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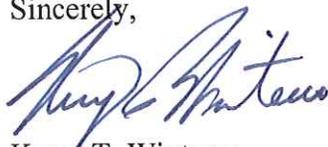
Patrick O'Donnell, Clerk of the Legislature
State Capitol, Room 2018
PO Box 94604
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Dear Mr. O'Donnell:

Legislative Bill 821 of the 102nd Legislative Session of 2012 requires the Nebraska Children's Commission to report on its activities to the Health and Human Services Committee on November 1, 2012.

The attached report provides a progress summary regarding the activities the Commission has accomplished. The report includes the meeting agenda and minutes of the fourth meeting and the agenda for the fifth meeting.

Sincerely,



Kerry T. Winterer
Chief Executive Officer
Department of Health and Human Services

Attachment

REPORT FOR: Nebraska Legislature, Health and Human Services Committee
REPORT DATE: November 1, 2012
LEGISLATIVE BILL: LB 821
COMMISSION NAME: Nebraska Children's Commission
CONTACT PERSONS: Kerry Winterer, CEO, DHHS, (402) 471-9433
Karen Authier, Chairperson, (402) 898-7754
Beth Baxter, Vice Chairperson, (308) 237-5113

General Information:

LB 821, passed during the 2012 Legislative Session, created the Nebraska Children's Commission. Responsibilities include to:

- Create a statewide strategic plan for reform of the child welfare system programs and services.
- Review the operations of DHHS regarding child welfare programs and services.
- Recommend, either by the establishment of a new division within DHHS or establishment of a new state agency, options for attaining the intent of this act.
- Provide a permanent forum for collaboration among state, local, community, public and private stakeholders in child welfare programs and services.

Also required are a committee to examine state policy regarding the prescription and administration of psychotropic drugs for state wards, a committee to examine the structure and responsibilities of the Office of Juvenile Services, and other committees as necessary.

Progress Summary:

The Nebraska Children's Commission met on September 14, 2012 and October 19, 2012, at the Lincoln Heights Hotel, Lincoln, NE. The meeting agendas and the minutes are attached.

During both the September and October meetings, the Commission continued the process of discussing what recommendations should be included in the Strategic Plan. The Commission's October planning process utilized the services of facilitators from Burnight Facilitated Resources. The preliminary report from that planning session is also attached. The Commission will be working on final recommendations for the Strategic Plan during November and December.

The Commission's four sub-committees continued to meet during September and October. Recommendations from the Psychotropic Medication Committee, Juvenile Services (OJS) Committee, Foster Care Reimbursement Rate Committee, and Title IV-E Demonstration Project

Committee will be included in the Strategic Plan that will be provided to the Health and Human Services Committee in December.

Issues:

No issues have been brought forward to date.

Recommendations:

Recommendations are expected in future reports.

NEBRASKA CHILDREN'S COMMISSION

Fourth Meeting
September 14, 2012

9:00 – 12:00 PM

Lincoln Heights Hotel - Lincoln Airport
1301 West Bond Cir, Lincoln, NE

- I. Call to Order (Karen Authier)
 - a. Announcement of the placement of the Open Meetings Act information
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of August 14, 2012, Minutes
- V. Approval of the September 14, 2012, Report to the Health and Human Services Committee
- VI. Public Comment

Public comment will be limited to three minutes per person and fifteen minutes total unless otherwise announced by the chairperson at the beginning of the public comment period. Persons wishing to offer public comment will be asked to provide name and address.
- VII. Chairperson's Report (Karen Authier)
 - a. Status of RFP's
 - i. Action Item: Authorizing the Contract for Strategic Planning
- VIII. Committee Reports
 - a. Psychotropic Medication Committee
 - b. Juvenile Services Committee
 - i. Action Item: Approval of Additional members
 - c. Foster Care Reimbursement Rate Committee
 - d. Title IV-E Demonstration Project Committee
- IX. Children and Family Services Report (Thomas Pristow)
- X. Legislative Report (Sen. Campbell)
- XI. Strategic Planning General Discussion
- XII. New Business
- XIII. General Discussion no action item (15 minutes)
- XIV. Next Meeting Dates (All times 9:00 am-12:00 pm)
 - a. Friday, October 19
 - b. Tuesday, November 20
- XV. Adjourn

Nebraska Children's Commission

Fourth Meeting

September 14, 2012

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Lincoln Heights Hotel – Lincoln Airport

1301 West Bond Cir, Lincoln, NE

Call to Order

Karen Authier called the meeting to order at 9:01am and noted that the Open Meetings Act information was posted in the back of the room as required by state law.

