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- Any family can call for assistance
- Determine what can be done to help when family is in crisis mode, then help with developing a realistic plan to get the right services in place
- Able to provide direct referrals to many different providers
- Provide follow-ups with the families as necessary and requested
- Contact can be initiated a couple of different ways, by calling the Helpline # 1-888-866-8660 or through their website
- If anyone has further questions Kyle’s email is kyle.kinney@boystown.org

- Families WG Work Plan Review and Input
  - Take the two handouts with you and review them before the October meeting and be prepared to use these to come up with ideas for the work plan

- Public Comment
  - Ginsburg’s “Reaching Teens” training was recommended

- Next Meeting October 17, 9:00-11:00