Measuring Transformational Change at an Organizational Level

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The Baby Fold

- * Founded in 1902
- * 3 campuses in Normal, satellite office in Springfield
- * 200 employees
- * 14 million budget
- * Residential treatment ages 5-13, 14 beds
- * HMR/Traditional/Specialized foster care
- * Healthy Start home visiting program
- * Adoption Preservation program
- * Elementary and Junior-Senior High school program
- * Autism program 6 classrooms
- * Community Schools, County Outreach, and Intact

Learning Objectives

- * Understand the concept of using a "transformational blueprint" as an agencywide change strategy
- * How to develop outcomes and indicators to measure agency-wide change
- * How to develop and use tools to track progress towards change

"The secret of change is to focus all of your energy, not on fighting the old, but on building the new."

-Socrates

Adapting to Change

* Change Management

- * Set of basic tools or structures
- * Keeps change effort under control
- * Minimize distractions and impacts of change

* Change Leadership

- * Driving forces, visionary, lead processes that push large-scale transformational change
- * Sense of urgency and empowering large groups of people
- * Bigger leaps associated with faster windows of opportunity
- * 70% of all major change initiatives fail

Process of Organizational Change

- * Began strategic planning process in Spring 2015
- * Identified three strategic directions:
 - * Building talent for today and leadership for tomorrow
 - * Building service capacity and reputation as experts
 - * Building visibility and partnerships for delivery on mission
- * Identified project teams:
 - * Creating new lines of business
 - * Improving fundraising and development methods
 - * Trauma informed practices and training
 - * Leadership development
 - Space and facilities planning
 - Communication and developing external partnerships

Project Teams

- * Teams developed objectives, actions and timelines for each strategic project
- * New developing and marketing strategy developed in FY16
- * Space Planning project deferred due to cost
- * Continuing strategic plan projects in FY17:
 - * Trauma-informed treatment initiative
 - * Leadership development
 - * New lines of business family centered/community based
 - * Internal/external communication

Alliance Strategic Change Initiative - What is it?

- * Founded in 2010 by Tom Woll
- * Purpose was to help organizations adapt to rapidly changing environment
- * Based on extensive interview research
- * 2300 interviews with private and public sector executives, families and youth receiving services, and elected public officials
- * Asked about current and future states of the field and future skills needed to be successful

Strategic Planning based on future forecasting

- * Most strategic plans are based on current environment
- * Need a "future picture" of your field three years from now
- * Forecast the organizational change needed and skills to be developed
- * "Transformation Blueprint" is a method of planning based on future forecasting

Future Forecasting Trends

- * Financial resources only for services that "work"
- * Adaptable leadership that can both manage and lead change
- * Service delivery moves from child focus to family focus
- Improved methods of family engagement and comprehensive assessment of family needs
- * Changes in residential treatment services
- * Move from campus based services to community based services
- * Further integrate and blend services
- * Form partnerships for collaboration and service continuum
- * Become trauma-informed experts

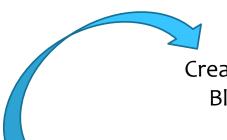
From Strategic Plan to Transformational Blueprint

- * Joined the Alliance Transformation Cohort in January 2016 with Tom Woll, consultant
- * Consultation and training for 15 agencies across the U.S.
- * Three year change process based on future forecasting trends
- * Assist organizations in transforming into new business models due to changing environment
- * CEO partners with mentor agency CEO
- * Transformational Blueprint work would begin in July 2016

Purpose of Transformation Blueprint

- * Method of responding to and adapting to changing environment and future forecasting
- * Provides a roadmap to guide organizational change
- * Clearly prioritizes changes needed
- * Defines direction of change to internal and external stakeholders
- * Drives the agency cultural shift

Continuous Improvement Cycle



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Create the Transformation
Blueprint and identify
desired results



Make decisions to continue, modify or discontinue changes that support desired outputs and outcomes



