



Intergenerational Advisory Committee

Tuesday, April 16, 2019

Multi-Agency State Office Building
195 North 1950 West Salt Lake City
Conference Room 1020C

Meeting Minutes

Committee: Bishop David Burton, Terry Haven for Lincoln Nehring, Aimee Winder Newton, Rev. Steven Klemz, Dr. Roy Neal Davis, Doug Goldsmith, Ben Gibbs, Bill Crim, Jennifer Godfrey

Staff Support: Casey Cameron, Tracy Gruber, Montana Meyers

Attendees: Paul Mero, Nic Dunn, Lana Stohl, Kelsey Martinez, Jeremias Solari, Liz Radley, Sheila Walsh, Greg Paras, Patty Norman

Via Phone Attendees: TJ Seegmiller, Mary Beth Vogel-Ferguson, Dee Alstop

Agenda Item	Discussion	Recommendations/Action
<p>Welcome, Approval of Minutes, and Opening Business</p>	<p>Bishop Burton welcomed the group and new Members to the Committee. Introductions were made.</p>	<p>Bishop Burton called for a motion to approve the 11/14/2018 minutes. Aimee Winder Newton motioned to approve the minutes. Bill Crim seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Minutes approved.</p>
<p>2019 Annual Report</p>	<p>i. Jeremias Solari discussed the 2019 Annual Report</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. Mr. Solari indicated the 2019 Annual Report will be broken into 3 parts; Executive Summary, DWS-WRA report, and Commission report. The internal portions and feedback will be needed by Mid July 2019. Editing process from mid-July-mid-August. This report will be published October 2019.</p> <p>Bishop Burton reminded the Committee to think about how they'd like to be involved once the report is released and if they'd like to be involved in the development policy recommendations to propose to the Commission in an upcoming joint IGP Commission/IGP Advisory Committee meeting.</p>	
<p>Families Experiencing IGP</p>	<p>i. Paul Mero indicated one of the issues he found during his involvement of the strategic plan facilitation were more non cognitive than cognitive. Dee Alstop referred to the Intergenerational Poverty Project handout to provide a summary on the Next Generation Freedom Fund. The key findings;</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">a. Many IGP families do not see anything wrong or bad about their current situations</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">b. Teen years can be isolating, and by staying close to home IGP teens have a limited</p>	

	<p>view of how life can be.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> c. Self-sufficiency is not highly valued among IGP population d. Mentors are important for teens and IGP parents don't believe their teens have mentors outside the family. <p>Based off the evidence, IGP teens were happier in their current living situations rather than teens who are not IGP. The entire survey is online at the Next Generation Freedom Fund website. Mr. Mero stated that a lot of the IGP children have goals to have a very successful career but their world views are limited as many of them have never left their own County and a lot of them have faced trauma in their lives. These children don't see anything wrong with their current situation as it is the only situation they know, so the only way to break the culture down is to provide other real life culture and experiences outside of their current culture.</p> <p>Ms. Gruber asked about the states involved and asked Mr. Alstop to go through the different states that were involved in the distribution. Mr. Alstop said for the first phase, more than half of the interviews were done in Utah. In Phase two, it was representative as a nation as a whole and Utah was a small fraction of that.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ii. Councilwoman Aimee Winder-Newton explained in SL County they put together an IGP task force. They focused on the zip 84119 (West Valley), which has the highest population of IGP families and children. They sent out surveys to over 800 people in the 84119 zip code and only received 10 responses back and provided some of the responses returned. Ms. Winder-Newton stated one of the most helpful things they did was interview 5 women, who went through the Circles program. The women provided a lot of insight on hardships, particularly rapid rehousing. The woman also indicated that the Circles Program, Headstart, The Children's Center, CAP all really help. All five women have higher ACES scores and are dealing with childhood trauma. Ms. Winder-Newton indicated they are having a housing round table with a panel of these women to talk about housing and barriers during a Circles Meeting, on May 23, 2019. Casey Cameron mentioned responses around public assistance, Situational changes are problematic. Ms. Cameron suggested that DWS be involved in process going forward to help remedy the issues. iii. Mary Beth Vogel-Ferguson explained the work from Social Research Institute has provided better understanding of customers. Ms. Vogel-Ferguson provided a couple of points to look at going forward. A lot of the data they looked at shows challenges and backgrounds that these adults on public benefits face, most of which were also on public benefits as children. Partnering with parents to teach them skills, while also working with the children, will set the families up for a better chance of breaking the cycle. 	
Resilient Utah Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Doug Goldsmith referred to the Building Partnerships to Create a Trauma-Informed Utah handout to explain a summary of the survey that was conducted. 644 surveys were 	

	<p>completed.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Implementing a trauma-informed approach is appropriate in our agency/organization</td> <td>82.4% Agree or Strongly Agree</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Our agency/organization needs to implement a trauma-informed approach.</td> <td>70.5% Agree or Strongly Agree</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Our agency/organization has already taken steps toward implementing a trauma-informed approach.</td> <td>59.8% Agree or Strongly Agree</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Would your agency/organization be interested in participating in future Trauma-Informed collaboration efforts to build a trauma-informed State of Utah?</td> <td>76.1% Yes definitely or Yes possibly</td> </tr> </table> <p>a. Mr. Goldsmith indicated their committee is seeking the guidance of the IGP Advisory Committee to determine future steps and stated they will keep looking at the data and bring back observations and recommendations.</p>	Implementing a trauma-informed approach is appropriate in our agency/organization	82.4% Agree or Strongly Agree	Our agency/organization needs to implement a trauma-informed approach.	70.5% Agree or Strongly Agree	Our agency/organization has already taken steps toward implementing a trauma-informed approach.	59.8% Agree or Strongly Agree	Would your agency/organization be interested in participating in future Trauma-Informed collaboration efforts to build a trauma-informed State of Utah?	76.1% Yes definitely or Yes possibly	
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Follow- up Items	<p>i. IGP County Grants. Tracy Gruber explained there are 6 Counties that are receiving funding due to the legislatures appropriations of money last legislative session. They are implementing the County plans they developed in 2016 & 2017. Quarterly report only covered data from 9/1/19-12/31/19. The next report is due end of April 2019 which will include data up through the end of March 2019. Contracts have been extended through the end of December 2019. Legislature has appropriated additional funding for another round of grants. Any County that isn't currently receiving funding, but has a plan that aligns with the Commission's 5 & 10 year plan that they want to implement, has the ability to apply for the new funding.</p> <p>ii. Sanpete Pilot. Tracy Gruber explained that the IGP Commission instructed the agencies to develop a pilot to determine best approach in coordinating services to families experiencing IGP. They reached out to families experiencing IGP with children ages 3-5. Sanpete has a High Quality Preschool Programs available to accept children covered by the IGP scholarships. DWS sent out a mailing to all families, followed up with phone calls, & only 8 consent forms were returned. Sanpete School District hired an Early Childhood Liaison, who is the centralized individual reaching out to the families that signed the consent forms.</p>									
Public Comment	<p>i. Committee Member Aimee Winder-Newton and Casey Cameron (DWS) to meet in regards to the possible creation of a Subcommittee to take on some of the challenges they face regarding the Federal guidelines on public assistance.</p>									
Adjournment	Bishop Burton adjourned the meeting.	Bishop Burton adjourned the meeting.								