



IRIS

Growing a Connected Network Around Families

Tazewell-Peoria-Woodford (TPW)



As of December 31, 2023



3,205
FAMILIES

Individuals who were the subject of at least one referral in IRIS.



8,905
REFERRALS

Many families were involved in multiple referrals



86%
CLOSED

The referral communication loop was fully closed

OUR STORY

The Tazewell County Health Department All Our Kids: Early Childhood Network launched the Tazewell-Peoria-Woodford IRIS Community in January 2020, just two months before COVID-19 impacted our area. Despite the pandemic, TPW IRIS has connected families to services they need, increased and streamlined communication among providers and strengthened collaboration. Since the launch, TPW has grown from 14 partners to nearly 80 and continues to grow. Our IRIS community represent multiple sectors, including behavioral health, health care, parenting resources, substance use supports, perinatal supports, law enforcement, mental health, & resources, basic needs (e.g., food, clothing, and emergency housing/shelter), early childhood, home visiting, early intervention, COVID-19 resources, and more.

OUR VISION

Tazewell-Peoria-Woodford IRIS Community partners will collaborate through effective referrals and timely follow-up resulting in greater awareness and full utilization of community resources in order to support family growth and well-being.

BRIGHT SPOTS

- ❖ TPW IRIS connects services across sectors to streamline referral process, foster easier access to vital services and provide confirmation when services are completed.
- ❖ Increased referral enrollment rate from 21% (2020) to 41% (2023).
- ❖ IRIS plays an important role to identify barriers that people are facing and ability to develop solutions to address them.
- ❖ Improved coordination to ensure families are receiving needed and wanted referrals in a timely manner. Referral response time is less than 3 days.

FUTURE GOALS

TPW IRIS will continue to expand IRIS engaging resources across community sectors to support families in our Tazewell, Peoria, and Woodford communities.

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Network Partners

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- Boys & Girls Club of Greater Peoria
 - Brightpoint
 - Center for Prevention of Abuse
 - Central Illinois Friends
 - Child & Family Connections # 14
 - Children's Home Association of IL Family Connects
 - Children's Home Association of IL
 - City of Peoria Fire Department
 - City of Peoria Police Department
 - Coordinated Intake - CHAIL
 - Crittenton Centers Anger Management
 - Crittenton Centers - Crisis Nursery
 - Crittenton Centers – Milestones (Prevention Initiative)
 - Crittenton Centers Parent Education Classes
 - Crittenton Centers Preschool for All
 - DCFS Erikson Institute Early Childhood Project
 - Delavan Preschool for All
 - Dream Center Peoria
 - Early Childhood Forum of Central Illinois
 - East Bluff Community Center
 - Food Pantry Network HOI
 - ELITE Community Outreach & Gamechanger Re-Entry Program
 - FamilyCore
 - Heartland Health Services
 - Illinois Central College
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 - IL Pregnant/Parenting Youth in Care
 - Living Alternatives Pregnancy Resource Center (Pekin & Peoria)
 - Marquette Elementary School - Preschool for All
 - PCCEO Head Start
 - Pekin Preschool Family Education Center Prevention Initiative & Preschool for All
 - Peoria City County Health Department - WIC
 - Peoria County Bright Futures – Preschool for All & Prevention Initiative
 - Peoria Grown
 - Peoria Public Schools – Wraparound Center
 - Peoria ROE 48 Early Learning for All
 - Peoria Township Relief
 - Pregnant & Postpartum Women's Program – UnityPoint Health Unity Place
 - Project Stay-In OOE #26
 - Safe Families for Children
 - SAL Child Care Connections
 - SEAPCO
 - TASC, Inc.
 - Tazewell County Health Department
 - Tazewell Woodford Head Start
 - Tazwood Community Services
 - The HOPE Chest
 - Tri-County Urban League
 - YWCA of Pekin