



Pulling Together for the Children of Frederick County

**Frederick County Interagency Early Childhood Committee
A Subcommittee of the Local Management Board
MHA Community Services Wing
Meeting Agenda**

August 1, 2019

Present- Shannon Alshire, Leslie Barnes-Keating, Nancy Boyd, Steve Buckley, Diana Fulchiron, Malcolm Fugol, Colleen Guardia, Dr. James Lee, Kathy Long, Barbara May, Jim Miller, Patty Morrison, Cathy Nusbaum, Terri Ridenour, Pat Rosensteel, Ann Ryan, Ginny Simoneau, Janet Speak, Shelly Toms, Amy Tzortzinis

- Meeting Minutes Recorder: Steve Buckley
- Welcome and Introductions: Janet Vogel
- Review and Approval of Minutes – Nancy Boyd made a motion to approve and Diana Fulchiron seconded the motion. All were in favor with no corrections.
- Meeting Minute Sign Up for 2019-2020 was passed around.
- Preschool Development Grant Update -The IECC was awarded \$25,000 from the Preschool Development Grant. We may have an opportunity for additional funding in the future that is tied to the Grant. Start time is July 1 and it ends in December so it's a quick 6 month grant.
- Strategic Planning: Pat Rosensteel presented the Strategic Planning timeline. Due to the short time frame, Pat will need assistance to complete the process. Pat passed out a timeline for the next couple of months for the group to view. For the next meeting it was suggested that the group each bring their own laptop use for data searches as the meeting will be from 12-3. The start of the meeting will be focused on data entry with the IECC meeting happening after the data search is complete. The group reviewed links for the data review that Pat has already provided. From September to November Pat will compile the data finding. Then on November 7th will be a full day strategic planning event from 8:30 to 3 at MHA with lunch provided. In January Pat will send the final report to MSDC and then IECC member begin work on the action plan.
- IECC Community Summit featuring Harvard Center for the Developing Child (10/22): Janet Vogel presented on behalf of Pilar Olivo. The IECC Community Summit will be held on Tuesday October 22nd at the ARC from 8am-2pm. Registration fee will be \$25 to cover the cost of breakfast & lunch. Scholarships will be available for those who need it. The group is working on CEU's for a

variety of professions. The title is still in draft stage and will be shared by the time registration opens on August 15. A keynote and breakout sessions will be part of the presentation. Shelly Toms stated that Pilar will have a google doc available to add people who should be invited to the summit so we have a variety of stakeholders attending.

- Childcare Provider Conference (11/2): Patty Morison discussed the Childcare Provider Conference that is scheduled for 11/2/19 at FCC. It is building off of last year's conference. They are working on getting approval and the tentative title name is Learning Day 2019 Mind Management - Just Breathe. Frank Kros from Transformation Institute will be the speaker. The cost will be \$60 but early bird registration will be \$50. Child care providers will get CEU's since they are target audience.
- Summary and Next Steps: Janet Vogel
 - Sign up to help! With IECC Community Summit featuring Harvard Center for the Developing Child at the ARC was sent around to the group. If anyone else would like to help with planning or on the day of, please let Janet know.
 - There maybe an additional grant for IECC to apply for. It would be a three year grant and it's on the horizon. Details will be shared as we know them.
 - Community foundation has grants open up until August 15th with a starting date of November 1st.

ACEs Workgroup Report to IECC

- Frederick County Health Care Coalition has adopted one of the ACEs Workgroup Cycle 3 Recommendations and will receive training on ACEs on September 26 – using the Brain Architecture Game. Other recommendations are still under consideration.
- ACEs Workgroup announced that Frederick County Office for Children and Families has secured funding for the following initiatives:
 - GOVERNOR'S OFFICE FOR CHILDREN GRANT — ~\$9,000
 - INTEGRATION OF PRIMARY AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE
 - DIVERSITY & INCLUSION: STRATEGIES TO UNDO IMPLICIT BIAS
 - COUNTY BUDGET for ACEs Initiatives — \$20,000 July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020. FUND USE: Goals will be identified by the ACEs workgroup and presented to the OCF Director by the ACEs Liaison. Funds can be used for community wide education and to support new initiatives.
 - ACEs Workgroup voted to explore in-person workshop on ACEs Screening Implementation with National Pediatric Practice Community on ACEs and Center for Youth Wellness. Pilar has made the request, has followed up and is awaiting a response.
 - Additional ideas recommended for consideration include funding the mental health provider survey, a team visit to a universal newborn home visiting program called Family Connects in Durham,

NC, and funding for printing an updated infographic and other materials on ACEs for targeted audiences

- ACEs Workgroup finalized a logic model on ACEs and created a draft action plan. Pilar will be presenting virtually on Friday, August 9 to the FMH Leadership Team – hopefully within the room support from the Workgroup Leader Team including Katherine Murray, Shannon Aleshire, Malcolm Furgol, Lynn Davis and Hannah Cobb.
- Jay Hessler from Frederick County Health Department is being trained as an ACE Interface Master Trainer. He's committed to doing four trainings over the course of the next year.
- Networking

Cathy Nusbaum- FCPS is expanding full day Prek programing, for this school year, FCPS will have 9 classrooms Prek classrooms in 8 schools.

Colleen Guardia-Head Start is excited to be able to open more spots with the expansion but they only have a few spots left.

Malcolm Furgol- United Way - Collecting school supplies for stuff the bus pick up dates will need volunteers to help. You can go to united way website to sign up.

Friday Oct 4th day of action event.

2020 Census is coming, a group will be meeting shortly to look at making sure that everyone is participating in the census in Frederick County. There is a lot of federal funding that is tied to our census count so it will be important to document all residents. Summit of Intersections will be held on September 27th. Shannon Aleshire will send out more detailed information as it becomes available.

Shelly Toms-Family Partnership - Resilience conference will be held in Baltimore in October for those interested.

Janet Vogel- Frederick County Public Libraries' Myersville branch opening August 24.

Nancy Boyd- Asian American Center - Frederick Community health fair will be Saturday October 26th

2:15 Adjourn

Next Meeting – September 5, 2019 12 – 3 p.m.

(bring your lunch and a laptop if you have one)

Minute Recorder – Barb May

Presentation – Pat Rosensteel, Strategic Planning

Important Upcoming Events:

10/3: October IECC meeting (1-2:30)

10/22: IECC Community Summit (8am – 2pm)

11/2: Childcare Provider Conference (7:30-4)

11/7: IECC meeting 8:30-3 (for strategic planning; lunch provided)