Roll Call

Commission Members present: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer.

Commission Members absent: Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Lisa Lechowicz, and John Northrop.

Ex Officio Members present: Ellen Brokofsky, Senator Kathy Campbell, Senator Colby Coash, Hon. Linda Porter, and Vicky Weisz.

Ex Officio Members absent: Senator Lavon Heidemann

Also in attendance: Governor Dave Heineman; Jeremiah Blake from the Governor's Policy Research Office; Nathan Busch, Bonnie Engel, Sara Goscha, Vicki Maca, Wes Nespor, Terri Nutzman, and Leesa Sorensen from the Department of Health and Human Services; and Elton Larson from the Department of Administrative Services.

Approval of Agenda

A motion was made by Mary Jo Pankoke to approve the agenda as written, seconded by Jennifer Nelson. A unanimous voice vote of voting members present was received. Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Lisa Lechowicz, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

Approval of July 16, 2012, Minutes

A motion was made by Mary Jo Pankoke to approve the minutes of the August 14, 2012, meeting, seconded by Janteice Holston. A unanimous voice vote of voting members present was

received. Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Lisa Lechowicz, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

Approval of September 14, 2012, Report to the Health and Human Services Committee

A motion was made by Beth Baxter to approve the September 14, 2012, report, seconded by Candy Kennedy-Goergen. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Lisa Lechowicz, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

Public Comment

Public comment was received from Sarah Helvey of Nebraska Appleseed who thanked all those who participated in the meetings on September 13, 2012. It was noted that 85 stakeholders participated in the meetings. Notes from the meetings and group discussion times will be made available on the Nebraska Appleseed website.

John Northrop arrived at 9:28am.

Chairperson's Report

Status of RFP's

Karen Authier noted that the RFPs were still in process and would not be complete until September 17, 2012. The process could result in a variety of outcomes, especially if the cost for the top ranked proposal proponent was not satisfactory. If the outcome of the RFP was not satisfactory, then it was noted that another approach would need to be taken including the possibility of hiring a facilitator.

A motion was made by Beth Baxter to authorize the Department of Health and Human Services to enter into a contract with the top ranked proposal proponent on the Strategic Planning RFP 4079 Z1, if the final contract cost is reasonable and would leave sufficient funds to carry out the remaining provisions of LB821 from the funds appropriated for that purpose. The motion was seconded by David Newell.

Mary Jo Pankoke then made a motion to amend the main motion by adding the phrase "with consultation of the Commission's executive committee," after the "Department of Health and Human Services". The motion was seconded by Becky Sorensen. The Commission voted on the amendment as follows: Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, John Northrop, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale

Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein, Martin Klein, and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

The Commission then voted on the revised main motion as follows: Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. Voting no: Norman Langemach. Gene Klein, Martin Klein, and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

Committee Reports

Psychotropic Medication Committee

Jennifer Nelson provided a written report with the final membership list for the Psychotropic Medication Committee. The committee's first meeting will be held on September 25, 2012.

A motion was made by Kerry Winterer to approve the Psychotropic Medication Committee report, seconded by Mary Jo Pankoke. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, John Northrop, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein, Martin Klein, and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

Martin Klein arrived at 9:32am.

Juvenile Services Committee

Martin Klein provided an update on the Juvenile Services Committee, including a written report.

Marty Klein made a motion to accept two new members to the committee – Pastor Tony Sanders and Dalene Walker. Janteice Holston seconded the motion. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, John Northrop, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mary Jo Pankoke to accept the Juvenile Services (OJS) Committee report, seconded by Thomas Pristow. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, John Northrop, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

Foster Care Reimbursement Rate Committee

Thomas Pristow provided an update on the Foster Care Reimbursement Rate Committee, including a written report.

