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*Promoting healthy children and transition-age youth across Kentucky: Building a collaborative System of Care to promote children's and transition-age youth's social, emotional and behavioral well-being where they live, learn, work and play.*

## MEMORANDUM

To: Kentucky Family Organizations

From: Ivanora Alexander, SIAC Chair  
Executive Director  
Office for Children with Special Health Care Needs  
310 Whittington Parkway, Suite 200  
Louisville, KY 40222

Date: March 23, 2022

Re: Invitation to Express Interest in Serving as a Member of the State Interagency Council for Services and Supports to Children and Transition-age Youth

The State Interagency Council for Services and Supports to Children and Transition-age Youth (SIAC) is a body established in 1990 by legislation with the goal of coordinated policy development, comprehensive planning, and collaborative budgeting for the purpose of developing services and supports for children and transition-age youth with or at risk of developing behavioral health needs and their families (KRS 200.501-509).

SIAC is issuing this invitation to identify a Family Organization Member, as the current Family Organization's term expires. Per KRS 200.505, the qualification is defined as follows:

*A nonprofit family organization representing consumers of services and supports within the system of care whose membership, leadership, and governance include parents, primary caregivers, or children or transition-age youth with serious emotional, behavioral, or mental health needs.*

In addition, the non-profit family organization shall have parents and/or primary caregivers of children and transition-age youth with serious emotional, behavioral, or mental health needs as a significant percentage of its leadership and governance.

SIAC is requesting that interested organizations:

- Submit a Letter of Interest by May 18, 2022;
- Submit a Conflict of Interest Disclosure (attached);
- Submit a list of your Board of Directors; and
- Provide a brief (5-7 minute) presentation during the June 22, 2022, SIAC virtual meeting.

SIAC will hold a formal vote during the June 22, 2022, SIAC meeting, and the selected organization will be named at that time.

Please electronically submit your documents and/or questions to Lea Taylor, SIAC Administrator, at [Lea.Taylor@ky.gov](mailto:Lea.Taylor@ky.gov).



## CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE

State Interagency Council for Services and Supports  
to Children and Transition-age Youth (SIAC)

This conflict of interest disclosure is designed to foster transparency in the process of adding membership to the Kentucky State Interagency Council for Services and Supports to Children and Transition-age Youth (SIAC). A "conflict of interest," for the purpose of this form, arises when your organization or a person in a position of authority on behalf of your organization (such as an officer, director, or key employee) may benefit from a decision he or she could make in their capacity as a member of the SIAC, including indirect benefits. Therefore, please use the form below to disclose the potential conflicts of interest as they relate to your organization's potential appointment as a member of the SIAC.

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**Please complete this form and submit it, along with your Letter of Interest and a complete list of your organization's Board of Directors, to [Lea.Taylor@ky.gov](mailto:Lea.Taylor@ky.gov).**

Organization Name

Executive Director

Please list any SIAC member agency with which you have a contractual relationship. (See below list of current SIAC members.)

Please list any director or officer of your organization who is a current employee of a SIAC member agency, and their associated affiliation. (See below list of current SIAC members.)

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### SIAC Members

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