

Children's Advisory Committee Meeting

9:00 – 10:30 AM / Wednesday, June 3, 2009

ACVP / 333 Hegenberger Rd. #600, Oakland, CA 94621 / Monterey Room (6th Fl.)

MINUTES

Members Present:

BOS:

Gail Steele

Children's Services Providers:

Wendy Bomberg, ACMHS; Leslie Preston, La Clinica; David Channer, AWB; Kate Wadsworth, FFYC; Dennis Romano, ACCMHA; Steve Eckert, EBAC; David Theis, Ann Martin; Donna DeAngelis, LCC; John Fong, ACMHS; Irene Kudarauskas, AFS; Sandra Simmons, STARS; Kathy Luedeke, La Cheim; Carol Singer, JFCS-East Bay; Marcella Reeves, Family Paths

BHCS Staff:

Jeff Rackmil; Carolyn Novosel; Shannon Banks; Tanya McCullom; Madeleine Nelson

Other:

Deb Swanson

ITEM	DISCUSSION	PLAN/ACTION
1. Introduction & Announcements	<p>1.) Children's Services Providers Meeting June 9, 2009; 9:00 – 11:00 AM 2000 Embarcadero Cove, Oakland, Alameda Room Presentation: Alameda County Current Adolescent Drug Use: Micah Frazier of the Harm Reduction Coalition.</p> <p>2.) Probation: Deb Swanson July 1, 2009 Probation will be laying-off approximately 40 staff; 30/40 are Juvenile Probation Officers. Anticipate huge re-organization. Probation will probably shift resources to mandated services. Supervision of juveniles in community probation is not a mandated service. Anticipate 500 youth to be "banked" and not attended to in the immediate.</p> <p>3.) Family Court Crisis: A Closer Look at Problems & Solutions The Center for Judicial Excellence AC and Supervisor Gail Steele will be hosting a one-day workshop in June 11, 2009; 10 AM – 6 PM (Alameda County Conference Center).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information only.
2. Children's Director's Report	<p>MHSA/PEI: Mental Health Consultation in Schools</p> <p>We have a combined budget of approximately \$825,736 to provide mental health consultation in elementary, middle and high school projects. Our goal is to be responsive to the different geographic areas of the County...</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information only.

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	Crisis Stabilization Unit @Willow Rock Center opened the 1st week of June. Lots to celebrate!	
3. Developing a Work Plan for Implementing Children's Strategic Plan Goals & Objectives	Review Children's System of Care Strategic Plan. Discussion focused on current actions/activities occurring within County and community based organizations. Goal is to include current projects with our CBO's and align with our Strategic Plan. Anticipate spotlighting at CAC and other venues the current activities that reflect our goals identified in the Children's System of Care Strategic Plan.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information only.
4. Next meeting – July 1, 2009 (9 -10:30 AM)	Location: AC Vocational Program 333 Hegenberger Rd., Suite 600 Monterey Room	