

# Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Service Coordination Community Services Coordination Network



## What is FASD Service Coordination?

FASD Service Coordinators provide short-term, solution-focused consultation, strategies and support to professionals, children, youth and their families affected by FASD through the following steps;

- ▶ Interim Service Coordination for individuals with FASD and their families
- ▶ System Capacity building to foster FASD informed practice amongst our community partners
- ▶ Assisting families in gathering necessary documentation to most efficiently have their child/youth FASD assessed

## How do we support families?

FASD Service Coordinators can do any or all of the following based on the needs you identify:

- Meet with your family and child/youth to get to know you and your goals for your child/youth
- Work with you to identify what services and supports you would like to access in your community
- Support you in learning more about FASD and how it affects your child/youth
- Provide you with support in learning strategies to support your child/youth's success
- Connect with the professionals who work with your child/youth (including schools, therapists, community supports, medical professionals, etc.)
- Support your community team in learning more about FASD and your child/youth

## When will FASD Service Coordination finish working with my family?

- When we have achieved the goals of the service plan we created together you will move to "Inactive FASD Service Coordination"
- You can return to "Active FASD Service Coordination" at any time if you identify a need related to our services
- When supporting your family and community team in transition planning into adult services leading up to your child's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday **-OR-** until their 21<sup>st</sup> birthday if they remain in a publicly funded school **-OR-** your child/youth is working toward re-engaging in publicly funded school

***Please ask your Coordinator for more information on "Inactive FASD Service Coordination"***