



Ritz Case

Citizen Review Board  
Volunteer Board Member Orientation Training

**Case Materials Exercise – Ritz Case Case**

When reading the case plan and case materials, begin your analysis of the information provided by considering the three basic issues identified below.

**1. Who is involved in the case?**

Think about...

- The child
- Parents
- Attorneys for parents and children
- DHS
- Foster Parents
- Involved relatives
- CASA, Tribe, Others

**2. Where is the case headed?**

Think about...

- The goals in the case
- The plan for the child
- The achievement dates for the plan
- How long the child has been in foster care
- Whether the plans are appropriate
- Whether the achievement dates are realistic

**3. What is being done in the case?**

Think about...

- What is being done by DHS
- What is being done by the parents
- What is being done for the child
- The relationship between the services provided and the reasons the child came into foster care
- Whether the child's needs are being met
- What progress has been made in the case

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON  
FOR THE COUNTY OF MANHATTAN

In the Matter of	)	Court Number: J12-0099
RITZ, Crystal	)	CITIZEN REVIEW BOARD (CRB)
	)	FINDINGS & RECOMMENDATIONS
a child	)	
Board Number: 6		Date entered care: 7/18/12
Date of Review: 1/11/13		Date of Jurisdiction: 9/14/12
Permanency Plan: Reunification		DHS Case Name: RITZ, Joyce
Concurrent Plan: Guardianship		DHS Number: 741776
		Date of Birth: 2/29/96

Board Members Present: Tessa Turner, Olivia Doyle, Will Marshall, Alice Dupre.

Others Present: Crystal Ritz, child; Maya Ziegler, child's attorney; Dan Gomez, mother's attorney; Anita Ritz, paternal aunt/relative foster parent; Luna Monroe, DHS; Clayton Kubota, CRB Field Manager.

Information Considered by the Board: Petition, 7/19/12; Judgment of Jurisdiction and Disposition, 9/14/12; Admissions, 9/14/12; DHS CF6723 Child Specific Case Plan, 12/14/12; DHS CF6788 Child Welfare Case Plan, 12/14/12; DHS 464 Protective Custody Report, 7/19/12; DHS 1270 Verification of ICWA Eligibility signed by Joyce Ritz, 7/31/12; DHS 1149 Ongoing Safety Plan, 8/31/12; Mental Health Assessment of Crystal Ritz, 8/15/12; DHS Placement History.

Basis for Jurisdiction: Crystal, age 16, was found to be within the jurisdiction of the Court for the following reasons:

Joyce Ritz's ("the mother") assaultive behaviors place said child at risk of harm in her care. Said child has been physically abused by the mother. The mother was arrested and charged with Criminal Mistreatment in the First Degree. Said child is the listed victim. Bruce Ritz ("the father") is the legal father of said child. He is listed as the father on said child's birth certificate. The father is deceased.

ICWA Status: The mother signed a Verification of ICWA Eligibility that indicated there was no American Indian or Alaskan Native ancestry. The father is deceased and there was no Verification of ICWA Eligibility signed by the father.

Summary of Situation: This is the first CRB review of this case.

The Board Made the Following Findings and Recommendations at the Review:

<b><u>FINDINGS:</u></b>		<b><u>Yes</u></b>	<b><u>No</u></b>
1.	<p><b>DHS made reasonable efforts to prevent or eliminate the need for removal of the child from the home.</b></p> <p>According to the Protective Custody Report, the mother was arrested and charged with Criminal Mistreatment in the First degree. The victim was Crystal. The mother was incarcerated and unavailable to parent Crystal. There was a no contact order between the mother and Crystal, and Crystal could not be returned to the mother.</p>	<u>X</u>	
2.	<p><b>DHS has made diligent efforts to place the child with a relative or a person who has a caregiver relationship.</b></p> <p>According to the case plan, a relative search was initiated but was not yet completed. There were several responses to DHS inquiry. Crystal's paternal uncle and aunt were certified as a placement for Crystal.</p> <p>The caseworker reports that the relative search has been completed. The paternal uncle and aunt were certified as a relative placement and Crystal was placed with them.</p>	<u>X</u>	

