Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems (ECCS) Working Group

February 28th, 2023 | 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM MDT | Via Zoom

Minutes

Meeting Objectives
- Kick off the work of the implementation teams   - Allow implementation teams to convene and for team members to meet and get to know one other   - Gather public comment on the CO-ECCS Project, including feedback and ideas for the project and relevant resources related to the project.

Attendees
Alisha Lacombe-Emile, Ashleigh Kirk, Jenni Muntahil, Claudia Strait, Darlene Sampson, Ayelet Talmi, Laura Knudtson, Kim McDevitt, Jenni Mortimeyer, Jennie Munthali, Nicole Poole, Kristina Heyl, Erin Schneider, Christina Walker, Gina Robinson, Jane Wilkinson, Eileen Auer Bennett, Tanya Weinberg, Heather Tritten, Iesha Mitchell, Jasmin Ramirez, Jayson Remillard, Kaylie Weese, Lenita Hartman, Lynne Fabian, Mara Holiday, Michele Coates, Rachel Hutson, Sandy Stenmark, Sena Harjo Theresa Rapstine, Carsten Baumann, Jessica Stoker, Kendra Neumann, Amanda Culbertson, Marian Bussey, Suman Mathur, Cristina Bejarano, Kristen Lang, Dawn Newby, Yinka Ajirotutu, Kim Denning

Welcome and Introductions
Led by Dawn Newby

Approve Last Meeting's Minutes
Led by Dawn Newby 📄 DRAFT 2023.01.24 ECCS Working Group Minutes.pdf Participants were asked if there are any objjections or edits that need to be made to the notes. No objections made. Minutes were approved unanimously.

Implementation Team Breakouts

Participants selected their implementation breakout:

1. Coordinated Intake and Referral Systems
2. Early Childcare and Health Care Partnerships
3. Equity Planning

Coordinated Intake and Referral Systems Implementation Team

SAGA Presentation: 📄 CIRS IT SAGA Review.pdf
- Reviewed existing work findings & future opportunities findings
- Discussion on what to apply to activites

Reviewed the DSR E-referral project
- Close loop interagency state partnership to develop a way a health care provider could send a electronic referral from Electronic Medical Record system to different data systems
- Phase 1 pilot findings: more efficient all done online, much better tracking, improved workflow, need for tech updates and training for providers and referral coordinators

Activity 1
- Discussion on goal to expand the DSR e-Referral pilot or gather lessons learned from other e-referral projects.
- *Short term goal:* Learn about e-refferal and other referral systems in CO such as Boulder & Chaffee

Activity 3
- Discussion on how to support all families regardless of language, races, ethnicity, etc.
- Discussion on goal to improve parent engagement & helping programs understand how they are engaging families

Activity 2-
- Discussed considerations: look at data, best practices, and policies; include transitions; gap in meeting family need for multiple services

Next Meeting:
- Activity 1- Creating a one page summary of phase 1. Think about what can we learn from other projects and what the end product is.
- Activity 3- Think about family engagement and assessment.

Early Childhood and Health Care Partnerships Implementation Team

SAGA Presentation: 📄 Partnerships Workgroup SAGA Review.pdf

Reviewed activities: 📊 Partnerships IT Work Plan

Discussion on ECCS grant size - fairly small
- What would we support if we had more money?
  - Plans are useful to state departments when funding becomes available and to advocacy agencies as a roadmap of what to pursue

Jamboard review: EC & Health Care Partnerships Work Plan Feedback
- All discussion points captured in Jamboard
- We will update all activities based on the discussion here.

Next meeting:
- Folks can keep adding to the Jamboard, or can email Christina and Kristen

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Equity Planning Implementation Team

Process Overview

- Liberatory Design for Equity Process & Dominant Culture Norms
- Reflection Questions

CO-ECCS Project Overview

Reviewed Equity Assessment Overview & Team Roles and Responsibilities

Group Discussion on Expectations from Equity Assessment Meetings

- Deeper understanding of health dispairities - reviewing data for root causes
- Ability to reflect individually and together as a group
- Learning framework to use to influence systems towards justice and equity
- Best practices to reduce inequities
- Building collaboration and partnerships around equity issues
- Understanding the problem we are trying to solve and setting clear goals

Public Comment

Led by Dawn Newby as Implementation Teams wrapped up in breakouts

Welcome to Cristina Bejarano! New Strategic Initiatives Manager at Illuminate Colorado

Comprehensive Early Childhood Workforce Plan Listening Sessions - Opportunity to provide feedback regarding workforce priorities, goals, and recommendations for future investments.

Any additional public comment to be recorded in the notes can be emailed to Dawn Newby: dnewby@illuminatecolorado.org

Next Steps & Adjourn

Closed by Dawn Newby
 	
Actions for participants to do following the meeting:
    1.   Provide Immediate Feedback to March's Meeting
    2.   Any tasks set in your implementation teams

Resources	
ECCS Working Group Charter(21-22) 📄 ECCS FLYER Overview FINAL.pdf 📄 ECCS Working Group Key Activities and Wor... Logic Model Final ECCS-CO Grant Data and Evaluation Plan System Asset and Gaps Analysis	ECCS Working Group Website ECCS Working Group Shared Folder ECCS Working Group Member List CO-ECCS Webpage Enrollment Form There are 20 grantees.