

Children's Long-Term Support Council Agenda
 June 26th, 2007 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
 LaQuinta Hotel 5217 East Terrace Drive Madison, WI

10:00 -10:15	Welcome, Logistics, Approval of Minutes	Liz Hecht, Chairperson
10:15-11:15	<p>Outcomes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Council members were asked to take the web-based outcomes training provided by DHFS. The training was designed for county service coordinators that work within the Long-term care system. The training was an overview of the adult and children's system as it relates to outcome-based service planning. ▪ The Children's Section within DHFS plans to implement a Phase II for service coordinators that focus specifically on minor children and their families. ▪ <i>What are the steps that service coordinators can take to fully involve families in this type of planning process?</i> ▪ <i>How can we work with support and service coordinators to assure that services are planned using outcomes to address child and family needs?</i> 	<p>Beth Wroblewski and Diane Fett from Fond du Lac County</p> <p>Discussion facilitated by Liz Hecht</p>
11:15 – 11:30	Break	
11:30- 12:30	<p>Family Care Expansion and the impact on Children</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ With the expansion of Family Care, Council members have asked about funding streams and the transition of children into the adult system. ▪ <i>How will counties and the state monitor the impact of Family Care expansion on children including the impact on funding and provider networks in specific counties?</i> ▪ <i>Will a child be required to transition to Family Care, if so at what age?</i> 	<p>Beth Wroblewski and Diane Fett from Fond du Lac County</p> <p>Discussion facilitated by Liz Hecht</p>
12:30 – 1:00	Lunch - Public Comment	
1:00 – 2:00	<p align="center">Standing Agenda Items</p> <p>DHFS Update State Budget Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Managed care pilots for children were proposed by Governor Doyle. ▪ Joint Finance action on funding for children with long-term needs. ▪ <i>What are the implications for children with long-term support needs?</i> <p>A Family Care Ombudsman motion related to the budget included additional funding (\$4M in the next biennium) for children with long-term needs. http://dhfs.wisconsin.gov/managedltc/generalinfo/pdf/jfcmotion340.pdf</p> <p>Autism Council Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Basics of Intensive In-home treatment training. <p>Family Support Program Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Legislature is considering a proposal for a Family Support policy that will require all counties to serve new children based on urgency of needs rather than purely first-come-first-serve basis. ▪ <i>The criteria for priority of new service funds will be set forth by DHFS with input from the Children's Council. What types of situations and needs should be considered? Need a subgroup to begin work on this issue.</i> <p>Pilot Counties</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A meeting of pilot counties is being scheduled in August 2007. ▪ <i>What role would the Children's Council like to take at this meeting?</i> ▪ <i>What dates work best for interested Council Members?</i> 	<p>Liz Hecht, chairperson</p> <p>Beth Wroblewski, DHFS</p>
2:00 – 2:30	<p>Council Member Opening (handout)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ There is an opening for a parent representative on the council and the Secretary's office is recruiting. ▪ Council members are encouraged to share the application with parent groups and listserves 	Katie Sepnieski, DHFS
2:30 -3:00	<p>Wrap-Up</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Future meeting agenda items/2008 Council meeting dates. 	Liz Hecht, Chairperson