<b><u>FINDINGS:</u></b>	<b><u>Yes</u></b>	<b><u>No</u></b>
<p>3. <b>DHS has ensured that appropriate services are in place to safeguard the child's safety, health and well being.</b></p> <p>According to the DHS Service History, Crystal has had two placements. She was in a relative family foster home where she had been placed on 9/1/12.</p> <p>According to the Child Specific Case Plan, Crystal was placed with her paternal uncle and aunt. Her cousin also lived in the home. Crystal was able to return to the school she attended prior to being placed in foster care. She was a sophomore in high school and was working at grade level. Since being placed in the paternal uncle and aunt's home, Crystal has had a well-child exam and a dental appointment.</p> <p>Crystal had a mental health assessment and it was recommended that Crystal participate in individual counseling.</p> <p>The caseworker reports that Crystal has been in individual counseling. Crystal has expressed an interest in participating in grief counseling as she continues to have issues related to the loss of her father. The caseworker plans to refer Crystal to grief counseling at the Dougy Center. The caseworker also plans to refer Crystal to the Independent Living Program ("ILP").</p> <p>Crystal reports that she is doing well. She likes living with her uncle and aunt. It's also nice living with her cousin because it's like having a little sister. Crystal would like to participate in tennis in the spring; however, it may be difficult for her uncle and aunt to pay for it. Crystal has weekly visits with the mother, which is "okay."</p> <p>The paternal aunt reports that Crystal is doing well. She likes school and is active in school. Crystal was seen by the doctor and the dentist. She has an appointment for an eye exam. Crystal does have times when she is down, which may be related to the losses in her life.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

<b><u>FINDINGS:</u></b>		<b><u>Yes</u></b>	<b><u>No</u></b>
4.	<p><b>DHS made reasonable efforts to provide services to make it possible for the child to safely return home.</b></p> <p>According to the case plan, a Child Safety Meeting (“CSM”) was held on 8/31/12. The mother did not participate in the CSM as she was incarcerated. DHS developed an Action Agreement for the mother, which the mother was ordered to follow. The mother was referred to the Addiction Recovery Team (“ART”) for a drug and alcohol screening. It was determined that the mother was not in need of drug and alcohol treatment. The mother was referred for a psychological evaluation after she was released from jail. The psychological evaluation recommended that the mother participate in Dialectical Behavioral Therapy (“DBT”) and in anger management.</p> <p>The caseworker reports that, on 12/31/12, the mother pled guilty to Assault IV related to the physical abuse of Crystal. The mother is on formal probation for two years. The caseworker has been in contact with the mother’s probation officer to coordinate services for the mother. The mother received anger management classes through her probation. The caseworker has been exploring resources for DBT and hopes that probation may be able to provide funding for the DBT.</p> <p>The mother reports that DHS has not arranged family therapy for the mother and Crystal. The mother believes that family therapy is crucial for Crystal to return home.</p> <p>Crystal’s attorney reports that the mother’s probation may restrict the contact the mother has with Crystal. Crystal’s therapist may also have concerns about family therapy with the mother at this time.</p>	<u>X</u>	
5.	<p><b>DHS made reasonable efforts in accordance with the case plan to place the child in a timely manner, and complete the steps necessary to finalize the permanent placement, including an interstate placement if appropriate.</b></p> <p>The goal remains return to parent.</p>	<u>N/A</u>	
6.	<p><b>The parents have made sufficient progress to make it possible for the child to safely return home.</b></p> <p>According to the case plan, the mother completed her psychological evaluation. She has not started DBT as she does not have health insurance and is not able to pay for the DBT. The mother began anger management classes. The father is deceased.</p> <p>The mother reports that she began anger management classes in October. She is about halfway through the anger management classes. She is waiting for DHS to arrange the DBT. The mother visits Crystal weekly. She would like more visits with Crystal. The mother is also willing to participate in family therapy.</p> <p>The mother’s attorney reports that the mother has done all that she can at this point. The mother is dependent on DHS to arrange any other services for the mother.</p>	<u>X</u> <u>Mother</u>	<u>N/A</u> <u>Father</u>

