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City of Little Rock Prevention, Intervention & Treatment Funding Performance Guidelines

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Prevention, Intervention and Treatment (PIT) programs ensure that children, youth, and families have access to critical services and opportunities needed to achieve a sustainable and meaningful quality of life.

Based on the City of Little Rock's Master Plan for Children, Youth & Families, also called the "Youth Master Plan (YMP)", it is recommended that every program that receives PIT funding meet the following Performance Guidelines:

1. Serve high need or underserved neighborhoods as determined by the City of Little Rock community assessment.
2. Produce one or more outcome in each of the four YMP Common Outcomes Areas.
3. Identify and track at least one indicator for each outcome area.
4. Identify and document partnerships with other community organizations and participants' families.
5. Identify and secure funding from additional sources to support programming.
6. Solicit input and feedback from children, youth, and family participants on a regular basis to inform program design and implementation.
7. Use innovative program designs that integrate promising practices and research.
8. Design a budget clearly connected to programmatic goals and prioritizing resources to front-line staff who work directly with children, youth, and families.
9. Ensure that key staff members engage in professional development training and continuous education.
10. Implement programming in safe, developmentally appropriate space.
11. Complete ongoing assessment of organizational and program quality standards.
12. Require that key staff attend pre-application training to understand outcome areas and evaluation.