

FROM THE DIRECTOR...

As the county works to overcome the economic challenges and other community issues we face, Pickaway County Job and Family Services can be counted on to help. Through the efforts of all parts of the department, numerous people and lives were touched by our services in 2005 including adults of all ages and children.



With a goal of safety and stability for children, Children Services worked with children, families, adoptive and foster parents, the courts, and law enforcement to battle child abuse and neglect. Similarly, reports of elder abuse and neglect were investigated by our Adult Protective Services unit. Efforts of our Child Support division resulted in increased child support collections, paternity establishment, and increased financial stability for families. Thousands of children and adults were helped by the Family and Adult Support division with child care, financial assistance, food, medical insurance, and emergency needs. Employers have been able to rely on our JOBS One-Stop to find qualified people to fill jobs, just as job seekers were able to seek out employment and training opportunities.

Pickaway County Job and Family Services has not acted in isolation to help the people of Pickaway County. We have formed and maintained strong and cooperative working relationships with other agencies and organizations in the community, to help the people that come through our doors. We will continue to help all that come to us and to partner with our community to meet the challenges faced by Pickaway County.

Rojanne Woodward
Director

Pickaway County Commissioners

Ula Jean Metzler
Glenn Reeser
Jay Wippel

PCJFS Leadership Team

Rojanne Woodward, Director
Patricia J. Fouch, Assistant Director
Debbie Hoffhines, Interim Administrator Child Support
JoEllen Deal, Administrator Children Services
Jan Shannon, Administrator JOBS One-Stop
Rojanne Woodward, Interim Administrator Family Support

Family Services Planning Committee

Don Bachman, Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church
Linda Cook, Southeastern Ohio Legal Services
Dave Hannahs, Executive Director, Pickaway County Community Action
Connie Knapp, Caseworker, Pickaway County Job & Family Services
Geraldyn Martin, Citizen's Bank

JOBS One-Stop Policy Board

John Allen, United Steel Workers
Asa Bradbury, Logan Elm Local Schools
Don Bradley, Constance Care Home Healthcare
Janet Cooper, Fairfield Medical Center
Doug Corcoran, Ross County Commissioner
Sandy Frazier, Scioto Paint Valley Mental Health
Nate Green, Pickaway Economic Director
Jane Hines, Eastland-Fairfield Career Technology
Brian Householder, Westerman Companies
Marvin Jones, Chillicothe Ross Chamber of Commerce
Ronnie Leasure, USWA Local 7993
Ula Jean Metzler, Pickaway County Commissioner
William Miller
Kristie Miner, National City Bank
Linda Shimp, YSK Corporation
Judith Shupe, Fairfield County Commissioners
Diana Spurgus, Business Systems Solutions, Inc.
Suzanne Welker, Berger Health System

JOBS One-Stop Partners

Chillicothe - Ross Chamber of Commerce
Chillicothe Metropolitan Housing
Circleville Pickaway Chamber of Commerce
Eastland-Fairfield Career & Technical Schools
Fairfield County Job & Family Services
Fairfield County Adult Basic Literacy
Goodwill Industries of South Central Ohio
Mature Services
Ohio Department of Jobs & Family Services
Ohio Rehabilitation Services Commission
Ohio University Chillicothe and Lancaster
Pickaway County Adult Basic Literacy Education (ABLE)
Pickaway County Community Action
Pickaway County Job & Family Services
Pickaway County Literacy Council
Pickaway-Ross Career and Technology Center
Ross County Adult Basic Literacy Education (ABLE)
Ross County Community Action
Ross County Job & Family Services
Veterans Administration Vocational Rehabilitation

Count on Us
to Help



Pickaway County
Job & Family Services
2005 Annual Report