<b><u>FINDINGS:</u></b>		<b><u>Yes</u></b>	<b><u>No</u></b>
7.	<p><b>DHS has made sufficient efforts in developing the concurrent permanency plan.</b></p> <p>The caseworker reports that she has discussed concurrent planning with the paternal uncle and aunt. The paternal uncle and aunt are willing to be a permanent resource for Crystal.</p> <p>The mother reports that, if Crystal is not returned to her, she would like her family to be considered as a permanent option for Crystal.</p> <p>See No. 2 above.</p>	<u>X</u>	
8.	<p><b>DHS is in compliance with the case plan and court orders.</b></p> <p>According to the Child Specific Case Plan, there was no documented face-to-face contact with Crystal for September and October 2012.</p> <p>The caseworker reports that she received the case around the end of October. She does not know why there were no face-to-face contacts in September and October.</p>		<u>X</u>
9.	<p><b>The permanency plan is the most appropriate plan for the child.</b></p> <p>See Nos. 3, 4, and 6 above.</p>	<u>X</u>	
10.	<p><b>There is a continuing need for placement.</b></p> <p>See Nos. 3, 4, and 6 above.</p>	<u>X</u>	

**Additional Finding(s):**

- a. The next review is due by 7/11/13.
- b. The first permanency hearing is due by 9/14/13.
- c. The first permanency hearing is set for 9/2/13 at 3:00 p.m.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. DHS continue the current plan.
2. DHS continue the current placement.
3. DHS continue the plan to refer Crystal to grief counseling within the next 30 days.
4. DHS refer Crystal to the Independent Living Program (“ILP”).
5. DHS explore funding for DBT and arrange DBT for the mother within the next 30 days.
6. DHS consult with Crystal’s therapist and with the mother’s probation officer, and arrange family therapy for Crystal and the mother when appropriate.
7. The mother follows through with all recommended services.

Tessa Turner	January 11, 2013	Clayton Kubota
Board Chair	Date	Field Manager

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Pursuant to state law, DHS must notify the Citizen Review Board within 17 days of receipt of this report when the division does not intend to implement the above recommendations. The division may notify the CRB by completion of the forms provided for that purpose. Mail the form to: Citizen Review Board, 410 NE 18<sup>th</sup> Ave, Portland, Oregon 97232.

**Parents may request the court to conduct a review hearing.**





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**CHILD SPECIFIC CASE PLAN**

<b>CASE NAME:</b> JOYCE RITZ	<b>PLAN DATE:</b> 06/14/2013
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<b>Child's Name:</b> RITZ, CRYSTAL	<b>Primary Language:</b> English
<b>DOB:</b> 02/29/1996 <b>Age:</b> 16	<b>Gender:</b> Female
<b>Child is considered a runaway:</b> No	<b>Date Child reported missing:</b>
<b>ICWA Status:</b> Not Eligible	<b>Name of Tribe:</b> No Tribe
<b>CASA:</b>	<b>Attorney:</b>

**PARENT/GUARDIAN(S)**

<b>Name:</b> RITZ, JOYCE	<b>Phone Number:</b> (503) 277-1658
<b>DOB:</b> 05/23/1968 <b>Age:</b> 45	<b>Relationship to Child:</b> Mother – Biological

<b>Name:</b> RITZ, BRUCE	<b>Phone Number:</b>
<b>DOB:</b> 1/5/1963 <b>Age:</b> DECEASED	<b>Relationship to Child:</b> Father - Legal

**Description of how Paternity Status has been determined (if applicable):**

Bruce Ritz was listed as the father on Crystal's birth certificate issued by the State of Oregon. He was married to Joyce Ritz at the time of Crystal's birth.

**RELATIVE SEARCH**

<b>Relationship:</b> Maternal Grandmother			
<b>Method of Contact</b>	<b>Date of Contact</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Desired Level of Participation</b>
Phone	07/18/2012	Response Received	Family Contact

<b>Relationship:</b> Maternal Aunt			
<b>Method of Contact</b>	<b>Date of Contact</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Desired Level of Participation</b>
Letter	08/13/2012	Response Received	Family Contact

<b>Relationship:</b> Maternal Uncle			
<b>Method of Contact</b>	<b>Date of Contact</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Desired Level of Participation</b>

Letter	08/13/2012	Response Received	Family Contact
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<b>Relationship:</b> Paternal Grandmother			
<b>Method of Contact</b>	<b>Date of Contact</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Desired Level of Participation</b>
Letter	08/13/2012	Response Received	Family Contact

<b>Relationship:</b> Paternal Uncle			
<b>Method of Contact</b>	<b>Date of Contact</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Desired Level of Participation</b>
Letter	08/13/2012	Response Received	Temporary and Permanent Placement

## PLACEMENT

### Child's Functioning and Needs:

Crystal is a typical teenage girl. She recently completed her sophomore year of high school. She did excellent in school and has a cumulative GPA of 3.8. Crystal was involved in many extracurricular activities. She is in the Honor Society. She also played on the tennis team. Crystal plans to attend a summer tennis camp.

