

Show-Me-Solutions:
Thinking Outside the
Box during the
Capacity Crisis

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Residential Treatment as a safety net

Long wait times

False Hope that something will open up

Beds but no staff

More and more out of state options

## Missouri's Story

- State led child welfare
- 114 Counties
- 46 Judicial Circuits
- o 6 regions
- o FY22 20, 279 Kids in Care
- FY22 1, 553 Kids in Residential Care







## We needed a new plan

- Open to new ideas
- Looking for new perspectives
- Charter and assess with your experts
- Deconstruct/Reconstruct
- Set a Clear Scope





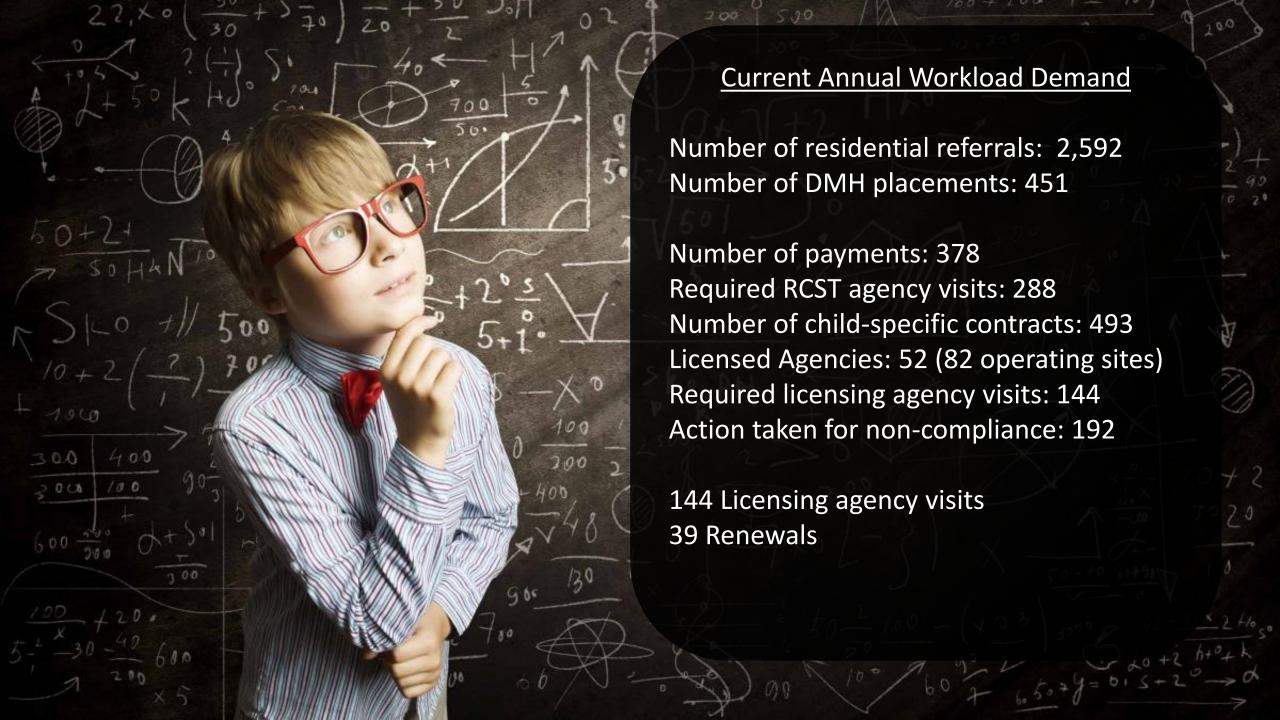
Found a partner who knows about the pressures we are under

