

State Interagency Council for Services to Children with an Emotional Disability

Meeting Summary for February 26, 2014

Members/ Designees Present:

Mary Reinle Begley (DBHDID), SIAC Chair
Teresa James (DCBS)
Eugene Foster (CCSHCN)
Bill Heffron (DJJ)
Heather Dearing (CHFS/ FRYSC)
Peggy Roark (Parent Designee)

Guests:

Dana Nickles (CHFS)
Dr. Allen Brenzel (DBHDID)
Kari Collins (DBHDID)
Michelle Niehaus (DBHDID)
LeAnn Magre (Wellcare)
Kristan Mowder (Humana Care Source)
Helen Homberger (Humana Care Source)
Andrea Keith (Seven Counties/ LRC-Salt River)
Chelsea Sullivan (LRC/ Lincoln Trail Region)
Libby Trager (DCBS/ RIAC Chair)
Jason Mellenkamp (DCBS/ RIAC Chair)
Adam Rohrer (DCBS/ RIAC Chair)
Chris Whitsell (Children's Services Director /Bluegrass)
David Weathersby (Children's Services Director/ SCS)
Larry Linden (Children's Services Director/ NorthKey)
Bridgett Turner (KRCC)
N George (DCBS)
Eva Stone (Boyle Co. Bd. Of Education)
Pam Tamme (Boyle Co. Bd. Of Education)

Meghan Wright, Training Assistant (DBHDID)

Members/ Designees Present:

Rachel Bingham (AOC)
Tina Webb (DCBS)
Tal Curry (DPH)
Laura McCullough (KDE)
Jessica Krouse (Youth Member)

Guests:

Melissa Goins (AOC)
Amanda Flanary (Governor's Office of Early Childhood)
Whitney Hayse (Protection & Advocacy)
Leslie Jones (Protection & Advocacy)
Heidi Schissler (Protection & Advocacy)
Kate Tilton (KPFC)
Vestena Robbins (DBHDID/KICC)
Michelle Kilgore (DBHDID)
Janice Johnston (DBHDID)
Mark Hertweck (DBHDID)
Sue Smith (DBHDID)
Beth Potter (KY SEED/ KICC)
Beth Jordan (DBHDID/ KICC)
Kathy Alsup (Seven Counties)
Christy Troxell (Rural KIPDA CECC)
Phyllis Millspaugh (DCBS)
Stephanie Bates (DMS)
Alisha Clark (DMS)

Staff: Martha Campbell, SIAC Administrator (DBHDID) &

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action/Priorities/ Recommendations
Welcome/ Introduction	Mary Reinle Begley, Commissioner of DBHDID and SIAC Chair, called meeting to order.	
Review December 11, 2013 SIAC Meeting Summary	SIAC members reviewed DRAFT summary of the 12/11/2013 SIAC meeting. There were no edits; SIAC approved/ accepted the meeting summary.	SIAC adopted meeting summary with no changes.
System of Care “Youth Guided” Care Update- Jessica Krouse (Youth Representative)	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Updates on SIAC's Youth Driven Activities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KY Youth MOVE council, 2/7/14, recommended two (2) new SIAC reps to begin terms in 4/2014 when Jessica Krouse (Youth Member) and Mary Elizabeth Logan (Youth Designee) end their two (2) year terms of service. • Council recommended Allie Rigsby to serve as SIAC Youth Member and Brandon Kelley to serve as SIAC Youth Designee. • Five (5) openings on KY Youth Move Council; members must be between 14 & 16 and have a behavioral health diagnosis • Allie Rigsby is developing a training designed for professionals on “How to Engage Youth Successfully”. • Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) is adding a youth member to their executive committee for the Citizen’s Foster Care Review Board. • Children’s Mental Health Awareness Day is 5/8/2014; KY YOUTH MOVE council will celebrate this day with an event at the KY History Center in Frankfort and will also celebrate KPFCs 15th year anniversary. 	Contact: Kate Tilton at ktilton@kypartnership.org for information on joining KY Youth MOVE and information on receiving training on “How to Engage Youth Successfully”
System of Care “Family Driven” Care Update- Peggy Roark (SIAC Alternate Parent Representative	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Updates on SIAC's Regional Family Driven Activities</u> <i>Full report distributed to SIAC members/ designees as well as guests.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KPFC Regional Family Contact- Julie Neace • Georgetown & Cumberland River - COPE House-Julie Neace • Salt River – Kathy Alsup • Green River - Michelle Hickman • NorthKey – Sally Rooney 	

