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The Strong Families, Safe Communities grant provided an opportunity to have full-time Wraparound Coordinators as well as full-time Family Council Coordinators in both Madison and Union Counties. Having full-time positions as given both Madison and Union Counties greater capacity to meet the immediate needs of youth and families as well as highlight the need for sustaining these positions beyond the life of the grant.

Through the collaborative efforts of Union and Madison Counties there has been an increase in efficiently tracking progress and measuring outcomes using the documentation features imbedded in the Fidelity Electronic Health Record (EHR) system. Due to the use of the EHR there have also been increased efficiencies in coordinating wraparound services, reviewing facilitator's documentation and adding supervisor's notes. Additionally, using the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS) assessment tool has been an effective way for working with system partners including Children's Protective Services, Community Behavioral Health Agencies and Juvenile Probation. The CANS has given a common language, holistic view of the family and a broader perspective when selecting therapeutic treatment such as Intensive Home-Based Therapies (IHBT).

The fiscal year 2018 focused not only on growing the High Fidelity Wraparound program but also training diverse groups of professionals in order to have an array of evidence-based practices in a variety of youth contexts.

FY 2018:

- ✓ Full-time Family Council Coordinators for both Union and Madison Counties
- ✓ Full-time Wraparound Coordinators for both Union and Madison Counties
- ✓ Increase in Parent Partners and Wraparound Facilitators
- ✓ Shared assessment and communication tool through the CANS
- ✓ Fidelity Electronic Health Record
- ✓ Youth Move expansion
- ✓ Variety of professional development trainings:
 - ✓ National Wraparound Conference
 - ✓ State-wide Wraparound training
 - ✓ Collaboration between Madison and Union Counties for technical assistance
 - ✓ Ohio Systems of Care Conference
 - ✓ Building Better Lives Conference
- ✓ Variety of Evidence-Based Practices (training and implementation):
 - ✓ Youth Mental Health First Aid (train the trainer, workbooks, as well as 72 trained first aiders)
 - ✓ Botvin Life Skills (trainers and workbooks)
 - ✓ Coping and Support Training (CAST)
 - ✓ Girls Moving On
 - ✓ Zones of Regulation

FY 2019 Plan of Work:

In addition to continuing High Fidelity Wraparound, Parent Partnering and Respite, we want to continue training system partners in order to have capacity and sustainability embedded in multiple contexts for our youth. Training for 2019 includes:

- ✓ CANS Refresher
- ✓ Cultural Competency
- ✓ Trauma Informed Care Training
- ✓ Kaleidoscope LGBTQ 101 Training
- ✓ Youth Move (Alternative Peer Group Pilot)

Key Indicators

- ✓ 83 Youth served in High Fidelity Wraparound between Madison and Union Counties (July 18 through Present).
- ✓ 15 Youth Served through Community Response Teams since June of 2018.
- ✓ 46 Trained in CANS

