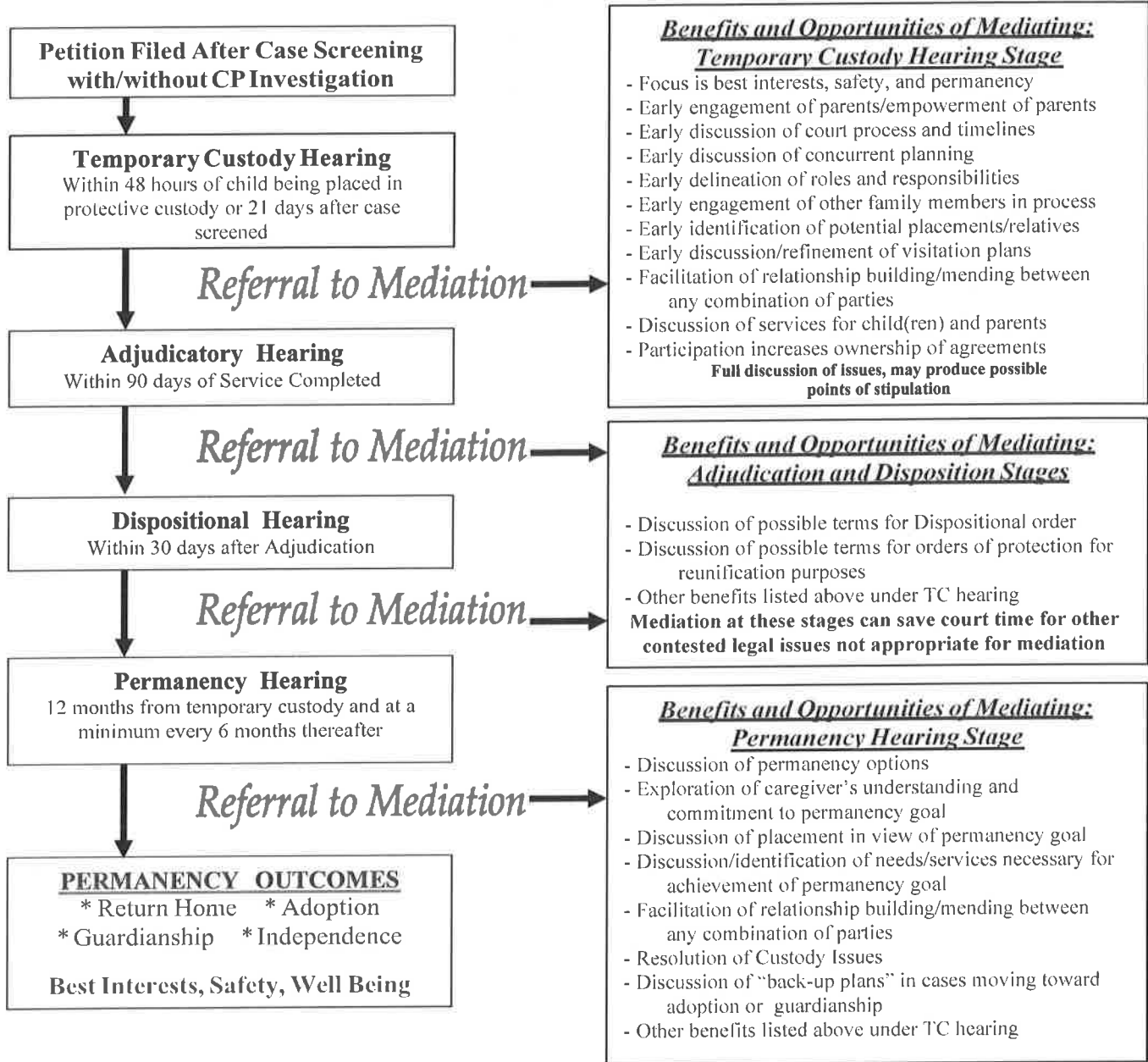




**Referral to Mediation Under the Illinois Juvenile Court Process**



**Benefits and Opportunities of Mediating at Other Points in the Juvenile Court Process**

<i>Prior to and after Return Home</i>	<i>Goal Change back to Return Home</i>	<i>Goal Change from Return Home</i>	<i>Prior to Adoption or Guardianship</i>	<i>Post Guardianship</i>
<b>Develop</b> Care/ Safety plans	<b>Develop</b> Plan for achievement	<b>Discuss</b> Other permanency options	<b>Engage</b> Parents in planning for future of their child(ren)	<b>Discuss</b> Issues causing conflict Other remedies
<b>Engage</b> Family members and other support persons	<b>Engage</b> Family members and other support persons	<b>Engage</b> Parents in planning for future of their child(ren)	<b>Discuss</b> Post-case closure contact, visitation, back-up plans	<b>Build/mend</b> Relationships
<b>Discuss</b> House rules Discipline Visitation Relationship Issues	<b>Discuss</b> Timeframes  <b>Build/mend</b> Relationships	<b>Build/mend</b> Relationships  <b>Empowerment/Dignity</b> Discussion of consents	<b>Build/mend</b> Relationships  <b>Empowerment/Dignity</b> Discussion of consents	<b>Negotiate</b> Disposition of motion before the Court Visitation plans