

**Coordinated System of Care (CSoC)**  
**Project Status Report for January 12, 2012 Governance Board Meeting**  
**Prepared January 6, 2011**

***Authorities***

We continue to await approval for EPSDT. A call with CMS was held on January 5, 2012 and all indications were that this will be approved as any significant issues have been addressed.

***Louisiana Behavioral Health Partnership –Implementation Update***

Magellan has had initial introductory programmatic meetings with each department and a joint contracting meeting was held on January 5, 2012. The meetings have been extremely productive and resulted in a series of spin-off meetings to address follow-up issues.

***Wraparound Agency (WAA)/Family Support Organization (FSO) Implementation***

**Contracting**

As of January 6, 2012, all five FSO contracts and three of the five WAA contracts have been sent to the Division of Administration for final approval. The remaining two WAA contracts are currently under review at DHH and will be forwarded to DOA promptly.

**Technical Assistance and Training**

Challenges have been encountered in the Innovations Institute contracting process as Innovations Institute was moved from the University of Maryland's Department of Psychiatry to the Department of Social Work effective January 1, 2012. As a result, we were unable to begin the contracting process with them until this past week. We anticipate the process will not be completed prior to March 1, 2012 so are developing alternative training strategies to ensure that all WAAs and FSOs have received their introductory training in time for go-live on March 1, 2012.

**Relationship with Magellan**

The WAAs and FSOs will have their initial calls with Magellan on January 11, 2011. We will begin to discuss the process of enrollment with Magellan including OBH certification and Magellan credentialing.

***Out of Home Placement Assessment***

Data on each youth currently placed out of the home is currently being compiled by the state agencies. Magellan will be onsite next week (January 11-13, 2012) to work with staff to develop the assessment approach. Jacqueline Page from the CSOC Team is serving as the point person for coordinating the assessment process with John Lyons and his team. The contract with the Praed Foundation (Dr. Lyons) is under development and should be forwarded to DOA for final approval within the next couple of weeks.

### *Family Engagement Activities*

#### Statewide Coordinating Council

Janice Zube and Shawn Herbert convened a meeting with the FSO Workgroup and FSO Directors to begin discussions about SCC formation on January 6, 2012. Shawn will provide an update to the Governance Board at our January 12, 2012 meeting.

#### Family Stipends

The contract is currently under review within DHH and is anticipated to be in place by month's end.

### *Other Updates*

#### New Orleans System of Care effort

The CSoC Director will be meeting with the New Orleans Principal Investigator (Judge Gray) and the SAMHSA Federal Project Officer (Susan Stromberg) in New Orleans on January 27, 2012.