



FPS (Family Preservation Services)

Provide professional level services to improve family functioning to promote the child's or adolescent's health, safety, well-being and welfare, supporting the family to remain intact and allow children to remain or return home in accordance with RCW 74.14C.005.

All services delivered shall be individualized, understanding each family's needs and strengths. Each family intervention shall have the capacity to provide support to families, as needed, in the following key areas:

- a. Crisis Stabilization –services delivered by Professional Staff that are short-term, acute, and use an active and systematic approach to stabilization
- b. Engagement – activates aligned with the principles and skills associated with Motivational Interviewing
- c. Parenting Strategies –helping and teaching parents and caregivers to learn and use the skills they specifically need to safely parent their children.
- d. Family Resources - Engaging families to strengthen parent advocacy, identify personal growth opportunities, and identify accessible and supportive natural supports and community resources that directly support child safety in the home; and
- e. Counseling Services – Are services to be delivered by a professional and under this contract shall, at a minimum, be delivered consistent with cognitive behavioral treatment modalities. Counseling services shall be focused on needs of the family as they directly relate to child safety.

The Therapist shall schedule services at families' convenience, including evenings, weekends, and holidays at a minimum once (1) a week. Contractor shall provide services in the family's own homes except when an alternative location is requested by the family or required by the specific service.

HOW TO JOIN OUR TEAM Minimum Requirements:

- Graduate degree in social work, psychology, human services, or related field; OR undergraduate degree in social work, psychology, human services or related field and at least two-three years' experience working with children and families.
- Valid driver's license, a vehicle in good working condition, and automobile liability insurance that meets minimum agency requirements. Satisfactory completion of a criminal history background check.
- At least 21 years of age and live in the designated service area. DOH licensure/certification (for Family Therapists is a must) Proof of COVID-19 vaccination required Job Type: 1099 contractor-per diem/part-time/full-time
- Schedule: Monday to Friday, On call ,Weekend availability Education: Bachelor's (Required) (therapist positions) High School or G.E.D. (paraprofessional positions) Experience: working with children and families: 2 years (Required) License/Certification: Driver's License and automobile liability insurance (Required)

