

Redesign for Family Engagement

Next Steps Chart

Is there a program, practice or policy that you could *improve* or *create* to move your school forward with your partnerships with kinship families?

Describe it.

Name of program, practice or policy: _____

Who?

What?

Where?

When?

Why?

How?

Questions to consider:

1. What is the ideal goal for students?
2. What is the ideal goal for families?
3. Who would not have access to the program, practice or policy? What barriers exist?
4. What different options do we have to eliminate the barriers for families?
5. What are some other opportunities we can provide to get to the same goal? What are other ways we can communicate about this goal with families?
6. Why should this matter to families? How can we communicate the relevance with them?
7. How many different ways are there for families to respond in support of this goal?

Reflect and use the Next Steps chart to sketch out your next steps for the program, practice or policy. Think about...

- *What next steps do you need to take to accomplish your program, practice or policy?*
- *How could kinship families consult in the design or evaluation of the program/practice/policy?*
- *What resources would be helpful when working with families?*
- *What resources would be helpful to share with families?*
- *Who is responsible for completing the next steps?*
- *What are the desired outcomes by that specific timeframe?*

	Program/Practice/Policy Next Steps	Families to Consult	Resources	Responsible- By whom:	Desired Outcomes
Next Week					
Next Month					
Next Year					