

# CRP Meeting

## on Monday, April 21, 2025

### 4:30 PM

<p>Welcome and updates: (20 mins: Dr. Beatric, Co-chair)</p>	<p>a. Get to know you question. (Scott Hemenway, co-chair)</p> <p>i. Are you an early bird or night owl?</p> <p>b. ACTION ITEM: Approval of Feb. and March meeting minutes.</p> <p>c. Update on recruitment</p> <p>d. ACTION ITEM: Recommendation for appointment</p> <p>i. Darringer Funches</p> <p>ii. Sarah Driever</p>
<p>Department updates from Hennepin County</p>	<p>a. Minnesota African American Family Preservation and Child Welfare Disproportionately Act update (Lori)</p> <p>b. Active efforts discussion and the difference in child protection response (CP staff)</p> <p><b>Allison speaks on the phased in process of Active Efforts</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Things we are being more intentional on such as transport, fathers, services (no waiting lists, fast referrals, culturally appropriate services)</li> <li>• Active efforts not new for Hennepin, as it has been done in ICWA prior</li> <li>• Actively working towards eliminating barriers</li> <li>• Addressing staffing capacity</li> <li>• Lori presented statics regarding Hennepin implantation for the phase in plan (898 screened in q1)</li> <li>• Reducing disparities and shrinking the timeline of clow risk cases is the main goals</li> </ul> <p><b>Update from Community Engagement</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fathers event was successful- collected meaningful data</li> <li>• A Mosque asked Hennepin to do a safety presentation for their family day</li> <li>• Presentations for Latino community from Urban Ventures</li> <li>• Rachel (ICWA) replacement is in the process of being hired</li> </ul> <p><b>Collaborative Safety:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We have another training coming in May that is virtual session - May 7th 1-4</li> <li>• Please reach out to Kimmett to attend and notify of completion</li> <li>• Upcoming case review: FGDM areas - critical family response meetings</li> <li>• May 6th and May 8th sessions</li> <li>• Stream lining process so the process is not as cumbersome</li> </ul>

<p>Dept. of Children, Youth, and Families (20 mins County Staff and Gapske)</p>	<p>a. MN AAFPCWDA Courts implementation work group</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A. Approved new hires to CRP by vote</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">B. Since Jan 1, 2025, over 300 families have benefited from the law of AAFPCWDA</p> <p>. ii. Only 10 petitions have been filed</p> <p>iii. Staff are finding ways to have better engagement with families and connecting them with resources</p> <p>iiiv. Parents are still struggling with understanding their right to counsel</p> <p>v. Upcoming trainings from Court Justice Initiative and MN Courts to support the work</p> <p>b. Other Citizen Review Panels and Children’s Justice Act task force project updates</p>
<p>V. Citizen Review Panel Funding \$4,560 expires on June 30, 2025</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We might identify safety mapping funding needs next year</li> <li>• This year we will need to spend our allocated amount if we could</li> <li>• Gift cards to Forster parents</li> <li>• Allie- training protective factors care givers (might not have time for this)</li> <li>• Laura: safe and together model training</li> <li>• Food for the picnic</li> <li>• The national CRP conference</li> <li>• VOTE: Gift cards for foster families during foster parents picnic</li> </ul>
<p>Attendance</p>	<p>Allie Dischinger</p> <p>Allison Boynes</p> <p>Camrin Hatchett</p> <p>Darringer Funched</p> <p>Dominique Brown</p> <p>Emma Daugherty</p> <p>Jamal Mohammed</p> <p>Jill Esch</p> <p>Josefina G</p> <p>Kal Ajmi</p> <p>Kimberly Blaney</p> <p>Kimette Almon</p> <p>Laura Gapske</p> <p>Lori Munsterman</p> <p>Marquita Ryan</p> <p>Mary Kane</p> <p>Scott Hemenway</p> <p>Suzanne Kpowulu</p>