Crystal continues in individual counseling, which she finds very helpful.

<b>Reason(s) for Initial Removal from Home (AFCARS):</b> Physical Abuse	
<b>The current placement is the most appropriate and least restrictive:</b> Yes	
<b>Placement Setting:</b> Relative Family Foster Care	<b>Begin Date:</b> 09/01/2012
<b>Provider ID:</b> 345678	<b>Are siblings all placed together:</b> N/A
<b>If No, describe why sibling are not placed together:</b>	

### Description of How the Current Placement is Safe and Appropriate:

The current placement is the most appropriate and least restrictive. Crystal is placed with her paternal uncle and aunt who have been certified as foster parents. She also has a younger cousin in the home, who she considers as a younger sister. The placement also allows her to remain closely connected to extended family.

### Description of How the Current Placement is Able to Meet the Child's Needs:

The paternal uncle and aunt have ensured that all of Crystal's needs are met. They have monitored and encouraged her success in school. They have also ensured that all of her medical and dental needs are met. The paternal uncle and aunt have also paid for extracurricular activities for Crystal including participation on the tennis team.

<b>Does the agency anticipate a placement change:</b> No
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**If Yes, describe in detail including anticipated date of placement change:**

**PLACEMENT HISTORY**

<b>Placement Setting:</b> Regular Family Foster Care-non relative		<b>Provider ID:</b> 123456
<b>Start Date:</b> 07/18/2012	<b>End Date:</b> 08/31/2012	<b>End Reason:</b> Move to New Service

**SERVICE GOALS**

<b>Service Goal #:</b> 1	
<b>Case Participant:</b> Crystal Ritz	
<b>Service Goal:</b> Crystal will engage in mental health services through Manhattan County Mental Health.	
<b>Begin Date:</b> 09/14/2012	<b>Target End Date:</b> 09/01/2013
<b>Status of Goal:</b> Continue Current Goal	
<b>Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Goal:</b> Crystal continues to participate in weekly individual counseling with Cathy Hillman at Manhattan County Mental Health.	

<b>Service Goal #:</b> 1	
<b>Case Participant:</b> Crystal Ritz	
<b>Service Goal:</b> Crystal will attend the ILP to assist her in transitioning into adulthood. The ILP will assist Crystal in pursuing her education goals and in developing life skills.	
<b>Begin Date:</b>	<b>Target End Date:</b>
<b>Status of Goal:</b> New	
<b>Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Goal:</b> Crystal is on a waiting list for the ILP. As soon as there is an opening, she will begin the ILP. The ILP will develop a T2 Comprehensive Transition Plan with Crystal.	

**SERVICES**

<b>Service Goal #:</b> 1	
<b>Case Participant:</b> Crystal Ritz	
<b>Service Category:</b> Counseling and Therapeutic Services	<b>Service Type:</b> Individual Counseling
<b>Provider/Responsible Person:</b> Manhattan County Mental Health	
<b>Specifically Explain Service/Activity:</b> Crystal will participate in weekly individual counseling.	

<b>Service Goal #:</b> 1	
<b>Case Participant:</b> Crystal Ritz	
<b>Service Category:</b> ILP Life Skills – Paid	<b>Service Type:</b> ILP Skills Training



