

TEHAMA LINKAGES COMMITMENT TLC

Vision: Self-sufficient families and safe children in a responsible and caring community.

Goal: To coordinate services between CalWORKs and Child Welfare in Tehama county to help families achieve self-sufficiency and ensure child safety and well being.

Guiding Principles:

1. We believe services must be strength based, family-centered, and tailored to individual needs.
2. We believe services must be accessible, comprehensive, and delivered in the least intrusive way possible.
3. We believe services must be coordinated across systems in a smooth and seamless practice.
4. We believe services must protect the rights of families, must be culturally sensitive, and are delivered in a respectful and caring manner.
5. We believe that parents want to be self-sufficient and to have a safe home for their children. Our job is to provide families with the tools, resources, and opportunities to achieve these goals.
6. We believe that families are on a journey, which includes awareness that there is a different and better way of life, a desire for this new way of life, and a belief that this way of life is achievable.
7. We believe that the door to services must remain open so families can flourish when they are ready.