

Florida Permanency Roundtables (PRTs)



What is a Permanency Roundtable?

A professional case consultation that is:

- structured
- in-depth
- non-blaming AND
- relentless



Permanency Roundtable Goals

Expedite **legal permanency** for a child

Stimulate thinking and **learning** about ways to accelerate permanency

Identify and address **systemic barriers** to expedited permanency



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A Multi-Level Strategy



Micro Level	PROFESSIONAL CASE CONSULTATION
“Real-Time” Learning Lab	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
Macro Level	SYSTEMS IMPROVEMENT

Permanency Roundtable Values

URGENCY

- relentless insistence on permanency

TEAMING

- solution-focused and NON-BLAMING
- team members provide concrete assistance to implement action plan tasks



OUTCOMES

- learning and accountability leads to positive outcomes

OPTIMISM

- developing creative strategies in a demanding, yet supportive environment leads to increased hope and energy

Permanency Roundtable Team Members

- Facilitator
- Permanency Consultants
- Scribe
- Case Managers
- Supervisors
- In some sites
 - CLS Attorneys
 - GALs



Permanency Roundtable Phases

- I. Welcome and overview
- II. Present the case**
- III. Clarify and explore
- IV. Brainstorm**
- V. Create permanency action plan
- VI. Debrief roundtable**



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