

AUTISM COUNCIL AGENDA

Monday, February 20, 2006

10 AM – 3:00 PM ROOM 630 – 1 West Wilson Street

10	Welcome	Beth Wroblewski
10 – 10:30	Public comment period (if needed)	Kris Freundlich

Objectives for the 2-20-06 meeting:

- Obtain feedback regarding progress on developing recommendations that would revise the exceptions policy
- Obtain feedback for making further progress on developing recommendations on the staff sufficiency issue
- Obtain group wisdom on the effective transitions issue

10:30 or 10 min.	Approval of minutes Brief overview of meeting objectives and agenda	Kris
10:40 or 1 hour	Exceptions policy workgroup <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report out by workgroup member(s) • Elicit reaction to directions thus far • Define next steps 	Exceptions workgroup
11:45	Get your lunch (delivered)	
11:55 –12:45	Relate Now luncheon presentation – 30 min. Discussion topic – 15 min. –Are there any recommendations to make to the presenter? Note: The noon presentation will help to inform the subsequent discussion on staff sufficiency.	Dr. Bret Shaw
12:45 – 1:25 Or 40 min	Staff sufficiency workgroup <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report out by workgroup member(s) • Elicit reaction to directions thus far • Define next steps 	Sufficiency Workgroup
1:25 or 75 min.	Effective transitions issue <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Background: Beth (10 min. max.) • Small group work (25 min.) Focus of small group: 1) What are good strategies for transitioning children as they approach the end of intensive services? <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> 2) What are good strategies to maintain treatment gains after 3 yrs. of intensive treatment? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small group feedback (10 min.) • Full group dialogue (30 min.) 	Beth Small group
2:40 5 min.	Prioritization results	Kris
2:45 15 min.	Next steps	Beth / Kris
3 PM	Adjourn	