A motion was made by Mary Jo Pankoke to accept the Foster Care Reimbursement Rate Committee report, seconded by Candy Kennedy-Goergen. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, John Northrop, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

IV-E Demonstration Project Committee

Thomas Pristow provided an update on the IV-E Demonstration Project Committee, including a written report.

A motion was made by Susan Staab to accept the IV-E Demonstration Project Committee report, seconded by Janteice Holston. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Janteice Holston, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, David Newell, John Northrop, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. No opposition. Gene Klein and Lisa Lechowicz were absent. Motion carried.

Children and Family Services Report

Thomas Pristow presented information on DDHS activities related to the IV-E waiver and other objectives the department is moving forward on at this time.

Legislative Report

Update on Interim Studies

Senator Campbell provided an update on the Interim Studies assigned to the Health and Human Services Committee that have been scheduled for public hearing. She specifically noted the hearings on October 5 and October 25 that may be of interest to Commission members.

Recessed at 10:02am.

Reconvened at 10:22am with all members present as before.

Strategic Planning General Discussion

Beth Baxter provided the committee copies of the notes that came from small group discussions that took place on August 14, 2012 after the Commission meeting. The notes were provided as a discussion starter for items to consider in the Strategic Plan.

New Business

General Discussion no action item

Next Meeting Date

The next meeting is October 19, 9:00-12:00pm, at the Lincoln Heights Hotel.

Adjourn

A motion was made by Marty Klein to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Thomas Pristow. The meeting adjourned at 11:59am.

NEBRASKA CHILDREN'S COMMISSION

Fourth Meeting

October 19, 2012

9:00 – 12:00 PM

Lincoln Heights Hotel - Lincoln Airport

1301 West Bond Cir, Lincoln, NE

- I. Call to Order (Karen Authier)
 - a. Announcement of the placement of the Open Meetings Act information
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of September 14, 2012, Minutes
- V. Chairperson's Report (Karen Authier)
 - a. Status of Strategic Planning
 - i. Action Item: DAS RFP Proposals
 - ii. Action Item: Facilitator
- VI. Cross-Systems Analysis RFP (Thomas Pristow)
- VII. Legislative Reports (Sen. Campbell and Sen. Coash)
- VIII. Strategic Planning General Discussion
- IX. New Business
- X. General Discussion no action item (15 minutes)
- XI. Next Meeting Dates
 - a. Tuesday, November 20
 - b. December meeting - TBD
- XII. Adjourn

Nebraska Children's Commission

Fifth Meeting

October 19, 2012

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Lincoln Heights Hotel – Lincoln Airport
1301 West Bond Cir, Lincoln, NE

Call to Order

Karen Authier called the meeting to order at 9:03am and noted that the Open Meetings Act information was posted in the back of the room as required by state law.

Roll Call

Commission Members present: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer.

Commission Members absent: Janteice Holston, Lisa Lechowicz, David Newell, and John Northrop.

Ex Officio Members present: Ellen Brokofsky, Senator Kathy Campbell, Senator Colby Coash, Hon. Linda Porter, and Vicky Weisz.

Ex Officio Members absent: Senator Lavon Heidemann

Also in attendance: Governor Dave Heineman; Sara Goscha, Wes Nespor, Terri Nutzman, and Leesa Sorensen from the Department of Health and Human Services.

Approval of Agenda

A motion was made by Susan Staab to approve the agenda as written, seconded by Kerry Winterer. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. Voting no: none. Janteice Holston, Lisa Lechowicz, David Newell, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

Approval of September 14, 2012, Minutes

A motion was made by Thomas Pristow to approve the minutes of the September 14, 2012, meeting, seconded by Jen Nelson. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. Voting no: none. Janteice Holston, Lisa Lechowicz, David Newell, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

Chairperson's Report

Karen Authier noted that the Strategic Planning RFP process resulted in a determination that the costs of all proposals were above funding allocated for the project. Karen requested a motion authorizing DHHS to reject all proponent proposals.