Conduct the activities for each quarter and fiscal year

Measure and analyze desired outputs and outcomes for progress towards change



Initiating the Blueprint

- * Blueprint finalized May 1, 2016
- * Identified "themes" of trauma-informed, family focused, community based, and adaptive leadership
- * Introduced themes of Blueprint at all agency staff meetings and Board of Directors retreat in May 2016
- * Incorporated themes and expenses tied to Blueprint in Board budget presentation in June 2016
- * .5 FTE for development of new services; 1 FTE training; \$\$
- * Use of middle management as project leads
- * Drafted a "strategic map" for internal communication

Strategy Map

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We never give up on a child

Our Vision: Transforming children's lives through strong family and community partnerships.

Organizational Identity: (Adopt an organizational identity)

Trauma informed practice

Community and home based services

Empowering and building families

Develop and implement methods to enhance communication across the agency.

Research and identify methods to improve fundraising efforts

Develop and implement a plan to optimize use of physical resources and space

Improve child and family outcomes Improve staff competencies Decrease compassion fatigue

workforce of trauma

experts

Building service capacity

and reputation as experts

(Address child and family

trauma)

Provide training and mentoring to develop a

Increase family engagement Increase staff knowledge in providing family and community based services

Enhance and expand the family and community based service components for all programs

Building visibility and partnerships for delivery on Mission (Family and community engagement

Develop and deliver leadership training Develop and implement reflective supervision model

Foster adaptive leaders who have clear vision, high integrity and inspire staff

Building talent for today and leaders for tomorrow (Leadership and Supervision)

Strategic Plan: Our Windows of Opportunity

Foundation: Our Values - Respect, Integrity, Teamwork, Excellence, Stewardship and Diversity

Foundation: Our Mission - The Baby Fold embodies Christian principles to help families and children develop the hope, courage, and love they need to become whole and healthy.

Components of Transformation Blueprint

- * Three year plan for organization change
- * Identifies three "driving force" goals
- * Specifies success measures (outcomes) for each "driving force" goal
- * Describes quarterly activities that will operationalize the goals
- * Identifies lead staff to drive the activity
- * Reports progress of activities
- * Identifies and measures outputs of activities

Organization: The Baby Fold Year One: FY17 CEO Signature:

Driving Force Goal #2	Success Measure(s)		Quarterly Activities	Owner	Progress	Leading Indicators/ deliverables
Address child and family trauma through the full organization adoption and integration of trauma-informed work that ensure that we do not retraumatize or exacerbate the symptoms of trauma	A comprehensive TRANSIT (trauma /attachment /neuro- science informed training) program is developed Outcomes Year 1: 100% of staff gain knowledge in beginning level TRANSIT principles Reduce the degree of compassion fatigue/secondary trauma for direct service staff based on pre/post measure	Q1	Complete the literature review of evidence based/informed programs and trainings Budget and hire a Training Coordinator Develop the "Training coordination and research team" that includes a training point person from each department	Kathleen	Specify: Not a priority /no progress A little progress this quarter Some progress this quarter A lot of progress	Training Coordinator is hired Training Coordination and Research team is established
		Q2	Develop a trauma-informed agency assessment tool the measures degree of knowledge and incorporation of trauma- informed principles into service delivery and agency culture.	Keith		Assessment tool completed
		Q3	Complete analysis and discussion of results/next steps. Conduct focus groups to determine individual program needs for TRANSIT training and compassion fatigue and secondary trauma Analyze and review focus group results Develop the beginning level TRANSIT training that will be used in NEO. Train the agency on the beginning level TRANSIT and incorporate into New Employee Orientation	Keith		Baseline measure of TRANSIT knowledge for all staff Number of focus groups/number of participants Focus group results Training Curriculum is developed # staff trained/training sessions held # NEO sessions/participants

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Developing the Transformation Blueprint – Driving Force Goals

- * Identification of Driving Force goals
 - * Reviewed 10 statements of what future success looks like
 - * Leadership prioritized three statements
 - * Alignment with current strategic plan
 - * Input from agency-wide cross-departmental teams
 - * Included key leaders, all supervisors, and direct service staff representatives

