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INFORMAL COMMUNICATION	Encouraged	Encouraged on as needed basis	Two independently prepared plans; workers may exchange plans	Two different managers	Workers encouraged to discuss progress
LINKED CASE PLAN	Formal protocol	Required for workers to share assessment & other case information	Two case plans are developed in coordination with each other	A primary case manager may be assigned	Workers required to jointly evaluate progress
UNIFIED CASE PLAN	Formal protocol	Required to occur from assesment through case resolution	One unified case plan	There is one primary case manager	Workers operate as a team to evaluate progress

¹Karpilow, Kate Ph.D. (2005) Linkages Planning Guide, Public Health Institute, California Center for Research on Women & Families, p. 17.