

Providing Justice and Care for Older and Disabled Victims of Abuse

Through Missouri's Adult Protection Multidisciplinary Team Expansion Project



Adult Protection Multidisciplinary Teams (MDT) directly impact the lives of abuse victims:

- Reduce trauma and stress to victims by limiting conflicting information and systems to navigate.
- Create greater awareness of and access to services for victims.
- Collaborate to help identify and address system failures and service gaps.
- Share decision making which provides more creative solutions and potentially reduces legal risk.
- Eliminate conflicting information and agency-to-agency interference.
- Better case outcomes and prosecutions.
- Reduce time and expense in gathering information and duplicated services.
- Create a strengthened system to support victims and increase public awareness.
- Increase reporting and decrease the reoccurrence of abuse.

Our mission is to provide tools, resource materials and individualized consultations to facilitate the expansion of elder and disabled abuse case review multidisciplinary teams across the state of Missouri.