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| **Vision:** To “keep families together” by providing safe, permanent housing and evidence-based, trauma-informed support services to CP&P-involved children and their families using a Housing First model | | | | |
| **Name of Initiative:**  Keeping Families Together | | | | |
| **Target Population:** CP&P involved families for whom homelessness or housing instability is a primary risk factor for imminent placement or barrier to reunification for children in out-of-home placement. This program is designed to meet the needs of NJ’s most vulnerable families who may be experiencing substance use disorders, domestic violence, mental and/or physical health challenges. | | | | |
| **RESOURCES** | **ACTIVITIES**  **OUTPUTS** | **SHORT TERM OUTCOMES** | **MID TERM**  **OUTCOMES** | **DCF LONG TERM OUTCOMES** |
| Key resources of your program | Tangible things done by program staff that reach participants or targeted people – including frequency, duration, etc. | Learning connected to Activities, resulting in changed awareness, knowledge, attitudes, skills, opinions, aspirations, and motivations; these are the first set of outcomes that might be observed | Effects connected to Activities or Short-Term Outcomes, including changes in behavior, practice, decision making, policies or social action; these are a bridge between short term and long term outcomes | Ultimate impact on social, economic, civic or environmental conditions; these are the last set of outcomes that might be observed |
|  |  |  |  | Decreased child welfare involvement  Improved child well-being  Increase housing stability  Improve in caregiver well-being  [Other as identified by applicant] |
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| **Assumptions:** Beliefs and thought patterns about how and why a program is expected to succeed which are not otherwise explicitly stated; also, things that would prevent a program from achieving its long-term outcomes. | | | | |
| **Assumption 1:** | | | | |
| **Assumption 2:** | | | | |