

Home Visiting Task Force – Health Connections Workgroup meeting

Friday, May, 10 2013

2:00pm – 4:00pm

33 W. Monroe, Chicago – 24th Floor

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Health Connections Workgroup Charge: Develop recommendations for increased coordination between the maternal child health and home visiting systems.

Meeting Minutes

I. Welcome and Introductions Glendean

Meeting Participants: Lise Jankowski, Glendean Sisk, Whitney Walsh, Karen Scott, Anita Berry, Joanna Su, Vikki Thompson, Christy Serrano

II. Review 3.11.13 DRAFT Health Connections meeting minutes Karen

Meeting minutes were approved by the group

III. Review and revise DRAFT Health Connections recommendations Glendean

Work Group completed review of recommendations for the following sections: Breastfeeding, Mental Health, and Vision and Hearing. Work Group will continue revisions to the draft recommendations at the next Work Group meeting.

IV. Health Connections Work Group update Christy/Glendean/Karen

The Health Connections Work Group will merge with the existing Health Subcommittee under the Systems Integration and Alignment Committee as soon as the Work Group's recommendations are approved by the Early Learning Council. At the April 9th HVTF Executive Committee meeting, the HVTF Executive Committee – including Diana Rauner and Gaylord Gieseke – approved this action.

V. Next Steps: Glendean/Karen

- a. Christy will make revisions to Work Group recommendations
- b. Work Group will begin to outline a strategic plan for implementing recommendations (e.g. think about existing resources and ways to recognize best practice of existing programs using evidence based home visiting models, address other barriers and limitations, etc)

Handouts: Meeting Agenda; DRAFT meeting minutes; DRAFT Health Connections Work Group recommendations