Intensive In-Home Services

Serving children and families in Arkansas, Intensive In-Home Services builds on the strengths and capabilities of families to resolve current issues and future challenges that place children at risk for out of home placement. Using the nationally recognized, evidence-based model, Family Centered Treatment®, we support families as they learn and further develop the skills they need to keep their family unit together, navigate systems and manage future challenges.



About Saint Francis Ministries

A voice for the vulnerable since 1945, the mission of Saint Francis Ministries is to provide healing and hope to children and families. We honor human dignity and potential through our programs and services to thousands of youth and families in Arkansas, Kansas, Mississippi, Nebraska, Oklahoma, and Texas.

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Do you have a client safety concern?

Please contact Saint Francis first, but you may also contact the Joint Commission:

630-792-5800

patientsafetyreport@jointcommission.org

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What is Intensive In-Home Services?

Saint Francis' Intensive In-Home Services utilizes Family Centered Treatment® and focuses on keeping families together.

We provide in-home services that help families develop the solutions and skills they need to reduce risks in everyday situations.

We partner with families to identify and build upon their existing strengths so they can better provide for the health and security of their children.

We offer hope to families in crisis so they can create opportunities for positive change.

How We Begin

Every referral* begins with an assessment that:

- Identifies priorities, concerns, and characteristics unique to the family;
- Helps Saint Francis identify supports that can keep children in the home.

Upon referral, each family is assigned a family intervention specialist (FIS).

In addition, families are provided:

- Contact information and a phone number where they can reach their specialist 24 hours a day
- 15-minute response times from Saint Francis
- Highly-trained staff and an evidence-based program





Services Delivered to Your Door

Our Intensive In-Home Services enable specialists to directly observe families where family members are most comfortable – at home, in a familiar environment. Interacting with family members within their "natural" setting makes it possible to directly intervene in unhealthy behaviors and to immediately reinforce positive, healthy life choices.

We also partner with community organizations to connect families with the resources they need to complete their case plan. Those resources may include help with:

- Parenting skills
- Health and nutrition
- Budgeting
- Education
- Child development
- Managing emotions
- Advocacy
- Substance abuse
- Support groups