# 2022-2027 CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

## Why we do what we do...

We work alongside families and communities to help children and youth be safer and live their lives well.

**Families** 

What is important to us...

Belonging

Being Safe & Well

Listening, Learning & Working Together People Knowing What We Do & Why Standing Up For What is Right

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We will work together so that children and young people grow up safer, healthier, and happier with their families

#### How will we know it got better?

and in their communities.

Every child and young person can say or show that they have at least one important adult who helps them feel safer, loves them, believes in them and celebrates all of who they are.

What are we doing?

# **ALL AT THE TABLE**

We will work together and support Indigenous led changes. We will continue to learn from our mistakes and not repeat them. We know our work must be different with Indigenous peoples and be part of healing.

**JOURNEY BESIDE** 

#### How will we know it got better?

Families will be served in a wholistic way. We make decisions together with families and communities.

What are we doing?

We have a table where everyone belongs and will be heard, seen, understood, and valued. We make plans and decisions together.

#### How will we know it got better?

Children and young people are involved in every step of planning and decision making.

People in all parts of our agency will have the same or similar identities as the people we serve.

What are we doing?

### **OUR STORIES**

We will share stories, information, and the changes we are making in a way that is easier for children and young people to understand.

#### How will we know it got better?

Children and young people know why the Children's Aid Society is involved.

What are we doing? FUTURI

## FREE TO BE FULLY ME

We care about people and their ability to be their true and whole selves. That means we will:

- Stand up for people's rights.
- Celebrate all the different Take care of ourselves parts that make someone who they are.
- · Be anti-racist
- Be anti-transphobic
  - and each other.

How will we know it got better? We will share a report every year on what we have done for each of these things.

What are we doing?