

# Reasonable Efforts

**When making reasonable efforts, the child's health and safety shall be of paramount concern.**

## **Reasonable Efforts must be made:**

**“To make it possible for a child to safely return to the child's home”**

## **Reasonable Efforts do NOT need to be made:**

**“The parent has subjected the child to aggravated circumstances as defined by state law and the court orders that efforts do not need to be made”**