



Children's CAP Meeting Agenda

Meeting Date: 6/9/23 11:00 am-12:30 pm Next Meeting Date: 9/8/2023 11:00-12:30

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

Participating Members: Sarah Fallica, Jenny Williams, Jim Boaks, Kaitlyn Campbell, Sharon, Susan Stewart-Bayne, Allyson Paracat Dixon

Guests: Jim Sharp

Agenda Items	Discussion
Welcome	
RCPA Children's Committee Updates	Updates, Discussion & Collaboration with Jim Sharp, RCPA Children's Division Director
OMHSAS Telehealth- update	CCBH FWA meeting highlights
Advocacy Opportunities	<p>Updates from SCU Directors meeting- Jim Boaks- see attached document</p> <p>IBHS provider meeting- updates from May providers meeting were reviewed. See attached checklist. Please see below.</p> <p>School-based providers meeting- updates from June's providers meeting- see below</p>
Provider Updates & Announcements	Western Behavioral Health Child Services referral phone number 412-246-6668 for triage and scheduling
Wrap Up	<p>Our meetings are hybrid- join us at CLASS if you wish!</p> <p>General CAP meeting 1-3pm- held at CLASS 1400 South Braddock Avenue, Pgh PA 15218</p> <p>Break for July/August – see everyone in September!</p>

2023 CAP Children's Committee Goals

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
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<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 May's meeting reviewed Acute PH updates June's meeting will review SC updates
<i>Promote awareness and use of 988</i>	SAMHSA has free products available – magnets, stickers, business cards; order through their website
<i>Advocate that Parent Training be a separate billable service across service lines</i>	RCPA IBHS Workgroup- who participates in this workgroup? Allyson Paracat-Dixon participates
<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 May meeting- Debbie from Allegheny Family Network provided overview of services. Sept/Oct Fathers Involved Now presentation.

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School Based Therapy Provider meeting Monday 6/5

- Impact of violence in the schools/community and it's effects on our staff and services.
- Higher need for services (higher risk kids) combined with staff turnover and slow hiring leading to decreased availability of services.
- A few schools have reported starting a partnership with a private practice clinician to take on some of the burden of commercial insurances.

IBHS

Here is the link to the slide deck that has the instructions for the 90 day reviews:

<https://providers.ccbh.com/uploads/files/IBHS/4-25-23-taylor-ibhs-process-auth-procedures-Final-RT.pdf>

CCBH will update as we go, however, likely won't tell providers that they are updating. A form hasn't been created, so providers will need to determine how to capture/make a form based on the guidance in the slide deck. The slides referencing this are on pages 71-84.



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Here are the directions to find the slide deck on the CCBH site: CCBH.com -> click for providers -> at the top bar Clinical Innovation and Publications -> drop down menu: Information and resources -> left side menu, click Child and Adolescent Treatment-> Intensive Behavioral Health Services