

North Carolina Collaborative for Children, Youth, and Families

OCTOBER 9, 2009 9:00 am to 11:00 am

LOCATION: Mental Health Association, Inc., 1331 Sunday Dr. Raleigh, NC 27607

<http://www.nccollaborative.org>

Name/Affiliation		Name/Affiliation		Name/Affiliation	
Gary Ander, Alamance DSS		Johna Hughes, UNC-CH/SW	X	Susan E. Robinson, DMHDSAS	X
Sheila Bazemore, NC DPI Off Sch Read		Kathryn Hunsucker, SOC Coord, Onslow-Carteret LME		Joel Rosch, Duke Univ CCFP	X
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Candice Britt, DSS		Linda Jones Alamance DSS	X	Joe Simmons, NC DPI EC	
Janine Britt, SE Regional LME		Catherine Joyner, DPH-CMPCT		Alexandra Sirota, Action for Children	
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Jamal Carr, DJJDP		Jinx Kenan, DCD		Liz Snyder, DSS SOC, Duke Univ	
Nancy Carter, SAYSO, ILR, Inc.	X	Elizabeth Kurzer, Dept. of Commerce		Pat Solomon, NC Families United & Sandhills LME, Co Chair	
Johanna Chase, NCDPI School Health Ed	X	Keith Letchworth, ECU	X	Alicia Spain, Beacon Center(LME)	
Simone Chessa, DMA		Andrea Lewis, DCD		Kurt Stephenson, AOC	
Brendon Comer, Gateway College		Martha Lowrance, DOA, YA&I	X	Alexia Stith, AOC	
Jackie Copeland, Crossroads LME		Jennifer Mahan, MHANC		Chary Sundstrom, NC School Psych. Assn.	
Gail Cormier, NC Families United		Gerri Mattson, DPH		Linda Swann, Sandhills NAMI/NC	
Kiesha Crawford, AOC		Trishana McKendall, DOA, YA&I		Alma Taylor, DVR	
Karen DeBord, NCSU, Coop.Ext		Erin McLaughlin, MHA, Inc	X	Christine Trottier, Carolina Legal Assistance	
Al Deitch, DOA-YA&I		Angela Mendell, Bladen County SOC	x	Jeffery Watson, DOA, YA&I	
Lana Dial, AOC/CIP	X	Tara Minter, DOA		Rebecca Wells, UNC-CH/SPH, Co-Chair	X
Regina Dickens, ICARE	X	Ronald Moore, DSS		Sherry Canady, DPH early intervention	X
Kathy Dobbs, CFSA-NC		Stephanie Nantz, DOA/YA&I		Monique Winslow, DPH	
Angel Dowden, NC DPI Special Projects		Mary Neil Morris SE Regional LME		Connie Windham, Alamance Alliance	
Dean Duncan, UNC-CH Sch SW		Mark O'Donnell, DMHDSAS	x	Rick Zechman, DSS	x
Maria Fernandez, DMHDSAS	X	Martin Pharr, DJJDP (Judy Stevens)		GUESTS:	
Alex Fonville, Five County COG SOC Coordinator		Deborah Prickett, NC DPI Character Ed		Rachel Harris Montevirdi, NCSU Coop. Ext.	
Kirstin Frescoln AOC		Tiffany Price, UNC SW			
Terri Grant, CSFT LME Coord, Durham Ctr		Tiffany Purdy, Beacon Center (LME)			
Kelly Graves, CYFCP UNC-G		Rebecca Reeve, NC Healthy Schools			
Joe Haenn, NC DPI Off of School Readine	X	Jack Register, NASW-NC			
Jann Harris, DHHS		Heather Reynolds, NC DPI PBS			
Melissa Hill, NASW-NC		Frank Rider, FFCMH			
		List updated 9-9-09			

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1. Welcome & Introductions

2. Approval of Attendance/Minutes from 9-25-2009 Meeting

3a. Discussion Topics/ Presentations

Minutes Approved

Periodic review: why we do what we do and how we might do it better

Reviewed our

- Vision, Values, Structure and Mission.
- Current Strategic Priorities, which are:
 1. Develop a comprehensive plan to increase communication and support between local collaborative and State Collaborative.
 2. Support implementation of child and family teams.
 3. Data-driven decision making based on common outcomes measures. (Erin will contact Action for Children regarding participation in SC and the Data Collection Workgroup)

Some wordsmithing was done to better reflect the current State Collaborative. A draft version will be sent to the State Collaborative membership for comment.