**Provider/Responsible Person:** New Options

**Specifically Explain Service/Activity:** Crystal will participate in the ILP with New Options.

**ACHIEVED SERVICE GOALS**

**Case Participant:**

**Achieved Service Goal:**

**Begin Date:**

**Date Achieved:**

**Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Goal:**

**PERMANENCY PLAN**

**Permanency Plan:** Reunification

**Anticipated date achieved:** 09/01/2013

**Concurrent Plan:** Guardianship

**When ICWA eligible, is the tribe in agreement with the plan?** N/A

**Permanency Plan Agreement:**

**Concurrent Plan Agreement:**

**Child is currently placed with a potential adoptive resource:** No

**The child has been out of the family home 11 of the most recent 22 months.**

**The court has made a finding that reasonable/active efforts are not required:** No

**Date referred to AAG/DDA office:**

**Date TPR was filed:**

**Reason why TPR is not being pursued at 15 of 22 months (if applicable):**

**Description of Efforts to identify an Adoptive Resource (if applicable):**

**EDUCATION INFORMATION**

**Child is currently enrolled in school:** Yes

**School Name:** Carnegie High School

**Address:** 1400 N 42<sup>nd</sup> St

**City, State, Zip:** New Holland, OR 97000

**Last grade completed:** Tenth

**Current IEP:** N/A

**Child's IQ:**

**Expected Graduation Date:** 06/15/2015

**Diploma/Certificate:**

**Performance**

**Math:** At Grade Level

**Reading:** At Grade Level

**High School Credits**

**English:** 2

**Math:** 2

**Electives:** 2

**Social Science:** 2

**Science:** 2

**Health:** 1

**Language:** 2

**Physical Education:** 1

**SCHOOL HISTORY**



<b>School Name:</b>		<b>School Type:</b>
<b>Start Date:</b>	<b>End Date:</b>	<b>End Reason:</b>

**MEDICAL/MENTAL HEALTH INFORMATION**

<b>Physician/Clinic:</b>	Rex Morgan
<b>Address:</b>	1212 Macy Way
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	New Holland, OR 97000
<b>Phone Number</b>	(503) 717-3244

<b>Dentist:</b>	Walter Duncan
<b>Address:</b>	1515 Madison Ave.
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	New Holland, OR 97000
<b>Phone Number</b>	(503) 717-1812

<b>Mental Health Professional:</b>	Cathy Hillman
<b>Address:</b>	1234 Wall St.
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	New Holland, OR 97000
<b>Phone Number</b>	(503) 717-1984

**Mental Health Organization:** Manhattan County Mental Health

**Medical/Dental/Mental Health Treatments for the past Six Months:**

Service	Service Date	Provider Name

Billed Medications	# Days	Quantity	Strength	Start Date

Psychotropic Medications	Dosage	Frequency	Start Date	End Date

<b>Allergies:</b>	
<b>Immunizations:</b>	<b>Date Administered:</b>



**Child's Medical Needs:**

Crystal has no special medical needs.

**VISITATION**

**Visit contact between the child and parent/guardian for the past 6 months:**

01/09/2013  
01/16/2013  
01/23/2013  
02/06/2013  
02/13/2013  
02/20/2013  
02/27/2013  
03/06/2013  
03/13/2013  
03/20/2013  
03/27/2013  
04/03/2013  
04/17/2013  
05/01/2013  
05/15/2010  
06/05/2013

**Visit contact between the child and siblings for the past 6 months:**

**Visit contact between the child and relatives for the past 6 months:**

**FACE-TO-FACE**

**Face-to-face Contact Between Worker and Child for the Past Six Months:**

01/02/2013, LUNA MONROE, Community (park,mall,resturnt,rltv home), Scheduled Contact Occurred  
02/5/2013, LUNA MONROE, Substitute Care/Child Placement, Scheduled Contact Occurred  
03/05/2013, LUNA MONROE, School, Scheduled Contact, Did Not Occur  
03/11/2013, LUNA MONROE, School, Unscheduled Contact, Occurred  
04/08/2013, LUNA MONROE, Substitute Care/Child Placement, Scheduled Contact Occurred  
05/06/2013, LUNA MONROE, Substitute Care/Child Placement, Scheduled Contact Occurred  
06/03/2013, LUNA MONROE, School, Scheduled Contact, Did Not Occur  
06/05/2013, LUNA MONROE, Substitute Care/Child Placement, Unscheduled Contact Occurred

**Attachments:**



<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Comprehensive Youth Transition Plan Attached</b>	<b>Effective/Issued:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Child's most current report card is attached</b>	<b>Effective/Issued:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Visitation Plan(s) attached</b>	<b>Effective/Issued:</b>

Signatures	Date
<b>Mother</b>	
<b>Father</b>	
<b>Caseworker</b>	
<b>Supervisor</b>	

