



## The Connector

**Purpose:** This is a program to assist families connect with Providers for services. The process is as follows:

- 1. Individual, family member or guardian completes a profile of the person needing services; and submits to: Joni Sparks at [joni.sparks@fcbdd.org](mailto:joni.sparks@fcbdd.org) or by mail to 2879 Johnstown Road, Columbus, Ohio 43219.**
- 2. Certified Providers interested in participating in 'The Connector' complete a profile of their services and submit to: Joni Sparks at [joni.sparks@fcbdd.org](mailto:joni.sparks@fcbdd.org).**
- 3. Joni Sparks emails the profile of person needing services to Providers participating in 'The Connector'.**
- 4. Providers express interest in 7 days to Joni Sparks at [joni.sparks@fcbdd.org](mailto:joni.sparks@fcbdd.org).**
- 5. List of Providers expressing interest and Provider Profiles are sent to Individual, Family Member or Guardian.**
- 6. Individual, Family Member or Guardian reviews Provider Profiles and contacts Providers of choice to interview.**
- 7. Once Individual, Family Member or Guardian decides on Provider, he/she works with Service Coordinator to update Individual Service Plan and PAWS.**