# **Washington System of Care Statewide FYSPRT**

**Date:** June 22, 2023 **Time:** 3:00pm – 5:00pm

Approximately 48 attendees representing the following: Amerigroup, Carelon, Catholic Community Services, A Common Voice, Community Health Plan of Washington, Community Youth Services, Coordinated Care Washington, DadsMOVE, Department of Children Youth and Families, Great Rivers Regional FYSPRT, Great Rivers Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization, Greater Columbia Administrative Services Organization, Greater Columbia Regional FYSPRT, Guided Pathways, Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery/Health Care Authority, KC3 (King County Regional FYSPRT), Medicaid Programs Division/Health Care Authority, North Central WA FYSPRT, North Sound Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization, Northeast FYSPRT, Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Passages Family Support, Salish Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization, Salish Regional FYSPRT, Sea Mar Child and Family, Shelton School District, Southwest Regional FYSPRT, Spokane County Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization, Students Providing and Receiving Knowledge (SPARK), System of Care Partnership, Washington PAVE, Washington State Community Connectors, and community members.

Facilitators – Michelle Karnath, Gabriel Hamilton, and Katie Favela (Statewide FYSPRT Tri-Leads)

Timekeeper – Tri-Lead Team

Notes – Kris

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| Welcome and Introductions  Statewide FYSPRT Tri- Leads  3:00 – 3:10 | Shared land acknowledgment.  Brief Zoom meeting guidelines provided (mute when not talking, raise hand or put questions in the chat).  Attendes introduced themselves through the chat and by phone and identified their role, agency, organization and/or Regional FYSPRT they were representing.  Reviewed Full Value Agreement.   | n/a   | n/a              | n/a               |
| Youth only space  | Topic Purpose – Updates on Youth only space/Blueprint meeting  |   |                  |                   |
| updates Gabriel Hamilton 3:10 – 3:20                                | The Statewide FYSPRT Tri-lead team wants to dedicate time on every agenda to provide updates/information regarding topics and/or dialogue from the youth only space being facilitated by the Statewide FYSPRT Youth Tri-lead.  The youth only meeting scheduled for mid-May was postponed to this summer. This is intended to be a fun and engaging youth/young adult only space for age 16 and above where youth and young adults feel empowered to share what is happening in their communities and to connect back to the Statewide FYSPRT. The current plan is to have an in person meeting this summer and then it could switch to virtual moving forward. The Statewide FYSPRT Youth Tri-lead is looking for youth or young adults who may be interested in getting involved and to reportout at the Statewide FYSPRT. There will also be a lunch session for supportive adults who may be interested in getting involved.  Link to a survey provided in the meeting chat to share with youth and young adults for their input to help determine a meeting day and time. | For more information or questions, reach out to Gabriel Hamilton at ghamil467@ya hoo.com. | Those interested | anytime           |

