

Benefits of FGDM

- Family is invested in the plan.
- Family often makes plans more *strict* and detailed than agency plans.
- Creates more stable living arrangements
- Creates better futures for our children
- Increases family ownership
- Opportunity to strengthen families and to have families resolve concerns in a safe environment

Benefits of FGDM (continued)

- Cost neutrality/Savings
 - Decreased court involvement
 - Reduced Placements
 - Decrease in intensive services

- Saves time by frontloading

