- PCCY Mission Statement -

It is the mission of the Policy Council on Children and Youth to:

- Provide leadership regarding issues that affect children, youth, and families in Mendocino County through collaboration, cooperation, training, needs assessments, analysis, information dissemination, and advocacy;

- Increase the accessibility of needed services, which are culturally relevant and sensitive, for all our community’s children;

- Work to ensure that services for children are affordable for all families;

- Develop a collaborative, comprehensive, non-duplicative service system, which includes prevention through treatment approaches to meet the needs of children, while being as effective and efficient as possible;

- Create and enable implementation of practical and relevant public policies and legislation which directly increases the health, welfare, and educational opportunities for children, youth, and families;

- Educate our community concerning the needs of children, and the roles community members can play in promoting the health and welfare of our children, youth, and families; and

- Create opportunities for individuals and agencies involved with children, youth, and families in our county, to meet, share information, and participate in the planning and decisions concerning our future.