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Transforming Children's Behavioral Health Policy and Planning Committee

May 14th, 2025
ZOOM

2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

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Agenda

Welcome, Opening Remarks

TCB Tri Chairs; Senator Ceci Maher, Representative Tammy Exum & Claudio Gualtieri, Senior Policy Advisor to the Secretary, OPM

Review and Acceptance of March Minutes

Legislative Updates

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Administrative Updates

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Community Engagement Focus Group

Taylor Tucker, Director of Social Enterprise, Health Equity Solutions & Karen Siegel, Deputy Director, Health Equity Solutions

Prevention Level Setting

Prevention Workgroup Co-chairs: Ingrid Gillespie, Director of Prevention, Liberation Programs Inc & Pamela Mautte, Director of Alliance for Prevention & Wellness Program of BH Healthcare

Q&A

Closing Remarks

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Workgroup Upcoming Meetings and Focus Areas

Workgroup	Upcoming Meeting Date	Meeting Topics/ Focus Areas for Upcoming Months
System Infrastructure Workgroup	May 20th, 2025 3-4:30PM (ZOOM)	<p>Systems of Care</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The May Infrastructure meeting will consist of three presentations from Gary Blau, Ph.D., Judith Meyers, Ph.D., and Jeff Vanderploeg, Ph.D. Presentations will focus on history of systems of care in CT, process of embedding systems of care, and current landscape in CT The workgroup will spend the next few months focusing on Systems of Care in CT and other States.
Services Workgroup	June 7th, 2025 2-3:30PM (ZOOM)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Services Workgroup had a presentation on the Peer-to-Peer Support Study from CHDI at their April meeting. As Peer to peer is a priority for the group, CHDI will be coming back to present the results once complete. The workgroup additionally had a discussion around the Crisis Continuum Recommendation, and will be diving deeper into what data already exists and what does not
School Based	June 4th, 2025 3-4:30PM (ZOOM)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The School Based workgroup is focusing on their two priorities identified in the workplan, which include the School Based Health Center Study and the School Behavioral Health Services billing review. Based on conversation from the group, the workgroup began and will continue to brainstorm the scopes of the studies
Prevention	May 15th, 2025 3-4:30PM (ZOOM)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Prevention workgroup will have presentations regarding the SEPI CT Program, and Early Childhood Prevention. The group will begin mapping services, barriers to services, and data collection methods of services, and funding of services as identified in the workplan.

Mental Health Awareness Month

As we observe Mental Health Awareness Month, TYJI wanted to take a moment to express our sincere gratitude for your unwavering dedication to the well-being of Connecticut's children and families.

Your thoughtful collaboration, tireless advocacy, and commitment to meaningful policy change are making a lasting impact on the behavioral health landscape in our state. Through our collective efforts, we are not only transforming systems but also instilling hope in the lives of children, youth and families who deserve access to compassionate, effective care.

Thank you for the work you do—not just this month, but every day—to ensure that mental health remains a priority in our communities.

Community Engagement Interactive Focus Group Session

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TCB June Meeting: June 18th, 2025