## VIRTUAL PARENTING EDUCATION AND COACHING

## VIDEO PLATFORM PARENTING CLASSES

- ► Given the current state a video platform class offers a safer solution for both participants and Family Advocate workers
- ▶ Offers fixability on both participants and Family Advocate workers
- ▶ We will reach out to parents during intake process and set up a plan of action by establishing what lines of communication are available for them.
- ▶ We are now able to accept referrals that are out of our service area
- ► We encourage parents to email or text if they are feeling nervous or cannot verbalize their emotions.

## VIRTUAL PARENT COACHING

- ► Initial contact to assess the areas of needs and strengths
- ► Setting up equipment
- ► Age Appropriate Parent and Child activities is based on the parent's areas of interest
- ▶ We debrief after the visit and discuss areas of strengths and needs

## WHEN THINGS DON'T GO RIGHT

- ▶ Power goes off
- ► Switch devises, or reschedule
- ► Always remind parents to keep calm and to keep their focus on their children.
- ► Identifying areas in the house that offers privacy and comfort for parents to take full advantage of parenting classes.
- ► Meet children