CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT: SUMMARY FLOW CHART (JUSTIS CODES) Revised: June 13 2011 (JUSTIS Flowchart v9) Yellow Highlights - Effective October 01, 2011 REPORT to HPD and/or DHS. [350-2(a)] **INVESTIGATION** [587A-9(a)(3) & 587A-11] POLICE PROTECTIVE CUSTODY WITHOUT COURT ORDER [587A-8] **CASE CLOSURE** or Non-Family TEMPORARY FOSTER CUSTODY (TFC) WITHOUT COURT ORDEr [587A-9] Court Action File **PETITION** [587A-12] The Court must conduct: 1) **TEMPORARY FOSTER CUSTODY HEARING** within 2 days [587A-12(c)(1)] **OR** 2) Return Hearing within 15 days if the Petition is requesting FC or FS [587A-12(c)(2)] RETURN HEARING (RT) [587A-28] Conducted within 15 days after filing Petition for FC or FS [587A-28(a)(1)] **TEMPORARY FOSTER CUSTODY HEARING** [587A-26] OR within 15 days after a decision is announced by the court during a TFC Hearing [587A-28(a)(2)] RETURN Conducted within 2 days after **Petition** is filed; may HEARING-UNSERVED PARTY (RTU): if a party required to be notified was not served before Return Hearing, be continued for a max of 15 days [587A-26(a) & (b)]. conduct within 21 days after service [587A-28(b)(2)] Return Hearing conducted within 15 days of TFC **Hearing** [587A-26(d)] Court may conduct a Status Conference (ST) within Petition Dismissed. [587A-28(f)] 90 days after Return Hearing [587A-28(e)(10)] PERIODIC REVIEW HEARING PERMANENCY HEARING (PRM) Service Plan Hearing **SHOW CAUSE HEARING (SC)** CASE (SVP): If parties do not agree (PRV) [587A-30] [587A-31] SEE NOTE BELOW. **CLOSURE** or understand Service Plan [587A-27(c)] FILE MOTION TO TPR (MTP) [587A-30(c) &(d); 587A-31(g) & (h) & 587A-33(i)] Continue FC [587A-Legal Guardianship Reunification with 31(d)(2)]; schedule [587A-31(d)(3)(B)] parents [587A-31(d)(1)] PRV and/or PRM **TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS HEARING (TPR)** [587A-33] NOTE: 1) Parties may APPEAL any order [587A-36] If TPR criteria not met, **PERMANENT CASE CLOSURE** ADOPTION [587A-2) Court may set a **Show Cause Hearing** at any stage then draft plan for **CUSTODY** to the 31(d)(3)(A) & of the proceeding. Child's parents have the burden of permanency; schedule DHS [587A-587A-33(b)]/Legal presenting evidence as to why case should not be set PRV and PRM [58A7-Guardian-ship/Age 31(d)(3)(C) & for TPR or legal guardianship [587A-29] 587A-33(b)]; 33(h)] 3) If parties do not agree or understand the Service out schedule PRM Plan, a Service Plan Hearing may be conducted at any time [587A-27(c)] REINSTATEMENT OF PARENTAL RIGHTS **REINSTATEMENT OF PARENTAL RIGHTS - FINAL** [587-34] PRELIMINARY HEARING (PHR) **HEARING (FHR)** may result in reinstatement and may result in trial home placement & termination of jurisdiction if trial placement successful temporary reinstatement. Prior award [587A-34(h)] If preliminary and/or final hearing of PC continued [587A-34(e)] unsuccessful, continue with permanent custody