Public comment procedures

Public Comment at each task force meeting

- The task force will continue the practice of offering a time for public comment at each meeting.
- Those wishing to speak should sign-in prior to or during the meeting.
- Public comments will be documented at each meeting identifying key points.
- Personal stories, while valuable in describing the issue, can be difficult to document. If you would NOT like these stories in the public meeting record (on the website), please state that in your comments. If you would like the details of your story in the record, please submit it in writing to the task force. First names will be used but last names will be redacted.

Use of public comments

- The public comments at each task force meeting will be used to assist in the design of the task force’s annual meeting for public comment.
- Public comments at task force meetings will be combined with comments at the annual public comment meeting to provide feedback on the task force work.

Task force member role during public comments

- Task force members are not expected to respond to every question or comment made during the public comment speaker.
- Task force members are here to impact policy on child support services and not to address individual situations on child support.