# **Your County**

Family Treatment Court



Your County FTC has helped reunify XXXX families since 2015!

Your FTC graduate said, "pull a quote from your exit survey that says something interesting about your court"

-FTC Graduate. Your County, Washington

### What is an FTC?

In Family Treatment Court, organizations like DCYF, treatment professionals, court personnel, and community partners work together to support families in the dependency system who are impacted by substance use disorders. By working as a team, the FTC is better able to help a family with their unique needs.

#### **Contact Us**

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https://www.wacita.org/washingtonfamily-treatment-courts/ How To use your Powerpoint Template

Double click on the purple, then choose color in the top bar to choose a color scheme that matches your court. Be sure the text and background colors contrast to make it more accessible for low vision readers.

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Pull this number from your most current data. It could be "reunified X families" as a total, or a percentage of families that have reunified from your court. You could also use # (or %) of graduates. This is a catchy line, so it should be short, and positive!

If you don't do exit surveys this is a great place to start getting feedback from participants.

You can also ask a current or former participant directly for a quote. Only use first names or leave them anonymous for privacy purposes.

This explanation should be similar to the language in your participant's manual. Public-facing documents should be written at about a 6<sup>th</sup> grade reading level so your message is in clear terms for every reader.

If your court has a mission statement, consider adding that here as well, with a separate heading.

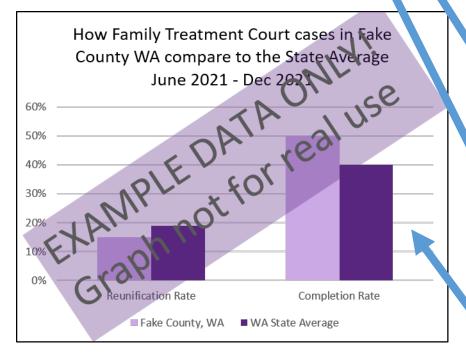
If possible, use a name and phone number for a person to contact. Being specific takes away a little of the "unknown" for parents.

If you don't have a website, use your county website, or leave the WA FTC page. (Double check that we have the correct contact information listed for you!)

## Your County FTC by the Numbers

Since we started collecting these data in 2021, our FTC:

- Has successfully reunified XX% Families
- Has seen a % Graduation Rate
- Currently has served XX # of families in our program
  - Including XX # of children!



We hope to continue to see our program grow in our community! For more information please call or text Your Name, Your Job at (123)456-7891

#### The audience for this brochure:

The public including:

- · Anyone entering a court physically or virtually
  - Parents attending court
  - Public defenders
  - Guardian ad Litems and CASAs.
  - Court Personnel
- Attendees of public events
  - Community stakeholders in particular
  - Service Providers
  - Healthcare Offices and Hospitals
- Newspapers, Broadcast News, Local Social Media Groups, etc.

In this section, choose data from your performance measures (or earlier data sets if you have it!) that positively represents your court. In contrast, reports to stakeholders, steering committees, etc., should instead include the data that helps pinpoint problems so that your group can strategize solutions. Each data story should be made for a specific audience.

Choose data from your WA FTC Performance Measure Reporting Form:

- Number of Parents
  - Currently (column H)
  - Families reunited/cases dismissed (column G)
- Number of Children (same as above)
- Number of Cases dismissed (add columns H+I in child welfare section)

If you have total dependency numbers in your county, you can use these also. If not, Dr. Meize-Bowers will help you work on this graph using state averages or other appropriate data.

Update with your own information!