<p>Cabinet Update: Heather Dearing (CHFS), Acting Director of FRYSCs/ SOC Expansion & Redesign Advisor</p>	<p>System of Care (SOC) Strategy Session Update: Next Steps</p> <p>Recommendations from National Consultants included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish dedicated person to work on the redesign process • Gather data at local and regional levels (LRCs/ RIAC Chairs/LIACs/ internal data) • Put System of Care expansion and redesign together in a SOC framework • Develop ‘Design Teams’ to provide a new support structure of collaboration to SIAC and position SIAC to oversee SOC expansion, redesign and implementation. <p>Design Teams are under development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teams will be short term (3-6 months) • Work produced will be supplied to SIAC for oversight/ implementation • SIAC members or their designee will serve on at least one of the design teams • Cross reporting, coordination & communication required • Teams members must be individuals who can make decisions or have immediate access to decision makers • Some design teams may become committees of SIAC where appropriate <p>Four Design Teams Recommended: Financing Team/System & Governance Team/Data Team/Service Array Team</p>	<p>Heather will send additional information to SIAC members & designees regarding the full definition of each Design Team.</p> <p>Heather.dearing@ky.gov</p> <p>Contact Heather Dearing, CHFS, by 3/6/2014, to identify which team you or your designee(s) will serve on related to SIACs role in SOC expansion, redesign and implementation.</p>
<p>Interagency Priorities & Discussion-</p> <p>Rachel Bingham, AOC Update on Juvenile Code Task Force</p> <p>Dr. Heffron, DJJ Update on JDAI (DJJ Initiative) and Reclaiming Futures</p>	<p>JJ Task Force bill is pending legislation; comments will be received through week of 3/7/14. AOC is working with CDWs to assist families through consultation & referral; and to assist CDWs in recognizing the role of ‘Case Management/ Service Coordination’ in helping families maintain youth in their own home, school and community. AOC is committed to increasing the number of CDWs who serve actively on RIACs and LIACs</p> <p>Importance of screening youth in a timely manner; high scores being followed up with an assessment and then referral into Case management/ Service Coordination. In many Regions, DJJ utilizes the RIAC structure for this; DJJ also utilizes Reclaiming Futures model where accessible; family buy in is essential for both approaches. JDAI initiative is focused on reducing youth placed in detention and OOH placement as well as if removed, not housing abused/ neglected youth with youth charged/ adjudicated for violent crimes. JDAI is committed to avoiding OOH placement, utilizing common screening & assessment tools and increasing community involvement and community resources to emphasize the strength & effectiveness of community based care.</p>	<p>SIAC Administrator will forward to AOC & DJJ current information on RIAC membership across KY as well as LIAC information.</p>

<p>Beth Jordan Crystal Collins-Camargo (U of L) Phyllis Millspaugh (DCBS)</p> <p>Project SAFESPACE</p>	<p>Project SAFESPACE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Federal Administration on Children, Youth, Families (ACYF) Grant; awarded to UL • Five (5) year grant; \$2.5 million award • Population: children in OOHC (6-18) identified w/in 3 months for concurrent planning in 2 DCBS Service Regions (counties w/in 3 CMHC regions- Bluegrass/Comprehend/Pathways), with expansion to all children entering care. <p>Goals</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Redesign behavioral health service delivery system to be more responsive to the needs of children served by child welfare; *KICC Goals 1-5 2) Reconfigure infrastructure, inter/intra-agency procedures to support evidence-based continuum of universal screening, functional assessment, outcome-oriented case planning, and treatment; *KICC Goals 1, 2, 4, 5 3) Universal BH screening for children in OOH care by DCBS staff;*KICC Goals 2, 4 4) Implement functional assessment of children in OOHC in private child care agencies and community mental health centers; * KICC Goals 2, 4 5) Provide assessment-driven, case planning and evidence-based treatment to identified children; conduct systematic progress monitoring; *KICC Goals 2, 4 6) Improve social-emotional well-being of children in OOHC & adopted. *KICC Goals 1-5 <p>*KICC Goals</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Implementing policy, administrative, and regulatory changes 2. Developing or expanding services and supports 3. Creating or improving financing strategies 4. Providing training, technical assistance and coaching 5. Generating support and advocacy base <p>Phase I : Analysis of data; literature review on screening/assessment tools/treatments; evidence-based assessment and treatment; evaluation measuring design, collaboration, infrastructure, implementation, cost, and outcomes.</p> <p>Phase II: Data-driven approach to focus on implementation of approved strategies designed to provide continuum of evidence-based screening, assessment, and treatment of children to promote safety, permanency, and social-emotional well-being.</p>	<p>SAFESPACE</p> <p><i>“designed to support systems development of an integrated/coherent screening and assessment continuum; ...complement existing screening and assessment activities such as EPSDT benefit and Part C of IDEA...may call for coordinating with state initiatives such as Title IV-E Waiver Demonstrative 11 of 68 Projects & SAMHSA SOC Expansion Implementation Grant activities.” (from p. 11 of ACYF RFA HHS-2013-ACF-ACYF-CO-0637)</i></p> <p>Collaborative initiative of DCBS, DBHDID, and UL in partnership with DMS, EKU, UK, Children’s Alliance, KPFC, Youth Leadership Council, & Kentucky Youth M.O.V.E.</p>
<p>Other Business</p>	<p>RIAC Chairs will provide monthly updates to SIAC beginning March 2014. Michelle Niehaus will review letter to SIAC on 3/26/14 re: Deaf & Hard of Hearing</p>	
<p>Adjourn</p>	<p>Motion to adjourn; seconded/approved</p>	
<p>Next Meeting Date:</p>	<p>Wednesday, March 26, 2014 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm DBHDID/100 Fair Oaks Lane, Conference Rooms A & B/ Frankfort, KY.</p>	