## Logic Model for the Transitions Project

**Our vision is that:** Children & youth with severe emotional disturbance (SED) who are being served by the child welfare system will function successfully in permanent homes, in schools, and in the community.

**Our mission is to**: Partner with families, build community support networks, and provide individualized, culturally competent mental health services that will enable children & youth with SED who are served by the child welfare system to successfully navigate critical transitional periods, including system entry, system exit, and other placement modifications during the permanency planning process.

<u>CONTEXT</u> —	→ <u>STRATEGIES</u>	→ <u>OUTCOMES</u>
CONTEXTPopulation of Focus:Children and youth up to age 21 with a severe emotional disturbance (SED) who are 1) entering the child welfare system or 2) exiting the child welfare system and are at risk of or currently dealing with:* Educational Failure, and/or* Out of home placement, and/or* Involvement with multiple agencies, and/or* A juvenile court referral.	<ul> <li>STRATEGIES</li> <li>Strategies</li> <li>Cuiding Principles: <ol> <li>The Transitions Project is family-focused and child-centered, with the needs of the child and family dictaing the types and mix of services provided.</li> <li>Transitions is community based with the focus of services, management, and decision-making responsibility resting at the community level.</li> <li>Transitions is community based with the focus of services, management, and decision-making responsibility resting at the community level.</li> <li>Children and families have access to a competensive any of individualized services delivered in a culturally competent manner.</li> </ol> </li> <li>State Governance: The St. Louis System of Carb Board offers the following in development and support of Transitions.</li> <li>Technical assistance regarding policy/procedural issues to deress fragmentation of services for children and youth.</li> <li>Technical assistance regarding policy/procedural infantives across St. Louis System of Carb Board offers the following in development and support of Transitions.</li> <li>Descolpment of policy to support infrastructure.</li> <li>Descolpment of policy to support infrastructure.</li> <li>State SOC Team</li> <li>Local Governance: The St. Louis System of Carb Board offers the following in development and support of Transitions.</li> <li>Descolpment of policy to support infrastructure.</li> <li>State Governance: The St. Louis System of Carb Board offers the following in development and support of Transitions.</li> <li>Descolpment of policy to support infrastructure.</li> <li>Descolpment of policy to support infrastructure.</li> <li>Descolpment of policy and curve curve.</li> <li>State Governance: State Economic steries for children and youth. Transitions.</li> <li>Terminations escones State Departments that cand be coordinate with a</li></ul>	<ul> <li><b>DUTCOMES</b></li> <li><b>Family &amp; Child</b> Level         <ol> <li>Family outcomes:                 <ul> <li>I) Family outcomes:</li> <li>Increased caregiver</li>                     empowerment</ul></li> <li>Decreased caregiver strain</li> <li>Improved caregiver</li>                     perception of culturally</ol></li>                     competent service delivery <li>Improved family</li>                     functioning</ul>
	*These members also reflect the State SOC Team	competence 8) Sustainability