

*Join Family Treatment Court!  
Be Seen. Be Heard. Be Valued.*



King County

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## King County's Family Treatment Court Program



Information to help families  
currently involved in the Child  
Dependency System

## Key Points

- Participation in the Family Treatment Court (FTC) is completely voluntary.
- In FTC, parents will be required to go to treatment and attend court regularly.
- At court, they will be encouraged to keep making positive progress and receive immediate feedback on their case.
- Many services are available and include substance use treatment, counseling, parenting classes and support, housing resources, child-care assistance, and Wraparound coordination.
- Each parent will receive a team of people who will monitor his/her case and work together to support his/her recovery.
- The FTC team includes: the parent's attorney, Assistant Attorney General (AAG), DCYF social worker, a treatment advocate, peer mentor, CASA and/or child's attorney, and the judge.

“ If it weren't for Family Treatment Court, I would have never gotten my kids back.” -FTC Graduate

“Family Treatment Court saved my life.” - FTC Graduate



Artwork: "Moving Forward" by Alano Edzerza

“The best thing about Family Treatment Court is that we've been able to give more families the tools they need to turn their lives around. There is nothing more heartening than seeing a family become healthy and stay together.”

- Family Treatment Court Judge

If you are a parent involved in the dependency system due to drugs or alcohol, Family Treatment Court may be an option for you.

Please contact the Intake Coordinator or Family Treatment Court office for more information.

## Contact Information

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**<https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/superior-court/dependency/family-treatment-court.aspx>**