

Kansas Interagency Coordinating Council on Early Childhood Developmental Services

Meeting Minutes
Topeka, KS
August 16, 2019
1:00 PM

Members Present

David Lindeman, Chair & Regents Representative
Lisa Collette, Vice-Chair & Insurance Commission Representative
Natalie McClane, Kansas State Dept. of Education (KSDE)
Karen Pahls, Provider Member
Ann Elliott, Provider Member
Kate Walter, Parent Member
Alix Kumer, Provider Member
Laci Reamer, Parent Member (Families Together)
Elizabeth Brunscheen-Cartagena, Parent Member
Lesli Girard, Provider Member (Families Together)
Gary Henault, KDADS

Members Not Present

Stacy Harvey, Parent Member
Heather Staab, Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE)
Nichelle Adams, Kansas Dept. for Children and Families (DCF)

Nonmembers Present

Shannon McMahon, Head Start
Kim Kennedy, Kansas Dept. for Children and Families (DCF)
Jordan Christian, SICCC Staff Person
Megan Smith, KU CPPR
Nis Wilbur, KSDE
Bert Moore, KSDE
Michelle Kelly, PAT

Call to order: Chair Dave Lindeman introduced himself and called the meeting to order with introductions of all present and on the phone (it was noted that there was a quorum).

Meeting Minutes:

No minutes from the June Strategic Planning meeting since discussions took place in small groups.

Meeting agenda:

The agenda for August 2019 was reviewed and approved with edits.

Kate Walter – Made motion to accept agenda

Lisa Collette – 2nd motion

Motion carried – All members voted yes

Public Comments:

-None

Kansas Parents as Teachers Overview (Nis Wilbur):

- PAT is a nationally recognized non-profit specializing in parent education
- Levels of model:
 - Subscribed user (research informed)
 - Provisional Affiliate (evidence-based)
 - Model Affiliate (evidence-based)
 - Blue Ribbon Affiliate (evidence-based)
- Curriculum developer and national training center
- KSDE serves as Liaison between local programs and PATNC
- Training and Technical Assistance
- Annual Coordinators' Meeting
- Monthly Webinars
- Kansas Home Visiting partner
 - <http://www.kshomevisiting.org>
- Monthly Webinars: <https://ksde-tasn.adobeconnect.com/a1089458390/kansas-earlychildhood/>
 - September 27
 - October 18
 - November 15
 - January 10
 - February 14
 - April 3
 - May 8
- Parents as Teachers affiliate model grant program
- \$8.4 million grant
- Children's Initiatives Fund (CIF)
- Kansas Children's Cabinet and Trust Fund (KCCTF)
- 61 fiscal agents
- 159 school districts (56% of total)
- Three new programs for 2019-2020

- Affiliate Data 2017 – 2018 Kansas Affiliate Performance Report:
 - 8,500 children in 6,600 families
 - Employs 255 Parent Educators
 - 69% BA, 19% MA
 - 53% enrolled between birth and 11 months
 - 87% children received a complete screening
 - 1,138 potential delays identified
 - 501 received follow-up services (44% of 1,148)

Local PAT Overview (Michelle Kelly):

- Started during the 1989-90 school year. 30th anniversary.
- Funded through KSDE matching grant with Blue Valley School District
- Open to ALL families who live in Blue Valley and have a child prenatal-3 years
- Families can receive a total of 3 years of service and then move to our PTA and preschool.
- Waiting list is prioritized by but most first time parents receive services
- 1st time parents with child under one year
- Screenings Offered:
 - Developmental- ASQ
 - Social and Emotional- ASQ SE
 - Health-Questionnaire
 - Hearing-OAE machine
 - Vision-SPOT screener
- PAT by the numbers for 2018-19 School Year
 - 4588 Home Visits Conducted
 - 640 Families and 828 children received service
 - 191 families reported at least one stressor:
 - 2 teen parents,
 - 78 with developmental or health concerns
 - 10 parents with disability or health condition
 - 19 parents with mental health concerns
 - 30 low income
 - 67 recent immigrants
 - 3 In Foster care
- **PICCOLO-** Parenting Interactions with Children Checklist of Observations Linked to Outcomes
 - 29 Parent Behaviors that support Early Development
 - Outcomes Include: more secure attachment, improved school readiness, improvement in all developmental domains, better ability to regulate emotions, fewer behavior problems, more empathy, more willingness to try challenging tasks

Annual Planning Meeting Review:

Discussion regarding the outcomes and goals following the June meeting.
(Handout)

- Official Action to create Permanent LICC Retreat Planning and Support Committee, and maintain other committees from FY18.
Kate Walter – Made motion to accept agenda
Lisa Collette – 2nd motion
Motion carried – All members voted yes

Committee Reports:

Executive Committee – per Lisa Collette – approved agenda for May meeting and began discussion of the LICC Annual Retreat.

SPP/APR – per Heather Staab – no updates.

Early Childhood/Funding Workgroup- per Kim Kennedy- No meeting.

Social-Emotional Workgroup – per Karen Pahls- Mental Health Update from Lee Stickle with KSDE TASN. Creation of a school mental health guide on the TASN website. About 20% of students in KS are identified with mental health needs, but roughly only 1/3 of these students receive services. Plan on doing another ACEs overview and possible presentation. Using the interconnected systems framework to collaborate with providers in communities across KS.

Agency Reports:

KSDE – per Natalie McClane –

- 8,864 **Preschool-Aged At-Risk** slots to 231 districts
- Last year we awarded 8064 slots to 216 districts
- \$8,332,317 in **Kansas Preschool Pilot** Grants were awarded to 103 programs
- Last year we awarded \$7,365,271 to about 60 programs

DCF – per Nichelle Adams – handout provided.

KDHE – per Heather Staab – none.

Insurance – per Lisa Collette – no report.

Families Together – per Laci Reamer- handout provided.

Others –

Other Reports:

Staff – handout provided. Annual report shared and will be reviewed by members. Will then be submitted with edits prior to August 30th.

Chair Report – no report.

Adjournment:

Lisa Collette – Made motion to adjourn the meeting

Alix Kumer – 2nd motion

Motion carried – All members voted yes. Meeting adjourned at 4:05 pm.

The next State ICC meeting will be on Friday, September 20.