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Parent/Legal Guardian has opted not to sign the Permanency Plan</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Child has opted not to sign the Permanency Plan</b>



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**CHILD WELFARE CASE PLAN**

<b>CASE NAME:</b> JOYCE RITZ	<b>PLAN DATE:</b> 06/14/2013
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**PARENT/GUARDIAN(S)**

<b>Name:</b>	Joyce Ritz
<b>Address:</b>	214 W. 42 <sup>nd</sup> St.
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	New Holland, OR 97000
<b>Relationship:</b>	Mother

<b>Name:</b>	Bruce Ritz
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	
<b>Relationship:</b>	Father – Legal

<b>Child's Name:</b> Crystal Ritz	<b>DOB:</b> 02/29/1996	<b>Age:</b> 17	<b>Gender:</b> Female
<b>Primary Language:</b> English	<b>Court Number:</b> J12-0099		
<b>ICWA Status:</b> Not Eligible	<b>Name of Tribe:</b> N/A		

**Active Safety Threats:**

Safety Threat #1: The family situation is such that no adult in the home is routinely performing parenting duties and responsibilities that assure child safety.  
 Safety Threat #3: One or both parents' or caregivers' behavior is impulsive or they will not/cannot control their behavior.  
 Safety Threat #5: A family situation or behavior is such that the family does not have or use resources necessary to assure a child's safety.  
 Safety Threat #8: A situation, attitudes, and/or behavior is such that one or both parents or caregivers lack parenting knowledge, skills, and motivation necessary to assure a child's safety.

**Ongoing Safety Plan:** Crystal is in relative family foster care with a paternal uncle and aunt. The mother has supervised visits with Crystal.

**Conditions for Return:** The mother and/or father will understand how their actions and lack of care for the child has created an unsafe situation.  
 The mother and/or father will demonstrate that they are motivated to develop the knowledge and skills necessary to keep the child safe.  
 The mother and/or father will be willing and able to allow DHS staff, community providers and safety service providers in the home as often as necessary to address the safety concerns.  
 The mother and/or father will understand how their neglect of the child has led to ongoing medical, dental and mental health issues. They will present a plan to ensure that the child's needs, around these issues, will be addressed on an ongoing basis.





**Departmental Efforts to Prevent Removal or to Return Child(ren) Home:**

To Prevent Removal:

No efforts were possible as the mother was arrested and charged with Criminal Mistreatment in the First degree. The victim was Crystal. The mother was incarcerated and unavailable to parent Crystal. There was a no contact order between the mother and Crystal, and Crystal could not be returned to the mother.

To Return Child Home:

DHS developed an Action Agreement for the mother.

**Reasons Services Could Not be Provided to Prevent Removal of the Child from the Home:**

The mother was incarcerated and unavailable to parent Crystal.

**Immediate Family Functioning:**

**Extended Family Functioning:**

Crystal is placed with a paternal aunt and uncle. She is able to have much contact with her paternal relatives.

There are also many maternal relatives who are in contact with Crystal and are supportive of Crystal.

**Protective Capacity Assessment Summary:**

JOYCE RITZ:

Enhanced:

The parent is physically able to parent the child: Ms. Ritz does not have any physical limitations to her ability to parent Crystal.

Diminished:

The parent demonstrates impulse control: Ms. Ritz does not have impulse control. She continued to put her own needs before the needs of Crystal.

Bruce Ritz:

The father is deceased.

**EXPECTED OUTCOMES**

**Expected Outcome #: 1**

**Case Participant:** JOYCE RITZ

**Expected Outcome:** Ms. Ritz will address her mental health issues and will be able to articulate the importance of maintaining her individual mental health to be able to safely and appropriately parent.

**Begin Date:** 10/01/2012

**Target End Date:** 07/31/2013

**Status of Outcome:** Continue Current Goal

**Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Outcome:** Ms. Ritz began participation in DBT through



Manhattan County Mental Health and in anger management counseling through Options Counseling.

