



Action & Family Council Workgroup

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Date: November 27th at 5:00pm or November 28th at 11:30am

Agenda

1. Group agreements.
2. Ice Breaker.
 - a. Would you rather be able to speak every language fluently and live the life you have now or only be able to speak your native language but have the power to travel anywhere in the world at any time?
3. Review Recommendation #2.
 - a. Create a centralized platform that fosters connectivity and seamless information sharing among providers, resulting in enhanced coordination and communication among professionals.
4. Why the recommendation was made, and which data supports this recommendation?
 - a. Need for enhanced coordination and communication.
 - b. Improve the quality of care.
 - c. Resource and data sharing.
 - d. Parent involvement and communication.
 - e. Professional development.
 - f. Regulatory compliance and cost savings.
5. Data to support the recommendation.
 - a. Quantitative.
 1. [IECAM](#).
 - ii. [Erikson Institute Illinois Risk and Reach Report - Interactive Map](#).
 - iii. [Illinois Action for Children Map](#).
 - b. Qualitative.
 - i. Region 45 Early Childhood Regional Needs Assessment.
 - ii. Surveys.
 - iii. Focus Groups.
 - iv. Interviews.
 - v. Family, caregivers, Early Childhood experts, and community feedback.
6. What are the goals that must be achieved to implement the recommendation?
 - a. Reviewed SMART goals and used Jamboard to brainstorm ideas related to completing our recommendation.
 - i. Collaboration with planning grant.
 - ii. Head Start for referrals.



- iii. Parent Cafes or informational flyers that healthcare providers could provide to caregivers.
- iv. IRIS.
- v. Resource fairs.
- vi. Collaborate with hospitals for professional development.
- vii. Joint screenings with Head Start/PFA/Child care centers.
- viii. Quarterly meetings.
- ix. Local Early Childhood Group.
- x. Grants and funding opportunities.

Before next meeting...

- Review the updated Action Plan for recommendation 2.
- There will only be one meeting for the month of December.
 - Family Council - December 13th at 5:00 pm.
 - Action Council - December 14th at 11:30 am.