YOUTH ASSENT DOCUMENT
Monitoring Wraparound Fidelity in ENGAGE (Encouraging the New Generation to Achieve Goals through Empowerment)

You are being asked to participate in a research study about quality of services because you are part of a Wraparound Team. Please read this form, as I read it with you, and ask any questions that you may have before agreeing to be in the research.

Researchers at Case Western Reserve University are conducting this study.

Background Information
The purpose of this research is to evaluate how well the Wraparound Team follows the principles of Wraparound in its meetings. Closely following the principles has been shown to relate to better outcomes for children, youth and families.

Procedures
If you agree to be a participant in this research, we would ask you to complete a brief survey that will take about 5 to 10 minutes. Examples of the things that will be rated include: does the team use an effective process to solve potential problems? Is the leader well prepared? Are the family members and youth given a chance to address how they see things? Are supports, like people in the community, used to help plan what to do next?

This document constitutes your informed consent. If at any time you do not wish to complete the survey, just return it. There is no penalty.

Risks and Benefits to Being in the Study
There are no known risks or benefits.

Compensation
You will not receive any payment/reimbursement.

Confidentiality
Records will be kept private, in a locked file at the University. Only people who need to see the files will see them (researcher, review board, funders). No one will be able to identify you by name.

Voluntary Nature of the Study
Your participation is voluntary. If you choose not to participate, it will not affect your current or future relations with the University. There is no penalty or loss of benefits for not participating or for discontinuing your participation. You will be provided with any significant new findings that develop during the course of the research that may make you decide that you want to stop participating through the agency where the Team meeting is held.

IRB NUMBER: IRB-2014-980
IRB APPROVAL DATE: 12/12/2014
IRB EXPIRATION DATE: 12/11/2015
Contacts and Questions
The researcher conducting this study is Jane Timmons-Mitchell, Ph.D. You may ask any questions you have now. If you have any additional questions, concerns or complaints about the study, you may contact them at jct2@case.edu or (216) 368-5986.

If the researchers cannot be reached, or if you would like to talk to someone other than the researcher(s) about; (1) questions, concerns or complaints regarding this study, (2) research participant rights, (3) research-related injuries, or (4) other human subjects issues, please contact Case Western Reserve University's Institutional Review Board at (216) 368-6925 or write: Case Western Reserve University; Institutional Review Board; 10900 Euclid Ave.; Cleveland, OH 44106-7230.

You may have a copy of this form for your records.

Statement of Consent
I have read the above.