



Clark County Department of Family Services Child Welfare Services Workgroup

April 25, 2017
Lincoln Room

Present

Jennifer Erbes, DFS Co-Lead
Denise Parker, QPI
Marc Lavigne, Eagle Quest
Berenice Blas-Juarez, DFS
Regina Wyman, DFS
Caleb Orton, DFS P&Ps
Heather Hueke, DFS
Kevin Collins, DFS Transitions
Julie Mondroski, DFS

Agenda

- Transitions/ Disruptions
- Post-Adoption
- Visitation Program
- Children's belongings

Minutes were reviewed and there were no corrections made



Transitions

- Transitions – setting up sub workgroup

Next Steps: Denise to provide updates.

Post Adoption

Next Steps:

- Sub - Workgroup
 - Jessica will be setting up meeting dates with those interested in participating

Visitation

- Sub-Workgroup meeting
 - Meeting on 5/4/17
 - Discussion regarding current visitation process
 - Relationship building prior to community visits
 - Assisting parent/foster parent discussion of the process

Next Steps: Denise will continue to provide updates. Come together with ideas

Children's Belongings

- Transition Team
 - Reminders for belongings, what should be stored,
 - Supervisor responsible for staffing with caseworkers
 - Inventory List on the shared drive (Troy Armstrong)
- Child Haven
 - Belongings not going with children – how to track and ensure
 - No space to store belongings
- Inventory
 - Foster parents/ Caseworkers
 - Individual children
 - Simplifying
- Questions
 - If family does not have room for all the belongings? What does this look like?
 - PRIME access for permanency workers?
 - Worker is responsible for packaging belongings?



QUALITY PARENTING INITIATIVE
NEVADA

- Individual – processes – site oversight
 - North Site process

Next Steps: Invite HLOC Licensing (Greg/Tara/Nicole Wells), Support / Retention Lead. All Supervisors meeting discuss Transitions and process for belongings. Review Belongings Policy, NAC questions. Reach out to Troy regarding point persons for each site and processes.

PAST Projects

- **Updates and Trainings**
 - **Disruptions**
 - **Partnership agreement**
 - **Information Sharing**

Next Steps: Trainings for the past projects and follow up with units regarding information and updates/data.

The next meeting of the QPI Child Welfare Services Workgroup will be on Tuesday June 27, 2017 from 10 am to 1 pm in the Lincoln Room at the DFS Office located at 121 S. Martin Luther King Blvd.