Driving Force Goals

- * Adopt an organizational identity that understands that to best provide for the permanency and well-being of children and youth, we need to work equally as hard to strengthen families and communities.
- * Address child and family trauma through the full organization adoption and integration of trauma-informed work that ensure that we do not re-traumatize or exacerbate the symptoms of trauma.
- * Foster adaptive leadership that sets a clear vision that inspires and encourages our workforce and maintains high integrity. The adaptive leader ensures the creation of strategies systems, and methods for performance excellence while encouraging others to embrace possibilities and break through barriers to deliver creative solutions.

Key questions to refining a Transformational Blueprint

- * What do we provide today that we may not in the future? How will that impact us?
- * What do we not provide today that we must in the future? Why?
- * How will our business model need to change to get the results that we want?
- * How will our behavior change in providing services?
- * What internal policies, practices and procedures need to shift to get the results that we want?
- * How will we ensure that we are continuing to evolve and transform our organization in the future?

Develop Annual Success Measures

Driving force goal: Address child and family trauma through the full organization adoption and integration of trauma informed work that ensures we do not re-traumatize or exacerbate the symptoms of trauma.

- * FY17
 - * 100% of staff gain knowledge in beginning level TRANSIT principles
 - * Reduce the degree of compassion fatigue/ secondary trauma for direct service staff

Developing the Transformation Blueprint – Quarterly Activities

- * Quarterly activities should move you in a step by step method towards your defined success measure
- * Provides a system & process for setting priorities and ensuring that everyone is working toward common goals
- * Provides strategic performance feedback to decision making
- * Enables the plan to evolve and grow as requirements and other circumstances change

Developing the Transformation Blueprint – Quarterly Activities

- * Identification of Quarterly Activities
 - * Mid-level managers identified as project leads
 - * Leadership Team member as project coach
 - * Teams formed from staff at all levels
 - * Brainstormed activities leading to change desired

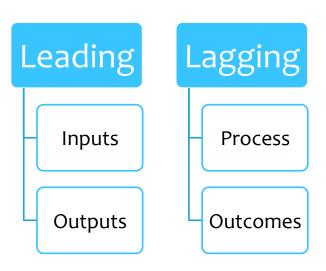
Pacing and Spacing

- * Pacing: how fast we move through the change activities
- * Spacing: breaking change into manageable steps
- * Mistakes in pacing and spacing can cause initiatives to lose momentum
- * Quarterly activities are designed to help us manage pacing and spacing.
- * If the pacing is too quick we can slow it down. If the spacing isn't working right we can retool our design
- * Plan can be changed and adjusted

Developing the Transformation Blueprint – Measuring Results

* Indicator: provides *specific* information on the **state** or **condition** of how well we are doing in moving towards our success measure

Drive
Performance
Signals a future
activity



Results
Oriented
Follows an
activity

Leading and Lagging Indicators

- * Lagging indicators without Leading indicators tell you nothing about how the outcomes will be achieved
- * No early warning of being on track to achieve strategic goals
- * Leading indicators without Lagging indicators may enable you to focus on short-term performance, but you will not be able to confirm that broader agency outcomes have been achieved
- * Leading indicators should enable you to take pre-emptive actions to improve your chances of achieving strategic goals
- * Leading indicators often captured at individual process level
- * Lagging indicators are often the result of changes in several leading indicators

Leading Indicators: The "What"

