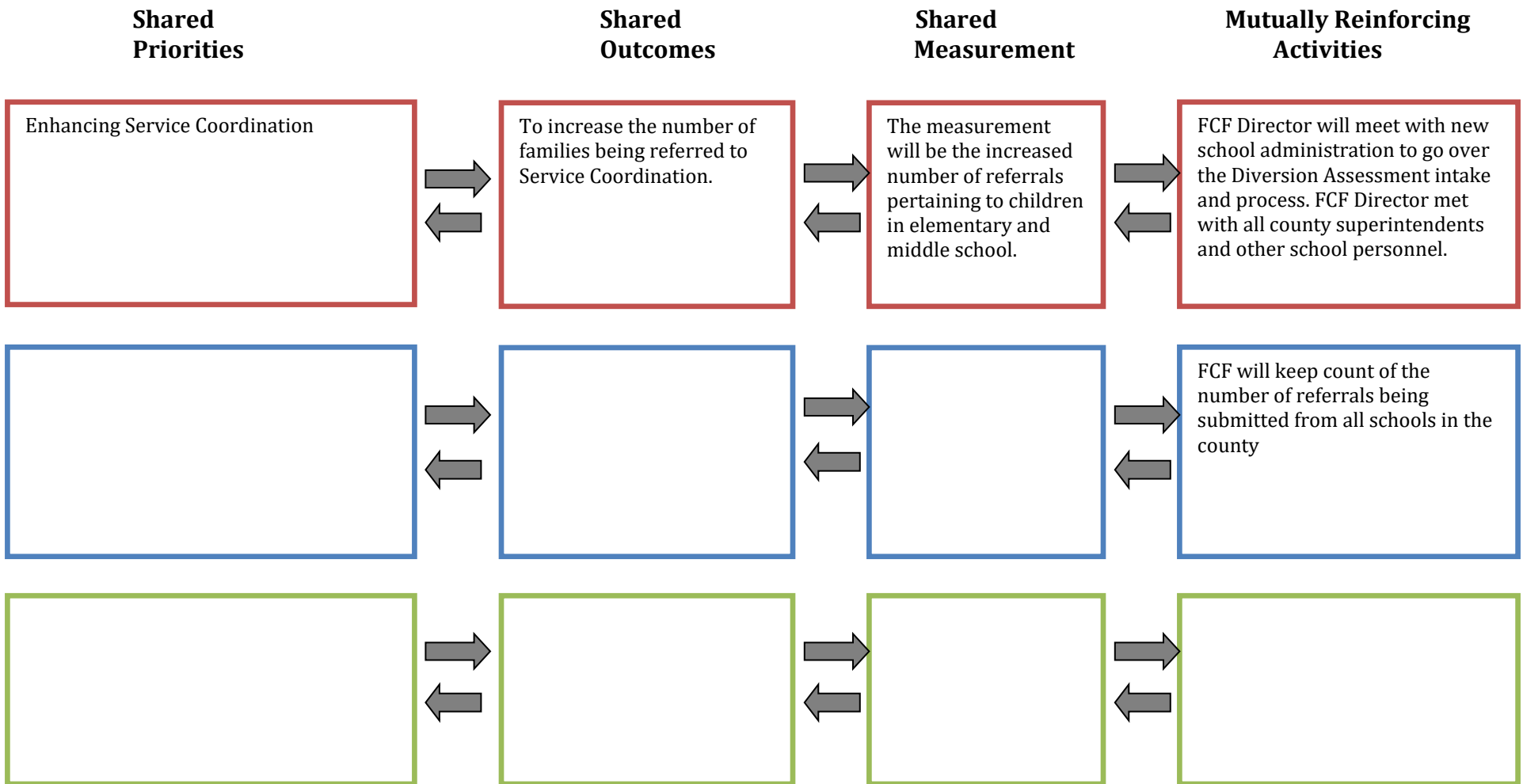


It Shelby County Family and Children First Council Shared Plan for SFY 2023-2025

Current FCFC Initiatives: Diversion Assessment Team (DAT), Early Intervention Service Coordination



Needs Assessment

List any community plans that were incorporated into this process. Include only those plans that are written, data informed, and have identified priorities (e.g. FCE, CCIP, United Way, MHRB plan):

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2. Identify alternative needs assessment methods or data sets that were utilized to identify the Shared Priorities:

The information was based on the number of referrals that were being received from the schools pertaining to elementary and middle school aged kids prior to more intensive needs such as residential placement.

3. Identify any barriers experienced in this process (i.e. plan collection, availability of data, language issues, etc.):

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4. Identify any successes/how this process has worked to strengthen the council and county collaboration:

This was a conversation that was held during FCFC meetings when going over the DAT information in monthly reports. Out of these conversations, the FCF Director was able to attend school meetings to address what DAT was, how to make referrals and the type of referrals. Due to having these conversations recently, referrals have started to increase.

