

North Carolina Collaborative for Children, Youth, and Families

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

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Alex Fonville, Five County COG SOC Coordinator		Martin Pharr, DJJDP (Judy Stevens)		GUESTS:	
Kirstin Frescoln AOC		Deborah Prickett, NC DPI Character Ed		Tim with families united	
Terri Grant, CSFT LME Coord, Durham Ctr		Tiffany Price, UNC SW	x	Trishelle Smith, AOC	
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Joe Haenn, NC DPI Off of School Readine		Jack Register, NASW-NC			
Jann Harris, DHHS		Heather Reynolds, NC DPI PBS			
Melissa Hill, NASW-NC		Frank Rider, FFCMH			
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<p>Jan.22, 2010 1. Welcome & Introductions</p>	<p>Introduced Tim Rosenberg. Tim began working with Families United via a leadership program recommended to him by a school guidance counselor. He is majoring in graphic design at NC State University, and is interested in the therapeutic potential of visual art.</p>	
<p>2. Approval of Attendance/Minutes from 1-22-2010 Meeting</p>	<p>Approved</p>	
<p>3a. Discussion Topics/ Presentations</p>	<p>The group agreed by consensus to transfer an additional \$1,000 to reimburse a second youth to participate in the Collaborative. Rebecca and Libby are following up with Gail Cormier to see if NCFU can identify someone.</p> <p>Review of Work groups</p> <p>Youth in Transition 2nd Wednesday from 2 - 4 PM @ NC Judicial Center <i>Trishana Jones, Lana Dial</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Began in 2004/2005 • Independent entity • Have a history of sharing information with SC, but do not report to the Collaborative • Network of reps. that provide successful transitions for youths to adulthood • Gather info, share resources, develop inter-agency collaboration, discuss research, look for overlapping opportunities • Some areas of importance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Health ○ Housing ○ Overall independence ○ Recreation ○ Social and civic engagement ○ Transportation • Last year focus was adolescent health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Spoke with teens, from WakeTeens, about what is going on to ensure policies and programs are legitimately useful <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dating violence ▪ sexting • This year’s focus: Social and Civic, Raise the Age Issue • Role with State Collaborative <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Work collaboratively and share information <p>Early Screening- will be removed from the web site</p> <p>Data and Evaluation- to be discussed in future. <i>Alexandra Forter Sirota</i></p> <p>Cultural Competence-finished work and not currently meeting but cultural competence will remain on website <i>Lana Dial</i></p> <p>Membership- despite substantial recent work, not currently meeting—will remove from website <i>Candice Britt</i></p> <p>School Based Mental Health- will be holding strategic planning meeting in April.</p>	

<p>3b. Agenda Items for Future Meetings</p> <p>3c. Collaborative Partner Updates</p> <p>3d. Upcoming Meetings</p>	<p>Trauma Task Force-Kelly Graves has been trying to re-start. Paul Savery reported that this task force reflects a growing awareness that youth suffer trauma and victimization and all agencies need to be aware and create a culture, policies and procedures that don't re-traumatize youth. Plus there are therapeutic interventions that can treat youth/adults who have suffered trauma. Addressing trauma helps improve outcomes in other areas. Exact goals of the work –group unsure, representative of taskforce wasn't able to be present. <i>Kelly Graves</i></p> <p>Feb. 26, Heather Reynolds will update on PBS and Tristan's Quest, SKIP Initiative</p> <p>March 26, Johanna Chase to update on School Violence Prevention Act and changes to sexual education curriculum.</p> <p>Feb. 26th, 2010</p>	
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Work Group & Partner Updates

Training and T/A, 2nd Friday after NC Collaborative mtg. @ NC MHA
Martha Lowrance, Johna Hughes and Mark O'Donnell

School-based Behavioral Health 4th Friday after NC Collaborative mtg. @ NC MHA
Keith Letchworth

Youth in Transition 2nd Wednesday from 2 - 4 PM @ NC Judicial Center
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Data and Evaluation
Alexandra Forter Sirota

Cultural Competence
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Membership
Candice Britt

Trauma Task Force
Kelly Graves

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