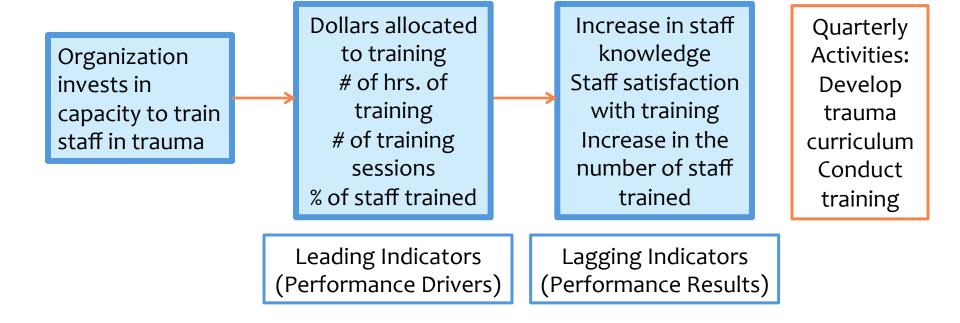
- * Inputs: Measures resources, both human and financial devoted to a particular intervention, activity or strategy
 - * e.g. number hours spent in training, amount of training dollars
- * Outputs: Measures quantity of goods or services produced & efficiency of production or services
 - * e.g. number of staff trained

Lagging Indicators: the "How"

- * Process: measures ways in which activities or program services are provided
 - * e.g. participation in training measured by attendance
- * Outcomes: Measures broader results achieved through what got done; changes in behaviors, experiences and attitudes
 - * e.g. increase in staff knowledge

Building a Strategic Dashboard

* Driving force goal: Address child and family trauma through the full organization adoption of integration of trauma informed work that ensure we do not re-traumatize or exacerbate the symptoms of trauma.



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Organization invests in capacity to train staff in trauma

Dollars allocated
to training
of hrs. of
training
of training
sessions

of staff trained

Increase in staff knowledge Staff satisfaction with training Increase in the number of staff trained Youth will receive a higher quality of trauma informed services

and restraints
Average LOS
Degree of
engagement in
services

of seclusions

Reduction in seclusions and restraints
Shorter length of stay
Client satisfaction

Clients experience greater safety, permanency and well-being

of less restrictive placements/
permanency

enrolled in school

outcomes

Improved functioning Maintain permanency

Success Measure

Leading Indicators

Lagging Indicators

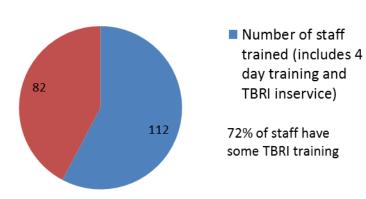
Project Dashboard

Goal #2: Address child and family trauma through the full organization adoption and integration of trauma-informed work that ensures that we do not re-traumatize or exacerbate the symptos of trauma.

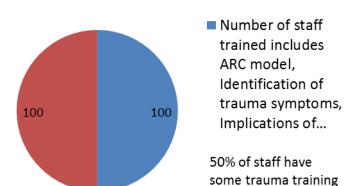
			Status	
FY17	Activity	Leading Indicator/Deliverable	Indicator	Comment
	Complete the literature review of evidence			This will be ongoing in the
Q1	based/informed programs and trainings.			Research team.
	Budget and hire a Training Coordinator to lead project			
Q1	and lead Training Coordination and Research team.	Training Coordinator is hired		Keith was hired.
	Develop the Training Coordination and Research team		_	A team charter has been
	that includes a training point person from each			completed and the team
Q1	department.	Training Coordination and Research team is established.		has met 2X this quarter.
	Develop a trauma-informed agency assessment tool the			
	measures degree of knowledge and incorporation of			
	trauma-informed principles into service delivery and			
Q2	agency culture.	Assessment is completed		
	Disseminate the trauma-informed agency assessment			
Q3	tool.			
		Measure of degree of trauma-informed practices across		
Q3	Complete analysis and discussion of results/next steps.	agency and baseline measure of staff knowledge		
	Training coordinator conducts focus groups as follow up			
Q3	to assessment to drill down into specifics by program.	Number of focus groups/number of participants		
	Review results of focus groups and incorporate			
Q3	information into future activities.	Analysis of focus group results		
	Develop beginning level TRANSIT training curriculum.			
Q3	(New Employee Orientation)	Training curriculum completed.		
		Number of staff trained/number of training sessions		
Q3	Train all agency staff on the beginning level of TRANSIT.	held.		
	Incorporate beginning level of TRANSIT into New			
Q3	Employee Orientation.	# of NEO sessions with TRANSIT training.		
	Develop training on compassion fatigue and secondary			
Q3	trauma.	Training curriculum completed.		
	Determine measure to assess compassion			
Q3	fatigue/secondary trauma in direst service staff.	Measure is identified		