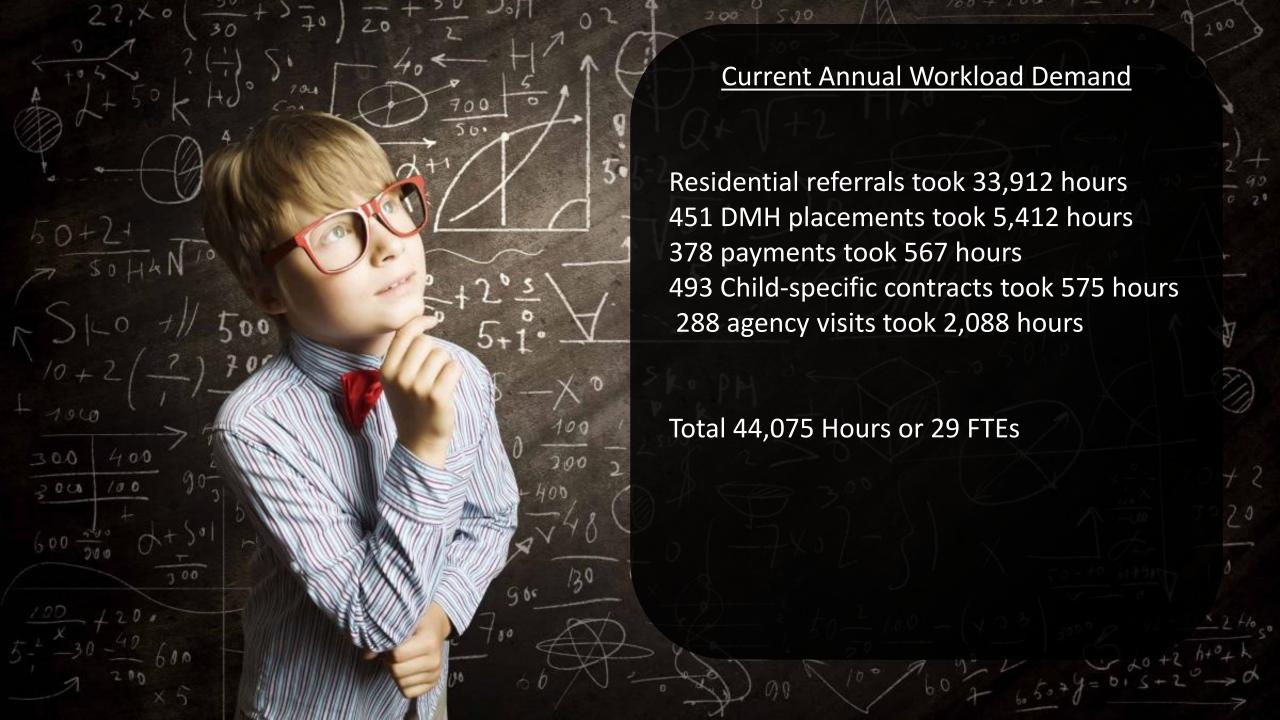
The crisis its real

The hope lies in our systems

The problem is not with our people....
It's with our pipes



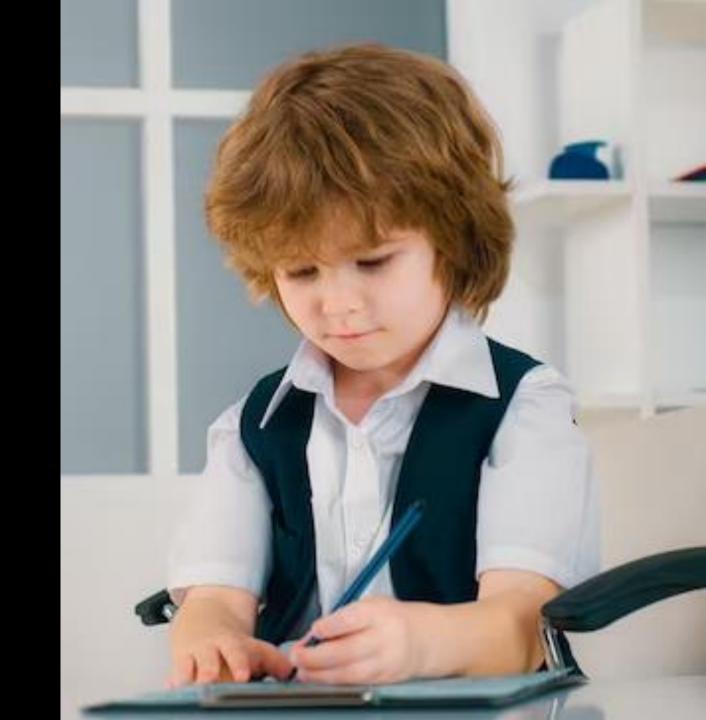






How we changed our processes

Dedicated Setup Team



Program Integrity





## MDT



What it looks like today and where we are going



Innovation takes imagination and courage

