**Goal of the Grant:** to improve behavioral health outcomes for children and youth (birth through age 21) who meet criteria for SED and their families and who have child welfare involvement. For this project, child welfare-involved families are those for whom a child abuse and/or neglect investigation results in a substantiation or services-needed finding.

**Purpose of the GMIT:** interagency team responsible for management of the grant, oversight of state and local implementation activities, and ongoing communication with the system of care governing bodies.

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| Attendees (20) |
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| Jacquelyn Craig | Jessica Humphrey | Danielle Zogg  |
| Robin Gregory | Chris Elmore  | Dawn Crabtree  |
| Amy Hutchinson  | Mary Hajner  | Maxine Reid  |
| Joy Varney  | Katie Kirkland  | Maxamillion Buchanan-Burney |
|  Leslie Bentley | Jessica Ware | Gayla Lockhart |
| Abigail Freeman | Dee Dee Ward | Erix Delgado |
| Shelley Purdue | Dyzz Cooper |  |

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**Alternate RGMIT Representation:** Please find an alternate for R-GMIT if possible and communicate regularly with them.

**September Meeting pushed to 13th due to Labor Day**

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| 1. **Family & Youth Involvement**
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| Parent/Youth representative action plan. * Dyzz reported that they are working on finalizing a checklist document to share with the team for September’s meeting.
* Dee Dee screen shared a youth representative recruitment flyer developed in Cumberland R-GMIT with the team and members provided feedback.
* Members suggested that the flyer could be downloaded by each agency and modified to meet their needs and add their own contact.
* Joy suggested that finalizing and disseminating flyers should be a part of the action plan for the R-GMIT.
* A parent representative recruitment flyer was also shown from the Cumberland R-GMIT.
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| Action Items | Person Responsible | Deadline |
| Dyzz and Amanda will bring a document for the team to discuss and review that lists the qualities/characteristics of parents/youth ideal for family representation on the TR R-GMIT.  | Dyzz & Amanda  | Sept.  |
| At least one agency will finalize their flyer and share with the team next month.  | R-GMIT | Sept.  |

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| 1. Service and Referral Updates
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| **DCBS Update*** **How many counties are implemented?**
* 7 counties total completing screeners in the region: Warren, Edmonson, Hart Metcalf, Webster, Ohio, Henderson
* **Which new counties are being implemented this month?**
	+ Hart, Edmonson, Metcalf, Webster, and Ohio
	+ Some counties are low staffed and that has been somewhat of a barrier.
	+ 8/1 start- Daviess, McLean, Hancock, Allen & Butler
	+ 9/1 start- Barren, Monroe, Logan, Union, Simpson
* **How is frontline staff responding to implementation?**
* Northern counties, (Danielle’s region) are shorter staffed and experiencing higher rates of turn over.
	+ No technical assistance was requested at this time.

**BHP Update****LifeSkills** **How is staffing for SOC FIVE services?*** Taking applications for mobile crisis services, still providing the service, however there is not one dedicated staff at this time. HIFI is fully staffed and increasing their referrals- referrals internally identified during intake process
* 4 respite referrals from DCBS

**RVBH****How is staffing for SOC FIVE services?*** Staffing is good; positions with HIFI and Mobile Crisis are filed. Ready to go but have not had any referrals.

**Bellewood****How is staffing for SOC FIVE services?*** Staffing is good at this time for services.
	+ Jacquelyn reported she will get access to survey results from Nellie on services to share an update
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| Action Items | Person Responsible | Deadline |
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| 1. Data & Evaluation – Katie Kirkland
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| * In the month of July, Chris Elmore reported: **5** screeners were completed, **2** clients were referred for a CANS assessment, **0** refused/denied
* Katie asked for clarification on reporting for the region; Chris reported he only reports for the southern part of the region.
* Dee Dee asked Danielle what the barriers are in her region that the team could assist with. Danielle reported she feels like she just needs to discuss with the regional supervisors. Dee Dee offered SOC FIVE staff training or support to join her for those discussions.

BHP data:* Number of Policy Changes = 4 (River Valley reported)
* Number of individuals reached through Outreach Efforts = LifeSkills reported 60; River Valley reported 1083.
* Number of initial CANS assessments completed = 1 (LifeSkills)
* Number of children/youth referred to services or treatment based on CANS = 3 (reported by LifeSkills)
* Number of children/youth receiving services or treatment after referral = 3 (reported by LifeSkills)
* Katie will follow up with Jacquelyn about the Uspiritus CQI metrics.
* Jessica presented the drafted Implementation Checklists for DCBS and Behavioral Health Providers, to request feedback, to be used in Cohort 2.
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| Action Items | Person Responsible | Deadline |
| Team members will review the documents shared and provide feedback to Kelley or the HDI Evaluation Team  | R-GMIT | N/A |

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| 1. Other Agency Updates
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| * SOC FIVE & S-GMIT
* Cohort 2 Kickoff is going on. Please let Kelly or Dee Dee know if you want to join for this Wednesday and Thursday (with The Lakes region).
* NOFO went out for The Lakes and Salt River and Cumberland; please share with others.
* Dee Dee requested policy recommendations to benefit the population of focus for SIAC to consider. Right now, they are considering adding more details to the current recommendation focused on unnecessary custody relinquishment.
* RVBH
* No referrals or feedback. Down to one facilitator and this is his fifth month with no referrals. They are feeling discouraged. 18 therapists reviewed their caseload and said none met criteria. Going to meet with the children’s hospital on HIFI services. Developed a 1-page referral form. Distributed information on services and SOC FIVE information through back-to-school events.
* Lifeskills
* Distributed all the SOC Toolkits and have placed another order for more. Had a lot of interest.
* Distributing community cards (4X6 card) that list all services
	+ Distributed to police, social services; sharing information at staff meetings and in FAIR teams and in local DCBS offices.
* DCBS
* None to report
* KPFC
* Parent SMART recovery cafes ongoing.
* In process of hiring new staff for new regions.
* Youth MOVE national has a leadership academy KPFC hopes to host this fall.
* Two Rivers Peer Support: getting referrals in the region.
	+ Gayla will share more information on what SMART recovery is with the group.
* Bellewood
* Working on interviewing for [Nellie Arnett’s position].
* Going to meet with Bowling Green office tomorrow.
* Doing advanced motivational training and Resilient Community Model training.
* Found the Cohort 2 Training very useful.

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| Action Items | Person Responsible | Deadline |
| Gayla will share info on SMART recovery program to the team  | Gayla  | Sept.  |

**NEXT MEETING**: Monday, **September 13th** 10am Central Time.

**SOC Website**:

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