What's Next? (for the State Collaborative)

The following is a list of suggestions provided by attendees:

- Look at ways systems have/are restructuring due to economic challenges,
- Work toward strategies to enhance cost effectiveness of resources,
- Work to promote those activities which have proven to be evidence based and cost effective across the state,
- Broaden topics of presentation and discussion

Next Step in Bi-Monthly Meetings—

RE: the AGENDA:

- Note target audience for each presentation, to help individuals determine which SC meetings will be most beneficial for them within the scope of their work.
- Forward agenda to new people who might find specific conversations helpful. (Erin will include an invitational note in body of Meeting Reminder email, to promote the public nature of SC meetings)

RE: the WEBSITE:

- Add links within the SC website to maps of NC's social services systems: LME, LEA, Judicial, and DSS, to help each of us better understand how the other systems are organized across the state.
 - Please email these urls to Damie Jackson-Diopp at damiejack@gmail.com
- Use a Wiki-document to plan future meetings, into which any presenter can enter information directly—Wiki-document is an open source, shareware, type of website that allows anyone to create a document and modify it without the additional complication of a password (as is necessary with Google Docs). The purpose of the Wiki-doc is to allow anyone interested in presenting or speaking at the SC meetings an opportunity to do so by going online and reserving a period of time to address the SC. Thus allowing the public to pick and chose which meetings to attend and ensuring an expeditious use of SC Chairs' time.
- Look into taping meetings and placing recordings on SC website. Was done before and didn't seem to be utilized, shall we try again?

RE: Membership/Attendance:

<p>3b. Agenda Items for Future Meetings</p> <p>3c. Collaborative Partner Updates</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invite people to attend— <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Parent involvement (ideally people whose children have been through the system recently and therefore have relatively current knowledge of how it's working)—reminder to SC members to request funds to compensate parents for their time and transportation costs to attend SC meetings when writing grant proposals. Gail Cormier, with Families United recommended compensating parents at a rate of \$50 hour and 55 cents/mile. 2. Youth involvement—School Based Mental Health has funds to support students' transportation costs to attend SC meetings. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommendation was made for SC membership to listen more fully, allowing others (newer and less vocal individuals) an opportunity to participate in the conversations. Chairs will more proactively ensure all voices have an opportunity to be heard. Additionally, a reminder to use strength based language when addressing challenges of NC's systems and treat all attendees with respect when discussing sensitive topics. <p>October 23- Juvenile Justice and Behavioral Health and Bridges of Robeson County (speakers subsequently postponed both presentations)</p> <p>The North Carolina Practice Improvement Collaborative presents CHILDREN: Evidence-based Services & Supports on November 12, 2009 in Cary. This training is free of charge, but registration is required. For more information and to register, Please go to: http://www.ncpic.net/2009/children-evidence-based-services-supports/#more-524</p> <p>Listserv list is being transferred to another address. Everyone should be on the list, but please contact Susan Robinson at susan.robinson@dhhs.nc.gov if you are not receiving State Collaborative emails.</p>	
<p>4. Work Group & Partner Updates Training and T/A School-based Behavioral Health, <i>Keith Letchworth</i> Healthy Youth Transition <i>Lana Dial</i> Data and Evaluation, <i>Alexandra Forter Sirota</i> Cultural Competence, <i>Lana Dial</i> Membership, <i>Candice Britt</i> Trauma Task Force, <i>Kelly Graves</i></p>	<p>2nd Friday after NC Collaborative mtg. @NC MHA 4th Friday after NC Collaborative mtg. @ NC MHA</p> <p>2nd Wed. each month 2 pm – 4 pm @AOC</p> <p>The trauma work group is re-activating this month. Dr. Graves would welcome participation, and may be able to include people through teleconferences. She is particularly interested in increasing participation by representatives of schools and public health, as well as people from throughout the state. kngrove3@uncg.edu Phone: 336-217-9713</p>	

Audio visual & Conference Call needs: Erin McLaughlin Erin.Mclaughlin@mha-nc.org (please provide one week's notice)