

# Decision Point: Screening As a Foundation for Differential Response

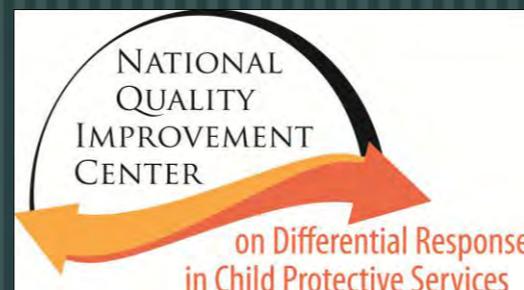
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# Why Screening?

— [ Identified as area of need for state

— [ Improvements could begin in pre-implementation stage

— [ Integrated practice change in fundamental agency function

— [ Created a foundation for pathway assignment.

Referral Guide

Hotline worker takes information from reporting party.

Agency Response Guide

RED Team decides whether or not agency should respond.

Agency Response Guide

RED Team decides whether or not the referral is eligible for FAR.

# What changed?

# Quality Improvement

— [ Development and training

— [ Six months of practice

— [ Random sample

— [ Systematic peer review

— [ Immediate guided discussion with practitioners

— [ Quantitative evaluation of results

— [ Project improvement based on data.

# Implications for Colorado

— [ Site improvements

— [ Training adjustments

— [ Statewide technical assistance.



# Discussion

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