Child Welfare Advisory Committee:
System of Care (SOC) Subcommittee Agenda:
Tuesday, March 9, 2020 1:00-2:30PM
Zoom Conference/Call-in option:
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Welcome and roll call/attendance

Michelle Jackson, co-chair DCFS	Nancy Hughes, VOAIL
Alyse Almadani, Kaleidoscope	Dan Kotowski, Child Serve
Cindy Hoffman, CHAIL	Laura Keuver, Catholic Charities
Deb McCarrel, ICOY	Michelle Churchey-Mims, CBHA
Kristine Herman, HFS	Kacy Anderson, ICOY
Merry Beth Sheets, Hephzibah	Sarah Daniels, ICOY
Stephanie Barisch, CYFS	Anika Todd, DCFS
Shawnte Alexander, YouthCare	Ashely Haselow, Allendale
Marc Fagan, Thresholds	Jill Brantz, Kaleidoscope
Megan Kirk, Caritas	Alicia Ozier, DCFS
Jill Hayden, Medicaid Policy Network	Alex McJimpsey, DCFS
Matt Obert, Chaddock	Desiree Silva, CYFS
	Pat Ege, co-chair Cunningham

Jennifer Marett, DCFS

1. **Approve minutes from previous meeting**

2. **Update and topics from CWAC and other Sub-committee meetings:**
   a. SOC Charter Update to include Racial Equity: after CWAC retreat in April (Michelle and Pat)
   b. CWAC retreat update (Pat)
   c. From CWAC COVID Friday to other committee meetings (open floor for other DCFS meeting members have attended)

3. **Family First (FFPSA) through the system of care principles and community impact**, brief updates and EBI pilots IV-E. (Jennifer Marett)

4. **Managed Care Organizations**: YouthCare updates and progress (updates from Shawnte Alexander from last month and any new items from the members)
   a. Continuity of Care Period Ending – any updates?
   b. Any MCOs updates on the IM-CANS? From February meeting: Is access to MHS/IMCANS by YC if a problem re: compliance monitoring

5. **Medicaid, Integrated Health Homes (IHH) and 1915i** (Kristine Herman from HFS, ICOY and CBHA)
   a. **IMCANS/CANs 2.0 issues**

      a. Any updates addressing the duplication/double entering?

      b. From last month RE: the Master client record and accessing the IM-CANs: youth in care clients who will have several providers delivering clinical services (different/multiple NPI numbers including within an agency). Confusion on how to change it: a DCFS consent process—maybe get from HFS, and once we have a consent—where does it go and how is the system opened? What if the client refuses to sign? The consent expires in 1 yr—what does means?

            1. Discuss printing issues with the IM-CANs (50 pages, cuts off parts)

    b. **1915i** what is the impact on the child welfare system and initial feedback from the group

    c. **Workforce group** (RSA, MHP): NB Consent Decree (and DCFS updates)

    d. **Family Support Program (FSP) under HFS/Medicaid and Specialized Family Support Program (SFSP)** Beyond Medical Necessity

    e. **Mobile Crisis Response / SASS**—remove?

    f. **Continuum and Coordination of Resources "Service Provider Identification & Exploration Resource" (SPIDER)** (see third page for details)

6. **Qualified Residential Treatment Program (QRTP)** (Deb, ICOY re: QRTP and Federal Medicaid)—reimbursement starts this month/March?

7. **Public Comments**

8. **Other Topics?**

9. **Recommendations and Decisions from this meeting and on-going status updates from previous meetings**

Parking Lot: (topics likely not relevant for this meeting, but may be in the future)
- **NB and BH Consent Decrees**—remove?
- **Psychiatric Rehabilitative Treatment Facility (PRTF)** Discuss some differences with QRTP – remove?

2021 Meeting Schedule: Monthly, Second Tuesday of the month 1:00-2:30p
Next meeting: April 6, 2021 1:00-2:30p

The SPIDER Collaboration

The **Service Provider Identification & Exploration Resource (SPIDER)** application and its predecessor, the Statewide Provider Database (SPD), is a collaborative effort sponsored by the **IL Department of Children & Family Services,** with data maintenance and user support provided by the **Northwestern University/Hospital Feinberg School of Medicine,** technology resources provided by the **IL Department of Innovation and Technology**, and information provided by countless child and family welfare service providers across the state of Illinois. Since 2002, this resource continues to be a key resource for the Department, human service provider staff, other state agencies, city and county human services personnel, non-profit service organizations, and a variety of behavioral health and insurance organizations. Collaboration between these organizations, the SPIDER Team, and technical/IT support has been a key factor in keeping this resource operational, accurate, and useful to our users.

Here are the collaborators and our roles:
1. **IL Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS)** sponsored and funded SPIDER's predecessor SPD since 2004 and has renewed its commitment to this service through its sponsorship and funding of the SPIDER application and team. DCFS publishes SPD and SPIDER through a public-facing website, allowing access by both state employees as well as a variety of other service provider staff at other human service agencies. DCFS's continued commitment to this service has been essential to the depth, breadth, and quality of the provider information SPIDER offers.

2. **IL Department of Innovation and Technology (DoIT)** provides the critical IT resources – hardware, software, database, and developers - that implemented and continue to support this service. DoIT closely collaborated with the SPIDER Team to reimagine, redesign, and launch this resource in 2018. DoIT also provides 24/7 user support and issue tracking through its helpdesk team.

3. **The Mental Health Services & Policy Program (MHSPP)** (within Northwestern University's Feinberg School of Medicine) has a mission to provide research, evaluation, outcomes management, technical assistance and training that helps improve the lives of individuals and families who receive publicly funded mental health services. Their team of analysts and health interviewers have been supporting SPD and now SPIDER since 2002, delivering full-time data maintenance, updating over 4,000 programs on a yearly basis, adding new programs and agencies, and removing invalid programs to ensure that our users have the most accurate and appropriate referral information available. The MHSPP SPIDER Team provides in-person and online training as well as on demand one-on-one customer service to make sure our users derive maximum benefit from SPIDER.