Project Dashboard

Employees with TBRI Training

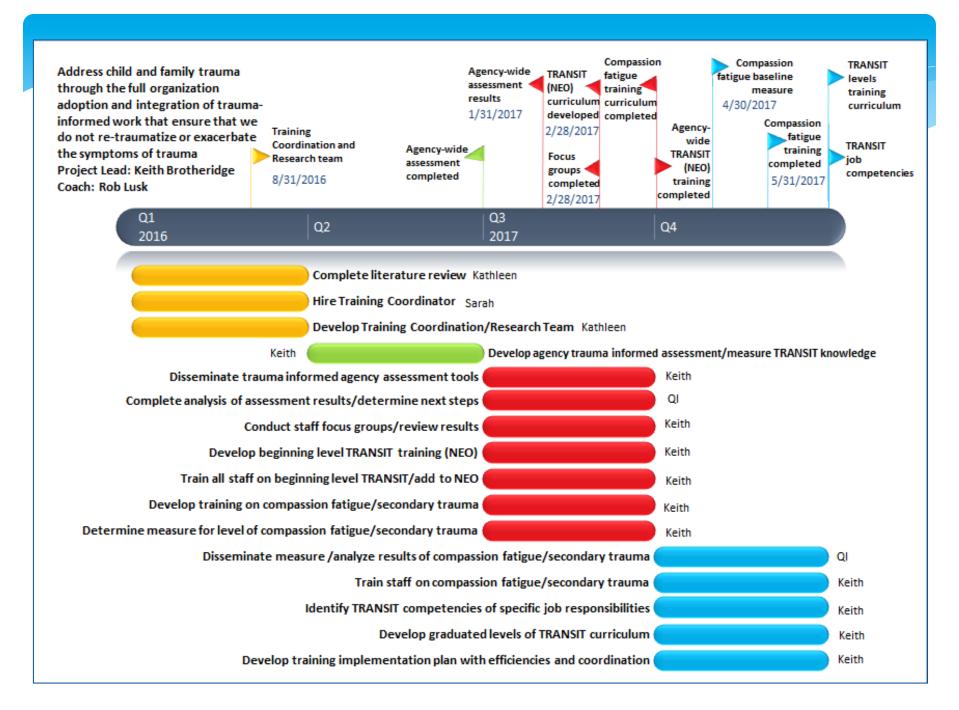


Employees with trauma training



Strategic Dashboard

Strategic Dashboard									
FY17									
Leading Indicators	Target	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	YTD Progress			
1. % of staff trained in									
TRANSIT	100%								
2. % of direct service staff									
trained in compassion fatigue	100%								
	10%								
3. # of seclusion/restraints	reduction								
Lagging Indicators	Target	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	YTD Progress			
1. Staff knowledge (increase									
in score)	95%								
2. Compassion fatigue									
(decrease in score)	90%								
	Mean								
3. Youth satisfaction rating	rating 4.0								



Questions

Group Exercise – Option 1

* Driving Force Goal: Adopt an organizational identity that understands that to best provide for the permanency and well-being of children and youth, we need to work equally as hard to strengthen families and communities.

Group Exercise – Option 2

* Driving Force Goal: Foster adaptive leadership that sets a clear vision that inspires and encourages our workforce and maintains high integrity. The adaptive leader ensures the creation of strategies, systems, and methods for performance excellence while encouraging others to embrace possibilities and break through barriers to deliver creative solutions.

Group Exercise Instructions

- * Determine an overall success measure/outcome
- * Determine at least three activities that will lead towards success
- * Determine what leading indicators (inputs or outputs) will be used for the activities
- * Determine what lagging indicators will be used for the success measure/outcome
- * What is one indicator you would put on a dashboard?