

Washington **County Family and Children First Council Shared Plan for SFYs 12-16**
Shared Plan Update for SFY 16

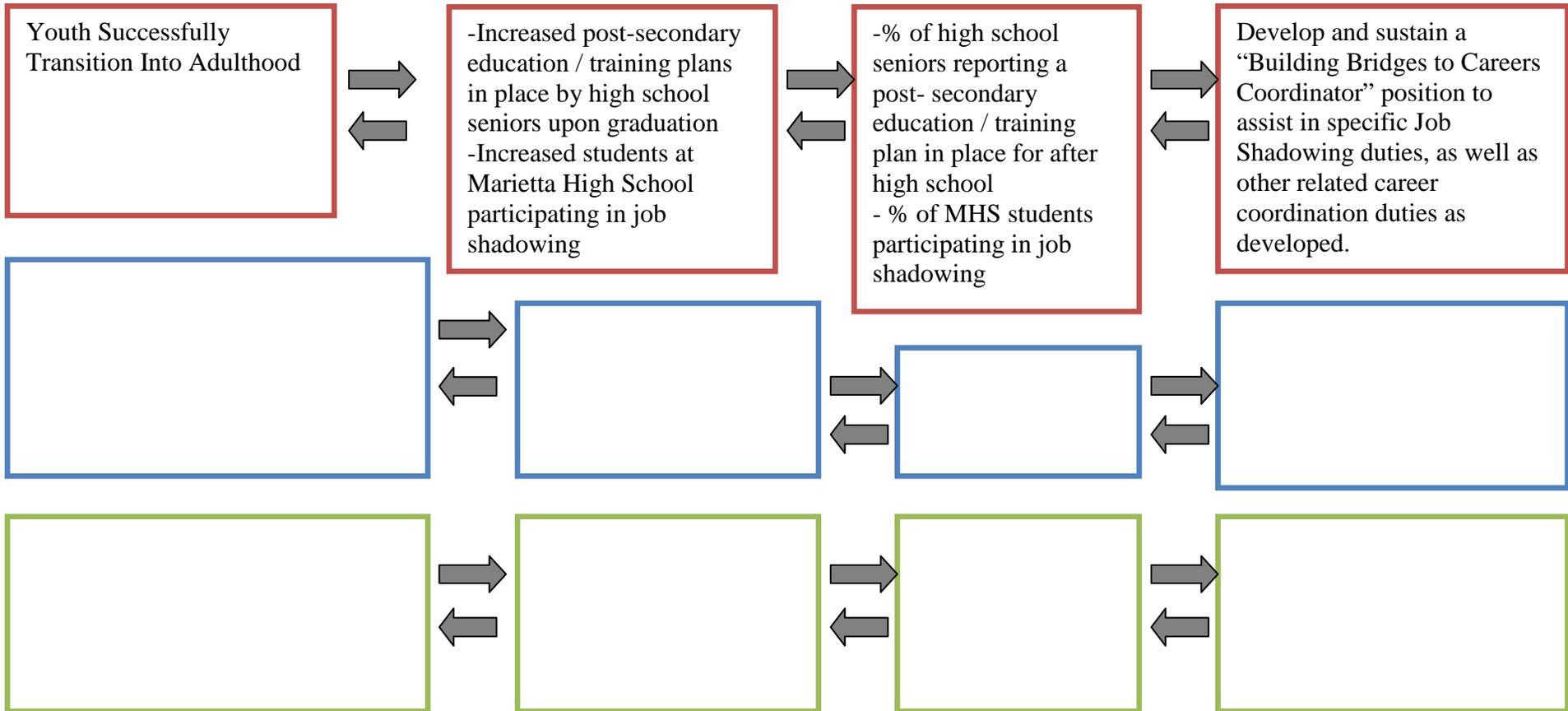
Current FCFC Initiatives: HELP ME GROW; OCTF / Strengthening Families 10-14 Program; Parenting Wisely Program; Stewards of Children; FCF Service Coordination; Community Options Team (COT); HOME Choice Transition Coordinator; Systems of Care (FCSS); Teen Career Awareness Initiative/Job Shadowing Project (HB 289 Plan); Building Bridges to Careers – Partnership with Marietta City Schools; Access to Mental Health Initiative (Resource Guide); The Right Path (Led by Mental Health Board) – Community Coalition for positive youth development; 2-1-1 Development in partnership with United Way.

