

Family-centered practices are more than being kind and respectful to families. Family-centeredness involves developing strong help-giving relationships and engaging families in the help-giving process.

- The practitioner asks the family about their priorities for themselves and their child.
- The practitioner respects the family's values and traditions and adapts the intervention to suit the family.
- The practitioner matches the family's pace and vocabulary.
- The practitioner helps the family identify and use their strengths to achieve outcomes.
- The practitioner helps the family identify and continue to use the actions they took to achieve success.