

BUILDING A FAMILY- AND YOUTH-DRIVEN SYSTEM OF CARE

Regional Group Work Discussion

Parent and Youth Leaders: Who are parent and youth leaders in this regional group? Please share at least one activity or resource you offer or support in your region?

Individual rating: On a scale of 1 – 10, rate where you believe your office or agency is at this point in time.

We don't have parents and youth involved at any levels of the System of Care.						Families and youth drive decisions at all levels of our agency.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Current involvement: How do you currently involve families and youth at each level?

Individual level?

What rung/s on the ladder?

Program level?

What rung/s on the ladder?






System level?

What rung/s on the ladder?

Using your power point and handouts from this section, please participate in a discussion on what a family- and youth-driven System of Care could look like!

Staff will facilitate discussion and capture notes for your regional work group. These notes will be shared to all participants for use with post-event regional work. Remember Kentucky Partnership for Families and Children, Inc. (KPFC) can be a resource to your team! (cwcecil@kypartnership.org)

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Hart's Ladder	Levels of participation	Individual-Level	Program-Level	System-Level
Shared leadership & decision-making	Family- and youth-driven			
Customer initiated and directed				
Professional initiated, shared decisions	Family and youth involvement			
Consulted and informed				
Assigned and informed				
Tokenism	Non-participatory	<ul style="list-style-type: none">  No parent or youth present  Parent and youth present but do not participate  Parent and youth attempt to participate but are not heard or valued  Parent and youth are talked about as if they are not in the room  Frequent turnover of parent and/or youth due to not feeling valued 		
Decoration				
Manipulation				