

**Children 's Advisory**  
**Previously-Medicaid & Kids Minutes**  
**Sept 11, 2013**

*The committee sends get well wishes for Carol!!*

**Attendance:** Pamela Bisceglia, Christy Blakely, Meredith Henry, Tiffani Rathbun, Candice Bailey, Connie Lipski, Genene Duran, Emily Moncrief, Lois Jacobs, Erika Walczak, Sheila Peil, Jennifer Brodis, Linda Colangelo

**UPDATES:**

**Medically Fragile:**

The Children's waiver for medically fragile is training in Nov. Dates will be sent out  
\*\*\*There is a new 100.2 for children in clearance!

Make a report out for the children's advisory

Send History of the step down to??

**CES-** 532 new resources, 299 have been distributed (approx.) 75 per month taking kids off both waiting lists!

**CHCBS:**

Children's waitlist coming down -now under 100.

Note: FVCO needs to share with pediatricians about the Medicaid buy in. & waivers  
FVCO should be at Med & Kids (discussion). Christy will speak with Tom.

Eligibility MAGI in CBMS accountable resources CBMS

Modified and Adjusts Gross Income (MAGI) calculates the 5 % disregard and all changes.

Nov eligibility CCMU- Connect for CO (? & Lois will be trying to finding Jessica Dunbare to come talk) They will find someone from PEAK too!

**PEDIATRIC ACCUITY TOOL**

The tool is in the testing phase. The new tool separates CNA and RN levels. Skilled and unskilled modifiers will be used to calculate care requirements. Modifiers are the impact of need by patient which causes CNA to take more time. (think: sensory, challenges) There has been time and intent put into the scoring. Michelle Miller is working on stats as part of the testing phase.

This note makes no sense but I know it was to myself to do some introduction of two groups working in same problem! Connect folks doing PCP with Bonnie Silva and Sheila for PCP benefit under EPSDT.

**FOLLOW UP NEW BUSINESS:**

- The Children's Advisory (meets last Friday at every month at Daniels Fund early AM) should be in collaboration and reporting out at each meeting.
- Think about waiver redesign until CFC-Community first choice, how should they be organized.

**Possible problems with waiver implementation:**

1. (CWA) When a family moves from one county to another, Does an evaluation still need to be completed? Differently being done throughout CO.
2. CES and DD is state wide now- depends on the agency and which program they are applying for.

Next meeting Wed Oct 9, 2013 at CDPHE.

1. Presentation by Matt Ullrich, J.D. and Nikki Lemon,  
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