<b>Expected Outcome #:</b> 2	
<b>Case Participant:</b> JOYCE RITZ	
<b>Expected Outcome:</b> Ms. Ritz will establish a safe and stable home.	
<b>Begin Date:</b> 10/31/31/2012	<b>Target End Date:</b> 07/31/2013
<b>Status of Outcome:</b> Continue Current Goal	
<b>Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Outcome:</b>	

**SERVICES**

<b>Expected Outcome #:</b> 1	
<b>Case Participant:</b> JOYCE RITZ	
<b>Service Category:</b> Counseling and Therapeutic Services	<b>Service Type:</b> Dialectical Behavioral Therapy
<b>Provider/Responsible Person:</b> Manhattan County Mental Health	
<b>Specifically Explain Service/Activity:</b> Ms. Ritz will participate in DBT to help her understand the issues that led to her abuse of Crystal.	

<b>Expected Outcome #:</b> 2	
<b>Case Participant:</b> JOYCE RITZ	
<b>Service Category:</b> Counseling and Therapeutic Services	<b>Service Type:</b> Anger Management
<b>Provider/Responsible Person:</b> Options Counseling	
<b>Specifically Explain Service/Activity:</b> Ms. Ritz will participate in anger management counseling to help her understand the issues that led to her abuse of Crystal.	

**ACHIEVED EXPECTED OUTCOMES**

<b>Case Participant:</b> JOYCE RITZ	
<b>Achieved Expected Outcome:</b>	
<b>Begin Date:</b>	<b>Date Achieved:</b>
<b>Barriers in Achieving Outcome:</b>	
<b>Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Goal:</b>	

<b>Case Participant:</b>	
<b>Achieved Expected Outcome:</b>	
<b>Begin Date:</b>	<b>Date Achieved:</b>
<b>Barriers in Achieving Outcome:</b>	
<b>Progress and/or Barriers in Achieving Goal:</b>	

**One Time Service Payments**



<b>Case Participant:</b>	<b>Request Type:</b>
<b>Serviced Category:</b>	<b>Service Type:</b>
<b>Start Date:</b>	<b>End Date:</b>

**Case Planning Meetings Held in the Past Six Months:**

<b>Meeting Type:</b> Child Safety Meeting	<b>Date Held:</b> 08/31/2012
<b>Participants:</b> Joyce Ritz, Dan Gomez, Maya Zieglar, Anita Ritz	

**Visit contact between the child and siblings for the past 6 months:**

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**Visit contact between the child and relatives for the past 6 months:**

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**Face-to-face Contact Between Worker and Parent/Guardian(s) for the Past Six Months:**

JOYCE RITZ: 01/13/2013 02/08/2013 03/08/2013 04/10/2013 05/08/2013
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**Case Progress Evaluation Summary:**

Ms. Ritz has completed anger management counseling with Options. Her anger management counseling was coordinated through her probation. The mother was able to begin DBT through Manhattan County Mental Health in February. She continues to attend DBT. Ms. Ritz and Crystal have not had family therapy as Crystal has not felt comfortable or safe enough to participate in family therapy with Ms. Ritz. Crystal continues in individual counseling. When Crystal's therapist believes that family therapy is appropriate, DHS will arrange family therapy for Ms. Ritz and Crystal. Due to the estranged relationship between Crystal and Ms. Ritz, visitation has been reduced to twice a month and continues to be supervised. Crystal and Ms. Ritz also have regular telephone contact and Facebook contact.

**Attachments:**

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Signatures	Date
_____ <b>Mother</b>	_____
_____ <b>Father</b>	_____



<b>Caseworker</b>	
<b>Supervisor</b>	

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Parent/Legal Guardian has opted not to sign the Permanency Plan</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Child has opted not to sign the Permanency Plan</b>

**Placement History**

Child's Last Name: RITZ  
Child's Person ID: 2232233

Child's First Name: CRYSTAL  
DOB: 02/29/1996

**Removal Date: 07/18/2012**

**Closure Date:**

<b>Case ID</b>	<b>Begin Date</b>	<b>End Date</b>	<b>End Reason</b>	<b>Provider</b>	<b>Service Type</b>	<b>Placement Setting</b>	<b>Status</b>
741776	07/18/2012	07/31/2012	Moved to Equivalent Level of Care	Bianca Kline	Family Shelter Care Non-Rel	Regular Family Foster Care – non relative	
741776	08/01/2012	08/31/2012	Moved to Equivalent Level of Care	Bianca Kline	Family Foster Care Non-Rel	Relative Family Foster Care-non relative	
741776	09/01/2012			Anita Ritz	Family Foster Care Relative	Relative Family Foster Care	