Policy Council on Children and Youth
& Mendocino Child Abuse Prevention Council

Draft Minutes
August 15, 2019

OPEN MEETING/CALL TO ORDER/ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

Members present: Jena Conner, Roseane Ibarra, John Haschak, Camille Schraeder, Josie Loomis, Sheryn Hildebrand, Cindi Mockel, and Teri Sedrick via Phone

Non Members present: Victoria Kelly, Emily, Heidi, Justin Benninger

CONSENT ITEMS:
Quorum Check: Requirement Met.

Cindi Mockel motions to approve 5/16/19 Minutes, John Hashak seconds. Motion passes.

BUILDING COMMUNITY RESILIENCE

Presentation on the prevalence of ACES.
What are ACEs and how to combat them.

- ACEs stands for “Adverse Childhood Experiences”
- Is one ACE more damaging than another?
  - Abuse, poverty, substance abuse, and death in the family are all equally damaging.
- California, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota had the highest rates of ACEs.
- Find communities with a low rate of ACEs and try to duplicate the preventative measures.
- Reduce and/or eliminate behaviors that normalize ACEs.
- Seek out behaviors that may unintentionally cause ACEs.
- Implement antiACEs strategies as a community.

REVIEW OF OCAP

Review of OCAP moved to Feb. meeting.
Reports

Reports from standing committees.

Children’s Health Committee
Danger of smoking and vaping to youth. Youth’s are getting hospitalized due to vaping. Public Health is working on a proposal to ban flavored Nicotine.

Childhood Trauma Action Team
Make sure the trainings are not duplicated. Event planned for June.

ADJOURN MEETING
Meeting Closed 1:03.

Next Meetings:
- December 5, 2019 from 11:30am to 1pm
  890 N. Bush Street, Ukiah CA 95482 and teleconference available