



THRIVING FAMILY INITIATIVE

Moving Families Forward and Out of Poverty

Program Purpose and Description

Novato families who are struggling but still cannot make enough money to support their families may be eligible for enrollment into the Thriving Families Initiative program. You will receive regular support from a skilled case manager for a period of 6 to 24 months. Case managers will help you develop specific goals for you and your family that will lead you to increased self-sufficiency and success. You will have access to employment and financial counseling, and may also be eligible for scholarships from the NNCS TFI Educational/Job Fund.

Program Goal

The goal of this program is to enable very low-income, struggling families to find better job and educational opportunities and improve family income. Case managers will help you set goals and provide the support and advocacy you and your family need to improve your family stability and well-being. You will review your goals at least twice a year with your case manager to measure your progress. Goals will be set in at least 3 or more of the following areas:

- Income Level
- Financial Management Skills
- Adult Education or Vocational Training
- Housing
- Physical/Emotional Health and Well-being of entire family

Why become a TFI Client?

- Receive the monthly support of a case manager
- Become eligible for TFI Employment/Job Fund scholarships
- Better manage your finances
- Receive referrals, support, and advocacy for job and educational related opportunities and other work supports such as child care and rental assistance

Become a successful TFI Graduate today and move your life forward!

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