A motion was made by Gene Klein to authorize the Department of Health and Human Services to reject all proponent proposals submitted in response to Strategic Planning RFP 4079 Z1. The motion was seconded by Mary Jo Pankoke. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. Voting no: none. Janteice Holston, Lisa Lechowicz, David Newell, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

The next step was to solicit proposals for a strategic planning facilitator as determined at the August Commission meeting. The Executive Committee reviewed responses to the solicitation and recommended that DHHS contract with Burnight Facilitated Resources to facilitate the Strategic Planning process. Karen requested a motion to select Burnight Facilitated Resources as the facilitator for the Nebraska Children's Commission strategic plan.

A motion was made by Gene Klein to select Burnight Facilitated Resources as the facilitator for the Nebraska Children's Commission strategic plan. The motion was seconded by Mary Jo Pankoke. Voting yes: Karen Authier, Beth Baxter, Nancy Forney, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Gene Klein, Martin Klein, Norman Langemach, Jennifer Nelson, Mary Jo Pankoke, Thomas Pristow, Dale Shotkoski, Becky Sorensen, Susan Staab, and Kerry Winterer. Voting no: none. Janteice Holston, Lisa Lechowicz, David Newell, and John Northrop were absent. Motion carried.

Cross-Systems Analysis RFP

Thomas Pristow presented information on DHHS activities related to the Cross-System Analysis RFP. Thomas noted that the RFP process was complete and Public Consulting Group, Inc. has been selected to perform the cross-systems analysis for DHHS. He reported that Public Consulting Group was scheduled to begin the analysis process the week of October 22, 2012.

Legislative Reports

Senator Campbell thanked the Commission for attending previous public hearings and noted that handouts were available from the LR529 and LR525 hearings that were held on October 5. She also provided an update on upcoming Health and Human Services Committee public hearings on LR537 and LR533 scheduled for October 25. LR537 provides for an interim study on unmet needs of and gaps in services available to youth who transition or “age out” of Nebraska’s foster care system. LR533 provides for an interim study to examine whether there are sufficient resources in schools to detect and treat mental illness in school-age children.

Senator Coash also thanked the Commission for supporting the public hearings. He noted that he was pleased with the information that was provided in the hearings and asked the Commission to keep the hearing information in mind as the Commission is finalizing recommendations for the Health and Human Services Committee. Senator Coash also noted that handouts from the LR525 hearings were available from his office.

Strategic Planning General Discussion

Deb Burnight and Brenda Thompson led the Commission members through a facilitated discussion in which participants were asked to describe a system of care in 2015 that will effectively support a prevention/intervention system of care in order to improve the safety, permanency and well-being of children and families across the State of Nebraska. The Commission members worked through the facilitated process to identify discussion groups that will continue the dialog on what should be included in the Commission’s Strategic Plan recommendations.

New Business

General Discussion no action item

Next Meeting Date

The next meeting is November 20, 8:30- 2:00pm, at the Country Inns & Suites, Lincoln, NE.

Adjourn

A motion was made by Marty Klein to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Thomas Pristow. The meeting adjourned at 12:20pm.

**Nebraska Children's Commission
Strategy Session
October 19, 2012**

Documentation of Strategic Work Products

Overall Strategic Focus

"What changes (or things to remain the same) will we recommend that will effectively support a prevention/intervention system of care in order to improve the safety, permanency and well-being of children and families across the State of Nebraska?"

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Context

The Nebraska Children’s Commission met in facilitated session on Friday, October 19, 2012, at the Lincoln Heights Hotel in Lincoln, Nebraska. The agenda included:

- Context
- Shared Vision
- Planning Operations
- Debrief

This report serves as documentation of the work products and consensus decisions of those participants in attendance at the meeting.

Setting the context for the session included the sharing of ground rules for discussion, a review of the planning process ahead and time for questions from Commission members regarding the work to be done. Discussion concluded with a consensus on the following focus question to guide the overall process (text in red type indicates changes added to the text during Commission discussion):

"What changes (or things to remain the same) will we recommend that will effectively support a prevention/intervention system of care in order to improve the safety, permanency and well-being of children and families across the State of Nebraska?"

This question will be informed by subsequent work of the Commission and will be revisited throughout the planning process.

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An exercise was facilitated in which participants were asked to describe a system of care that did “improve the safety, permanency and well-being of children and families across the State of Nebraska.” What would it look like? The result of their discussion is detailed on page 3 of this document. (Color-coding indicates the work teams that will form around these vision elements.)

