home		
Presbyterian Children's Services		

Children's Permanency Partnership (CPP)	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z code</u>
Epworth	376	6ZB
Family Resource Center		
Urban Behavioral Health Services		
Youth in Need		

Catholic Charities	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z code</u>
Bringing Families Together	315	6ZC
Catholic Charities, Archdiocese of St. Louis		
Good Shepherd Children and Family Services		
Lutheran Family and Children's Services of Missouri		
Our Little Haven		

Kansas City Region (Andrew, Buchanan, Clay and Jackson)

Cornerstones of Care	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Gillis	333	6ZD
Marillac		
Missouri Baptist Children's Home		
Ozanam		
Spofford		

Family Advocates	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Crittenton	168	6ZE
Catholic Charities of Kansas City/St. Joseph		

Springfield Region (Greene, Christian, Taney, Barry, Lawrence, and Stone)

Springfield Partners	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Alternative Opportunities	150	6ZG
Catholic Charities		
Good Samaritan Boys Ranch		
Lutheran Children and Families		

Southwest Children's Coalition	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Boys and Girls Town of Missouri	315	6ZM
Missouri Alliance for Children and Families		
Missouri Baptist Children's Home		
Presbyterian Children's Services		

Central Region (Boone, Callaway, Howard, and Randolph)

	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Central Children's Coalition	105	6ZJ
Boys and Girls Town of Missouri		
Missouri Alliance for Children and Families		
Missouri Baptist Children's Home Children and Family Ministries		
Presbyterian Children's Services		

South Central Region (Camden, Laclede, Phelps, Pulaski, and Texas)

	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Central Children's Coalition	105	6ZK
Boys and Girls Town of Missouri		
Missouri Alliance for Children and Families		
Missouri Baptist Children's Home Children and Family Ministries		
Presbyterian Children's Services		

Southwest Region (Jasper, McDonald, and Newton)

	<u>Cases Awarded</u>	<u>6Z Code</u>
Southwest Children's Coalition	105	6ZL
Boys and Girls Town of Missouri		
Missouri Alliance for Children and Families		
Missouri Baptist Children's Home Children and Family Ministries		
Presbyterian Children's Services		

For additional information regarding the Foster Care Case Management Contract please refer to CD05-55, <http://www.dss.mo.gov/cd/info/memos/2005/55/cd0555.pdf>.

NECESSARY ACTION

1. Review this memorandum with all Children's Division staff.
2. Review revised Child Welfare Manual chapters as indicated below.
3. All questions should be cleared through normal supervisory channels and directed to:

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<p>CHILD WELFARE MANUAL REVISIONS N/A</p>
<p>FORMS AND INSTRUCTIONS N/A</p>
<p>REFERENCE DOCUMENTS AND RESOURCES N/A</p>
<p>RELATED STATUTE 210.112 RSMo</p>
<p>ADMINISTRATIVE RULE N/A</p>
<p>COUNCIL ON ACCREDITATION (COA) STANDARDS N/A</p>
<p>CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES REVIEW (CFSR) N/A</p>
<p>PROTECTIVE FACTORS (Link applicable factors and enter N/A if not applicable.) Parental Resilience N/A Social Connections N/A Knowledge of Parenting and Child Development N/A Concrete Support in Times of Need N/A Social and Emotional Competence of Children N/A</p>
<p>FACES REQUIREMENTS N/A</p>