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| Agenda Item & Lead(s)  Statewide FYSPRT vision and mission dialogue  Statewide FYSPRT Trileads  3:20 – 4:25 | Topic Purpose – Activities to support development of vision and mission statements for the Statewide FYSPRT.  A theme has been emerging over the last year in meeting evaluations regarding FYSPRT work including how valuable it is and messaging the value of FYSPRT and the broader Governance Structure. Some of the feedback has included a clear way to describe what FYSPRTs are and what they are all about. The Tri-lead team decided to spend some time in this meeting focusing on a Vision and Mission statement for the Statewide FYSPRT. There is a vision and mission statement in a FYSPRT FAQs document that has been adapted for the Regional FYSPRTs for their vision and mission statement. In breakout groups, we will be referencing these statements and working to brainstorm to create a Statewide FYSPRT Vision and Mission statement.  Participants were divided up into breakout groups to dialogue about the Vision statement currently in the FAQs document regarding FYSPRT.  FYSPRT Vision - Through respectful partnerships, families, youth, systems, and communities collaborate, influence, and provide leadership to address challenges and barriers by promoting cohesive behavioral health services for children, youth and families in Washington State.  Questions for the breakout group were:  Does the statement make sense?  Is it reflective of the Statewide FYSPRT's work?  What is missing from the statement?  What are your ideas for clarification?  Vision feedback  After dialoguing in the breakout sessions, the smaller groups came back to the larger group for a report out. Some of the thoughts, themes and feedback that came out of these dialogues for the Vision statement included: statement made serse to some while others reported it clinit make sense and was not youth friendly and not familiar language, statement is a little broad and not very engaging, a long sentence with too amny words (maybe make it a couple sentences), may not feel inclusive voryone we are trying to reach, feel inclusive voryone we are trying to reach, feels inc | Breakout session note takers will send their group's notes to Kris to capture in the meeting notes. | Breakout session note takers and Kris | July 2023   |
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|   | Mission feedback  After dialoguing in the breakout sessions, the smaller groups came back to the larger group for a report out. Some of the tho ughts, themes and feedback that came out of the dialogues for the Mission statement included: having a hard time grasping what it said – its not in everyday conversational language, is a mouthful and is difficult to understand – for example what does sustainable resources mean, long statement, will communities understand equitable forum or know what a system is, not super engaging or inviting, the mission statement is clearer than the vision statement but not written in a way that is considered equitable for all reading levels, needs more clarity for the role of the Statewide FYSPRT, does not make sense as a mission statement for the Statewide FYSPRT was more reflective of the Regional FYSPRT, FAQ document could need to be in more conversational language as well, how FYSPRT sees itself may not be the same for providers who may feel in the hot seat vs. a collaborative way to problem solve in the community, how to include consistent guidance and support for Regional FYSPRTs, clarity needed regarding a pathway to elevate changes/needs/voices, doesn't represent who it was designed for, sustainable resources and community based approaches – not as relevant to Statewide FYSPRT, statement as written might push families and youth away from FYSPRT vs drawing them in, FYSPRTs do more than what is stated – education, advocacy, providing hope etc. and the statement is missing family and youth voice. |   |                  |              |
| Youth and Young                                       | opic Purpose – Standing agenda item to share information about the Youth and Young Adult Continuum of Care Subgroup meetings and activities  |   |                  |              |
| Adult Continuum of Care Communication                 | The Statewide FYSPRT Tri-lead team dedicates time on every agenda to provide updates regarding topics moved forward by the Statewide FYSPRT to legislative groups – specifically the Youth and Young Adult Continuum of Care (YYACC - a subgroup of the Children and Youth Behavioral Health Work Group or CYBHWG) to keep the Statewide FYSPRT members in the loop on progress.   | For more information or questions,  | Those interested | anytime      |
| Respite update  Michelle Karnath and Tina Burrell     | The YYACC meeting schedule is still being put together for 2023 with meetings anticipated to begin this summer. These meetings are open to the public. The YYACC Quad Lead team is currently looking for a new Youth Quad Lead and anticipate an application process being available soon.   | reach<br>out to Michelle<br>Karnath at<br>Michelle.Karna<br>th@clark.wa.g |                  |              |
| 4:25 – 4:55   | Today the focus will be an update on behavioral health respite, a need that was moved forward by the Statewide FYSPRT to the YYACC in 2020. In 2021, the Health Care Authority (HCA) was directed by the legislature to contract for a report which would review the options for providing behavioral health respite in Washington. This report was completed in June 2022 and is titled Behavioral Health Respite Implementation — Authority Options. As an alternate, there is also a one page summary available titled Status update: Behavioral Health respite options. HCA reviewed the options which included the Medicaid Transformation Project (MTP) which is Washington's Section 1115 Medicaid demonstration waiver between and HCA and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS). MTP allows HCA to create and continue to develop projects, activities and services that improve Washington's health care system for those enrolled in Apple Health/Medicaid. HCA included caregiver respite in the MTP/1115 waiver application to CMS and are waiting to hear back as the application is currently under CMS review. If caregiver respite is approved by CMS, HCA will have six months to complete policies and procedures, including identified eligibility requirements and rates. Caregiver respite would be an "in lieu of" service which pays for alternate services when it is medically appropriate and cost effective and would be available through Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) and fee for service providers.  | ov or Tina<br>Burrell at<br>tina.burrell@h<br>ca.wa.gov.                  |                  |              |
| Evaluations and meeting wrap-up Statewide FYSPRT Tri- | Meeting evaluation link provided in the chat for participants to provide feedback on the meeting including agenda items for future meetings.  Meeting evaluation link will also be emailed out to the group after the meeting.   | Tri-leads to<br>review and<br>consider<br>feedback in                     | Tri-lead<br>team | July<br>2023 |
| Leads<br>4:55 – 5:00                                  | Treeding cranadion mix tim also be chance out to the group arter the meeting.  | planning<br>future<br>meetings.   |                  |              |

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| Next Statewide FYSPRT Meeting |                             |              |                |                   |
| To be determined              |                             |              |                |                   |

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