Visioning

Vision Question: What do we see in place by 2015 as a result of our collective action?						
Consistent, stable, skilled workforce serving children and families	Family driven, child focused and flexible system of care	Transparent system collaboration with shared partnerships and ownership	Community ownership of child well-being	Timely access to effective services	Technological solutions to information exchange	Measured results across systems of care
<p>Caseworker retention is highest in country</p> <p>Educated, experienced professionals in all parts of system</p> <p>Single and stable point of contact for families</p> <p>Caseworkers are social workers, not brokers</p> <p>Case leadership with accountability</p>	<p>System of care is family driven and child focused</p> <p>Kids in the home with services</p> <p>Flexible, creative and individual responses</p> <p>Family focus, not just child focus (both CW and JJ)</p> <p>Shared resources</p> <p>Build upon/link current infrastructures = focus children and families</p>	<p>Team approach, both with families and systems</p> <p>Shared vision by all elements of system</p> <p>Shared accountability</p> <p>Effective collaboration among all system stakeholders</p> <p>Systemic view of factors that lead to family challenges</p> <p>Shared decisions</p> <p>Quality and accountability in system</p> <p>Effective communication across all systems</p>	<p>Community ownership of child well-being (public private partnerships)</p> <p>Importance of communities in system of care</p> <p>Early intervention</p> <p>Importance of primary and secondary prevention services</p> <p>Prevention = priority for resources and services</p> <p>Husker-level awareness of child well being</p>	<p>Timely and effective services</p> <p>Evidenced based practices/services match need</p> <p>Timely/consistent service array for families at risk</p> <p>Availability of services statewide</p> <p>No wrong door</p> <p>Immediate access to treatment services</p>	<p>Effective communication across all systems</p> <p>Open communication</p> <p>Shared information system</p> <p>Bring child/families resources together</p> <p>Fully-integrated database for services</p>	<p>Financial efficacy best in country (public and private \$ fully utilized)</p> <p>Children's wellbeing improved by involvement in system</p> <p>Data driven decision making</p> <p>Quality and accountability in whole system</p>

LEADERSHIP

Planning Operations

Virtual Work Teams

Between now and the November 20th Commission meeting, Commission members will participate in virtual (online) discussions to explore options for recommendations that can build on the strengths of the current system of care and address gaps. Members decided to organize into four teams, combining some of the vision elements identified on page 3. Commission members were asked to rank their preferences for which team to participate on, and members of the Executive Committee completed team assignments following the meeting.

Teams formed as follows, with team lead noted in parentheses:

Orange (Susan Staab):

Consistent, stable, skilled workforce serving children and families

Team Members: Vicky Weisz, Thomas Pristow, Ellen Brokofsky, Hon. Linda Porter

Green (Gene Klein):

Family driven, child focused and flexible system of care

And

Transparent system collaboration with shared partnerships and ownership

Team Members: Beth Baxter, Norm Langemach, Candy Kennedy-Goergen, Senator Colby Coash

Pink (Mary Jo Pankoke):

Community ownership of child well being

And

Timely access to effective services

Team Members: Becky Sorensen, Kerry Winterer, Jennifer Nelson, Dale Shotkoski

Yellow (Nancy Forney):

Technological solutions to information exchange

And

Measured results across systems of care

Team Members: Martin Klein, Karen Authier, Dave Newell

Members not assigned a team are encouraged to select a team and contact the relevant team lead to join their virtual discussion. If members would like to participate on a different team than assigned, they are encouraged to inform the lead for their current team and then contact the lead for the team on which they would like to participate.

Each team will discuss current strengths and weaknesses in the focus areas, then identify potential strategies and recommendations. When brainstorming recommendations and strategies, team members are asked to consider the aspects of the four key areas mentioned by the legislature in LB821:

1. Integration and coordination of all services
2. Access
3. Data
4. Role of DHHS

Scheduling information and details for how to join the virtual discussion will be distributed by email.

Debrief

A debrief of the morning's work included the identification of the following Core Values related to the work of the Commission (listed in no order of priority):

- Care about children
- Action oriented
- Ownership
- Accountability
- Effectiveness
- Future-oriented
- Organic and dynamic processes

Respectfully submitted,
Facilitated Resources
10/22/12