## **QPI Recruitment Workgroup: Agenda**

Date: September 6, 2017 Time: 12:00 pm -1:30 pm Location: Mt. Charleston Room, 701 Pecos Rd.

## **Meeting Results**

By the end of the meeting, participants will:

- 1) Participants will help to create an infrastructure of a recruitment plan for recruiting teens
- 2) Use data to help create the first phase of the teen recruitment plan

## Preparation

- Review the attached Recruitment Plan document
- Think about action items/activity steps for supporting the objectives
- Lunch is on us! Annie E. Casey is generously providing lunch from Einstein Bros.

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Attendees:	Sha'Londa Adams, Eduardo Alvarez, Neiufi Iongi, Amanda Schmidt, Amanda Spletter, Joseph Taylor, Laura Griffin	
Timeframe 12:00-12:15 pm	<b>Task:</b> Welcome, Introductions and Check-In. Share: name, unit, one thing you said you would never do when you became an adult/parent?	
-	<b>Results:</b> Ice breakers will ready Participants for the work.	
	Each member shared a memory from their childhood or youth in which they recalled something their parent said or did that they determined they would never do as an adult. In retro respect we learned that some things that parents said or did that we thought were mean were actually for our good. This icebreaker readied us for the task of being able to identify persons or groups that could be those mentors for our youth in care.	
Timeframe 12:15-12:30 pm	<b>Task:</b> Check –in with task assignment from August and briefly report out findings of organizations that support teens/youth	
12.10 12.00 pm	<b>Results:</b> Group will identify top organizations to survey staff for any possible connections	
	The following were identified as the top organizations to reach out to support teens in care:	
	Businesses in 89115 zip code:	
	College of Southern NV	
	Walnut Community Center	
	Sunrise Community Center	
	<u>LGBTO</u> :	
	The Center	
	Black LGBTQ	
	Youth Groups:	
	Team Network	
	Boys and Girls Club	
	Businesses in 89121 zip code:	
	Guidance counselors at Valley and Chapparal High Schools	
	Islamic Center	
	Whitney Recreation Center	
	Big Brother Big Sister	
	African American Community:	
	National Coalition of Black Women	

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	Council of Black Women NAACP
	The team discussed developing a Speaker's Bureau which would include several teens that are ready to speak at different engagements. The teens would learn strategic sharing skills that were developed by youth for youth and other developmental skills. We will partner with Step-Up – an organization that supports the transition of teens in the independent living program in care into adulthood, and FAAYT's youth advisory board. The goal is to have youth talk about how support from a foster home helped them. Laura suggested having a teen present with her once a week at the Team Network meeting. Joe stated that he could reach out to Michelle Fuller of Help. Hope.Home and to other community centers
Timeframe	Task: Using data gathered from previous assignments the team will write recruitment
12:30-1:15 pm	objectives for teen recruitment plan
	Results: Phase 1 of teen recruitment plan will be complete
	The team agreed to place the results from the previous agenda item in the recruitment plan under the respective goals of recruitment for more African American families and families for teens.
Timeframe	Next Steps and Check-Out
1:20- 1:30 pm	<b>Results:</b> Overview of responsibility of tasks who will do what and set time frames of completion.
	At the next meeting we will discuss the development of a new recruitment brand and campaign.