




Children's CAP Meeting Agenda

Meeting Date: 4/14/23 **11:00 am-12 pm** **Next Meeting Date:** 5/12/2023 11:00-12:30

Co-Chairs: *Lisa Peterson-Lizun* (Allegheny Children's Initiative) *and* *Laura Haile* (Pittsburgh Mercy)

Participating Members: Aaron Libman, Sarah Fallica, Kristina Gibson, Heather Beachler, Jessica Speer, Melissa Cooper, Allyson Paracat Dixon, Kate Pompa, Barb Saunders, Susan Bayne, Sharon

Guests: n/a

Agenda Items	Discussion
Welcome	
RCPA Children's Committee Updates	Updates, Discussion & Collaboration with Jim Sharp, RCPA Children's Division Director: Jim is unable to attend April's meeting.
OMHSAS Telehealth- update	 OMHSAS-Interim-Tel ehealth-Guidance-3.30 Review and discussion – Laura/Heather at PMHS will ask their IT department for additional information on text verification for telehealth appointments recently implemented
Advocacy Opportunities	Review and updated CCBH Problematic Performance Standards (see attachment) Updated within document – see notes
Provider Updates & Announcements	
Wrap Up	DISCUSSION: In-person meetings or virtual? – Challenge of in person related to travel time for Big CAP meeting (in person), adjust time to account for travel, consider hybrid with meeting space at CLASS (same location as Big CAP) General CAP meeting 1-3pm TODAY- Government Relations 101; held at CLASS 1400 South Braddock Avenue, Pgh PA 15218 Next meeting Friday May 12, 11-12:30pm

2023 CAP Children's Committee Goals



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Mission Statement:

The mission of the Children’s Committee is to create a forum for advocacy on behalf of both member agencies and the children and families they serve. The committee provides education to its members on systemic and regulatory changes, practice developments, and issues of cultural importance to ensure that the services delivered are of the highest quality.

Children’s Division 2023 Goals	Action Items
<i>Continue to maintain a close partnership with OBH and CCBH to advocate for the workforce needs of the Child Behavioral Health Providers in Allegheny County</i>	March’s meeting- review of BH Fellows Program
<i>Align CAP goals with RCPA efforts to advocate for system change to meet the behavioral health needs of Allegheny County youth</i>	
<i>Advocate for eliminating the regulatory and Performance Standard requirements that do not have an impact on quality of care</i>	April’s meeting reviewed Problematic Performance Standards
<i>Promote awareness and use of 988</i>	SAMHSA has free products available – magnets, stickers, business cards; order through their website https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/988/partner-toolkit#printables
<i>Advocate that Parent Training be a separate billable service across service lines</i>	
<i>Continue to partner with each other to grow awareness of new and existing services within the child-serving system</i>	February meeting- Kids’ Club and Moms’ Empowerment presentation

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