**Shared
Priorities**

**Shared
Outcomes**

**Shared
Indicators**

**Shared
Strategies**



Were there any modifications from last year's plan? Yes No X

If yes, please identify the types of changes made by checking the appropriate boxes below:

Priorities

Outcomes

Indicators

Strategies

1. Identify any barriers in implementing the plan (i.e. data collection, data tracking, funding, infrastructure, etc.)

There have been no barriers in CY 2014 in implementing the plan

2. Identify any successes/how implementing this plan has worked to strengthen the council and county collaboration.

The Teen Career Awareness Initiative (TCAI) of the Washington County Family & Children First Council, as well as Council, has worked closely with Marietta City Schools on the Building Bridges to Careers (BBC) Initiative. The 2 Initiatives overlap, however our goals are clear. TCAI's focus is on "Career Awareness" and the BBC focus is on "Career Development and Readiness", however, all efforts have been coordinated. Due to additional funding from MCS through their Race to The Top grant, combined with FCF's grassroots funding from businesses and schools, we have been able to sustain a Building Bridges to Careers (BBC) Coordinator. The role of the BBC Coordinator is to not only coordinate job shadowing opportunities for students and businesses, but to act as a liaison and support to all school districts around career aspects. Also, with the emphasis on careers from the past work of TCAI and BBC, Marietta High School implemented a new Career Education Class for sophomores in the fall of 2013. This class has seen much success and the BBC Coordinator works closely with the teacher of the class to coordinate required job shadowing for all students. The partnership of FCF with MHS and the BBC has grown and strengthened collaborations between schools, council, businesses and the community at large.

Report on Indicator Data (Provide data for each outcome indicator listed on the Shared Plan. List only ONE outcome per page. This page can be duplicated as needed).

Shared Outcome: Increased post-secondary education / training plans in place by high school seniors upon graduation

Indicator(s):	Baseline Data	Current Year Data	Direction of Change (+, -, NC)
% of high school seniors reporting a post-secondary education / training plan in place for after high school	Data: 77% Year of Data: 2008	Data: 78% Year of Data: 2015	+1%
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3. List the data source(s) for the indicator(s):

Senior Survey conducted by Washington County Family & Children First with seniors in all school districts in the county, including the Washington County Career Center, in April/May of 2015. 451 surveys were received. Data is tabulated and shared with Family & Children First Council, the Teen Career Awareness Advisory Group, the Building Bridges to Careers Workgroup, and each school district, as well as posted on the FCF website.

4. Identify any key findings (explanation of data findings; FCFC actions taken in response to key findings, etc.):

There has been very little movement over the years of surveys, in the percent of students reporting a post-secondary education / training plan in place after graduation. The numbers appear to be pretty stable from year to year. This may simply indicate that regardless of efforts, there is a certain percent of students who do not have a plan in place after graduation.

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Shared Outcome: Increased students at Marietta High School participating in job shadowing

Indicator(s):	Baseline Data	Current Year Data	Direction of Change (+, -, NC)
% of MHS students participating in job shadowing	Data: 19% Year of Data: 2008	Data: 29% Year of Data: 2015	+52%
	Data: Year of Data:	Data: Year of Data:	
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Identify any key findings (explanation of data findings; FCFC actions taken in response to key findings, etc.):

The percent of students at MHS participating in job shadowing continues to increase. With the addition of a sophomore career class in 2013, we would expect to see the numbers rise significantly, once these students become seniors.