

PROJECT NAME: Jackson County Safe Family Coalition
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TIMELINE: 2008 2011

CONTENT AREA: Family Violence
Child Welfare
Domestic Violence
System Reform
Prevention
Coordination

FUNDER: Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City
CLIENT: Jackson County Safe Family Coalition

AUDIENCE:

**RESEARCH
METHODOLOGY:** Coordination
Facilitation
Training and Technical Assistance

OVERVIEW: The mission of the Jackson County Safe Family Coalition (SFC) is to reduce the co-occurrence of child abuse and domestic violence by changing policy and practice through a coordinated and integrated community response that will provide safety, enhance well-being, and provide stability for children and families. Since 2001, the SFC has been a successful collaborative initiative between child protection, adult and family courts, county and city prosecutors, judges, domestic violence shelters, law enforcement, probation and parole, social workers, and mental health service providers to collectively provided direction and expertise to improving the response to child abuse and domestic violence.

LINKS: