

# AMFY & BBBS Program Merger Questions & Answers

## Parents & Guardians

### **1. *What is the role of Parents/Guardians in the transition?***

As a parent/guardian of a youth in our program, we need your help in transferring your child/teen to our program at BBBS. For legal and insurance purposes, original signatures are required. All AMFY mentors are completing similar transfer documentation. There are two steps that we need completed:

#### **NOW:**

Please complete the enclosed **Release of Information Form** and return it to AMFY no later than **July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008**. This form is very important. It gives AMFY permission to transfer any personal information that we have about the child/teen to mPower Youth Mentoring within BBBS. Please return the form in the self-addressed envelope enclosed.

#### **Later:**

In August, we will be sending you another letter. This letter will have BBBS forms that you will need to complete in order for your child/teen to continue to meet with his/her mentor next year.

### **2. *What does this mean for your child/teen?***

This transfer process also involves the protégés and their parents/guardians. An information package will be mailed to their homes in June. Your help may be required to ensure that all required documents are completed and returned to AMFY by August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008.