

Montgomery County Citizen Review Panel Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, December 8, 2020, 7 pm, via Join APHSA Zoom Meeting

Voting:

Kathleen Dunn
Laura Coyle
Sarah Stanton
Stacey McNeely
Wilma Brier

Non Voting:

Marci McCoy-Roth, Technical Professional
Advisor, 2019-2020 Chair
Laura Brown, Technical Professional Advisor
Kay Farley

I. Welcome and Introductions

Old Business

- II. Review and approve November [Minutes](#)
- III. Agency Report
 - A. Overall Program Updates
 - B. Child Welfare Report
 - C. START Program Update
 - D. CJAMS Update (MD Think)
 - E. Family First Implementation
- IV. HHS Council [Presentation](#)
- V. Committees
 - A. Recruitment and Retention of Resource Families - Discussion and next steps
 - a. Retention Figures
 - b. Geomapping
 - c. Discover Foster Parenting <https://discoverfosterparenting.org/>
 - d. What's needed?
 - Comprehensive document of steps for recruiting and retention
 - A plan for retention
 - B. Mental Health Support

New Business

- VI. Wellness Activity for Staff - December 10 at noon

- VII. Next Meeting: January 12

Take A Breath Break

December 10, 12-1pm

Join Richelle Barber for a special hour-long virtual wellness session for Child Welfare staff in Montgomery County. Richelle will lead us in a brief meditation, teach some tools for de-stressing, and guide us through some easy yoga stretches. Take a moment for yourself!

Analysis of Agency Data (MR analysis)

Activity	Apr-Sep 2019	Apr-Sep 2020	Percent Change
Screening Calls	5,831	4,319	-25.9%
New A/R Investigations	397	200	-49.6%
New Investigation/Referrals Investigations	545	259	-52.5%
New Non-CPS Cases	361	283	-21.6%
Children/Youth in OOH Care* (Avg)	413	434	5.0%
Families Receiving In-Home Svcs* (Avg)	87.5	102.5	17.1%
Active Resource Homes* (Avg)	190.8	214.0	12.1%
Resource Home Applications (Avg)	24.0	21.0	-13.0%