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| Purpose designed to influence the functioning of local, state, and child-serving systems, and to promote proactive changes that will improve access to, and the quality of, services for families and youth with complex behavioral health challenges, and the outcomes they experience. | Mission through respectful partnerships, families, youth, systems and communities will effectively collaborate to proactively influence, and provide leadership to address challenges and barriers faced by the behavioral health service system for children, youth, and families in Washington State. | Vision To bring all necessary parties together to contribute to continuous improvement to children’s behavioral | Ground Rules All FYSPRT attendees should have a chance to speak, express their own ideas and feelings freely, and pursue and finish out their thoughtsEveryone has an equal opportunity to share their voice and viewA variety of points of view are to be put forward and discussed during meetingsAll attendees should work to remain open-mindedStay true to the FYSPRT goalsParticipants can interpret topics openly and honestlyAll respectful feedback is welcomed |
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| Agenda Items | Discussion & Notes |
| **Welcome & Introductions** **(5 minutes)****Youth Tri lead-Baltazar Torres** | Sarah Gillard presented the welcome and facilitated introductions in the absence of both Jill and Baltazar. |
| **Meeting Minutes****(10 minutes)****System Tri lead-Jill Mulhausen** | Meeting minutes from December 12, 2019 and January 9, 2020 were reviewedMotion made by: \_\_Carolyn Cox\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_Cindy Adams\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Did the vote carry? YES |
| **Youth Movement Survey** | Sarah explained about the Youth Movement Survey, noting she will send a link to it to everyone who attended the January and February meetings. The survey is long, but will provide really good feedback for how to incorporate youth and young adult voices in our meetings.Sarah noted that we expect a WISe Update at our next meeting. Christine Michelson, a representative from HCA, will provide the most current information available  |
| **Planning for Mental Health Awareness Month Event** | Lindy from CIS reported they are still in the process of confirming venues and events. |
| **Roundtable** | **Providers*** Matt Keumpel from Lutheran reported they are continuing to grow. A recent family initiated treatment took 3 appointments and two weeks to get them enrolled.
* Andy Esparza attended his first FYSPRT meeting representing Merit Resource Services. Merit is a nonprofit that has been local for just a couple of years, but they have been in Yakima for 40 years. They do SUD for adults and youth, including walk-in assessments with no waiting period. They work with private pay as well as state funds.
* Comprehensive reported they have families enrolled in their New Journey’s program.

**Community*** Sarah noted last year’s SIOL conference was very good and that it is being held in Tacoma on May 28, 2020 per the flyer in the packet. Sarah also announced the new Daybreak facility in Spokane has opened, offering E&T for ages 12 to 17 for in-patient and SUD residential.
* Ombuds, Cindy Adams, explained the bill that has gone to legislature that will significantly change the Ombuds system for Washington State. There will be a State Ombuds office with regional managers. She addressed the peer respite committee that is Medicaid related. There are many details to work out. It’s not perfect, but a great start.
* Carolyn Cox announced the SPARK program is now a 501C3. There is a lot developing as they approach their one year anniversary. The have been invited to do a poster session in Florida and have their night class program up and running with 19 students enrolled. Apprenticeships will begin soon and students are preparing. A couple of the students are participating in a Youth Leadership training workshop in May. SPARK is in the process of creating a toolkit to assist in the creation of new SPARK programs and would welcome any ideas or resources.
* Community schools have partnered with Safe Harbor to provide homeless families a one-time assistance of $500.
* Ruvine of League of Education Voters asked for information on anything relating to educational legislation. They are working with several cities including Tri-Cities, Yakima, and Walla Walla to identify barriers and promoting dual credit options. Ruvine also mentioned she is a representative for NAMI. They meet 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at Lourdes Counseling Center.
* Kris noted a recent CLIP meeting, which is the first one in quite awhile. He will continue to update as information is available.
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| **Closing Announcements and Evaluation****(5 minutes)** | **Please fill out your FYSPRT evaluation and turn it into the basket labeled “FYSPRT Evaluations.” Thank you!**\*\*Families and youth: For mileage or childcare reimbursement, see Sherel Webb\*\* |
| Regional FYSPRT meeting dates | March 12, 2020 ***PLEASE NOTE LOCATION: Phoenix High School, 1315 W. 4th Avenue, Kennewick, WA 99336*** |
| State FYSPRT meeting dates | February 26, 2020 June 4, 2020August 13, 2020November 17, 2020Meeting Time 9:30am-3pmBlake Office Park, West Building Chelan/Roosevelt Rooms: 4450 10th Avenue SE Lacey, WA 98503 |

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