

# **COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE: SHARING CASES AND GOING OUT ON HOME VISITS**

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## ❖ Supportive Consultant

- > Family Point of View
- > Focus
- > Family Point of View Prepare
- > Family Point of View During
- > Family Point of View After

**“TEAMING”** and **“PARTNERSHIP”** between workers and supervisors provides an opportunity to provide **“ON SITE”** feedback and direction for improvement.

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# **BEFORE THE VISIT, THE SUPERVISOR MIGHT ASK:**

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- ✓ “What do you hope to accomplish in partnership with the family?”
  - ✓ “What are the risks and safety issues the family needs to address?”
  - ✓ How can I be useful to you on this visit?”
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# **AFTER THE VISIT, THE SUPERVISOR MIGHT ASK:**

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- ✓ “Which parts of the visit would the family say were most helpful and made a difference?”
  - ✓ “What progress has the family made since your last visit?”
  - ✓ “What are the next steps for you and for the family?”
  - ✓ “In what ways can I be helpful to you with this family?”
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# **SUPERVISORS CAN HELP WORKERS KEEP THE FAMILY AND THE CHILD'S SAFETY CLEARLY IN FOCUS AS THEY:**

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- ✓ **Evaluate** for strengths and possible solutions from the family's perspective;
  - ✓ **Elicit** well-constructed goals from the family's frame of reference;
  - ✓ **Listen** to the family to find hidden resources and capitalize on them;
  - ✓ **Encourage** workers to always work toward family-driven solutions that are created in collaboration with the worker; and
  - ✓ **Emphasize** what will work, tailoring interventions for each family, with the family fully included in and leading the effort to make lasting change.
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# COACHING

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- ✓ Family Point of View
  - ✓ One on One
  - ✓ Peer Support “Coaching Buddy”
  - ✓ Leadership: Communicating Vision
  - ✓ Family Team Meetings: Modeling
  - ✓ Outcomes
    - > What are the family’s goal?
    - > How will they...we know?
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# CASE CONSULTATION

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- ✓ Collaborative View of:
    - > Family Cases
    - > Family Point of View
  
  - ✓ Peer Wisdom Expertise
  
  - ✓ Building a Skill Set to Be:
    - > Family Centered
    - > Strength Based
    - > Focused
    - > Inclusive
    - > Outcomes Oriented
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