

**Child Welfare Advisory Committee:
System of Care (SOC) Subcommittee Agenda:
Tuesday, July 12th, 2022 1:00-2:30PM**

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Welcome and roll call/attendance

Attendance: Ashley Deckert; Stephanie Barisch; Tony Wilson, Jill Brantz; Pat Ege; Casey Hunter; Tim Calvin; Merry Beth Sheets; Ellen Tannenbaum; Cindy Hoffman; Michelle Churchey-Mims; Ashley Jolly; Marc Fagan; Kacy Anderson; Jill Hayden; Matt Obert; Alexandra McJimpsey

- 1. Approve minutes from previous meeting** – Ashley D moved, Merry Beth seconded

- 2. Update and topics from CWAC and other Sub-committee meetings:**
No updates at this time, Ashley D posed the question if there are opportunities to connect with the other subcommittee chairs about topics that may span across the subcommittees so that duplication isn't occurring, and this committee can be helpful to the larger system. Stephanie B shared that the CWAC co-chair meeting is Thursday which may provide an opportunity to discuss across subcommittees.

- 3. Family First (FFPSA) through the system of care principles and community impact**
No significant update. Stephanie shared Dr. Mann is no longer with the department, and Keith is looking into who has accepted that role. He will bring additional info back.

- 4. Managed Care Organizations:** YouthCare updates and progress
 - a. YouthCare "crisis support" with MCR/SASS (CSMDT?)
 - b. Psychiatric Hospital workgroups updates?
 - c. Any MCO updates?
 - d. Updates from Marc
 - i. Healthworks transition from Cornerstone to Yout Care (YC) platform. Trainings held to share the information.
 - ii. CSMDT is somewhat on hold due to duplication, instead connecting to what providers are already doing. YC is contractually obligated to staff these types of cases.
 - iii. Merry Beth asked about psychiatric billing as they are receiving a lot of pushback
 - iv. YC is meeting with the Department on 7/13/22 to discuss outstanding projects and questions, and streamlining processes around YC
 - v. YC goals include: link in to pilots and initiatives that have already been started/are in process; create new initiatives where others cannot be

- utilized; streamline processes and build connections; review hospitals on a micro and macro level; create expectations specific to youth in care
- vi. Questions can be sent to Marc at: Marc.fagan@centene.com

5. 1915i/Pathways to Success/NB Consent Decree (Kristine Herman from HFS, ICOY and CBHA)

- a. Approved and moving forward. Per Michelle C-M, information is on Pathways website and the FHS newsletter mentioned it (no timeline provided) as well
- b. MCR CCSO New DSAs transition in November
- c. Stephanie B stated that there is a committee for provider trainings; workgroup primarily have to be NB members, but also open to the public. It covers all things behavioral health, not just Medicaid
- d. Any changes? Designated L (federated requirement, confirmed by court expert for NB. HFS cannot change at will), expansion on DSA
- e. Home & community-based side will include therapeutic mentoring and family peer support
- f. CMHC – Jill Brantz asked if there is a way to get specialized services added; Application opens in the Fall according to Michelle CM. The process is managed by OMI
- g. Stephanie asked how Pathways will connect with other systems
- h. Kristine H stated that the goal is one process that is clear and concise for the child, parent(s), provider and Department with no duplicates
 - i. Nina Dixon is contact for all things MCO & Pathways
 - ii. Pathways will get through as many youth (including Residential) as they can, and then adjust and repeat
 - iii. Court communication will happen early and often
 - iv. Publicly announced beginning of August

6. Public Comments