FASD Frontline Meeting

June 10, 2014

Introductions and Waitlists 1.

- Bissell: Julie, Mark, Barb, Trish. There are approximately 74 individuals on the FASS waitlist but PCAP has space available on their caseloads at this time
- Boyle Street: Vanessa, Berry. No waitlist but is getting close to full
- CSS: Miranda and Gail
- WRAP: Melanie. No waitlist
- Kids Kottage: Nicole, Elaine, Julie
- YWCA Support Home: Susan
- Bosco Homes: Katherine. Unsure of waitlist
- Elves: Gloria. They are in the process of accepting intakes for September. Contact Gloria at 780-920-5342 or email respite@elves-society.com They also provide workshops for parents
- WICS: Cara, Peter, Kayla, Leandra
- Hope Mission: Chris

2. **FASD Frontline Newsletter**

We are always looking for ideas and articles for the newsletter. If you have suggestions or want to write an article, contact Gail at Gail.Finley@catholicsocialservices.ab.ca

3. Case Conference Presentation: Cara

See attachment for info on the case

Major issue is stealing. It is hard to find a job placement as the stealing always becomes an issue. Respite placements Are difficult as well due to stealing. He is very social and willing to try anything. He does better when busy. He can be very sneaky in order to get what he wants.

- Suggestions:
 - ♦ Special O Sports
 - ♦ Complete Med Reviews
 - Psychologists/Psychiatrist assessments
 - ♦ Get the individual into counselling
 - Participate in Inclusive education or support groups
 - ♦ Involve him in active sports to tire him out such as Inner City Rec
 - ♦ Volunteer with an authority figure like City Police, RCMP, Fire Dept.
 - ♦ Change up volunteer placements on a rotating basis to keep things fresh
 - Participate in Geocaching
 - ♦ Volunteer or work placement at a Bottle Depot or recycling facility
- ♦ Find a placement outdoors where there is lots of planting, hoeing, etc

