**Cross-Systems Solutions for Children with Significant Behavioral/Psychiatric Needs**

**North Dakota Children’s Cabinet Subcommittee**

**September 5th**

**9am-3:45pm**

**8:30 – 9:00 am**

* **Gathering and Networking**

**9:00 – 9:20 am**

* **Welcome and Introductions—Senator Hogan/Jason**
  + **Overview of purpose and objectives**
    - **What questions are we trying to solve?**
  + **Review of agenda & open meeting/open records rules**
  + **Overview of HB 1556 and testimony links**
  + **Timelines for the workgroup**
  + **Establishing community agreements**

**System Perspectives: Overview of current services Presentations + Q&A**

**Each presenter group will address the following questions (20 minutes):**

1. **What is your definition of children with significant behavioral/psychiatric needs?**
2. **Within your system, what are the strengths of your continuum of care across systems and what specific services are provided?**
3. **Within your system, what are the challenges of your continuum of care across systems and where are the gaps in services?**
4. **What does success look like?**

**Each session will conclude with 10 minutes of Q&A.**

**9:20 – 9:50 am**

* **Behavioral Health Perspective  
  Presenters: Pam Sagness & Dr. Cramer**

**9:50 – 10:20 am**

* **Child Welfare Perspective  
  Presenters: Jessica Thomasson & Rhonda Allery**

**10:20 – 10:30 am**

* **Break**

**10:30 – 11:00 am**

* **Juvenile Court/Services Perspective  
  Presenters: Cody Braun and Nicole Leitner**

**11:00 – 11:30 am**

* **Public Education Perspective  
  Presenters: Amanda Pederson & Shawn Huss**

**11:30 – 12:00 pm**

* **Open Discussion: Cross-Sector Themes Emerging So Far**

**12:00 – 12:45 pm**

* **Lunch**

**Afternoon Strategic Discussions**

**12:45 – 1:30 pm**

* **Defining the Key Questions—Jason**
  + **What does success look like?**
  + **Identify common themes or issues that came up**
  + **Surface points of conflict or confusion**
  + **Note other related issues (parking lot for future discussion)**

**1:30 – 2:15 pm**

* **Cross-Systems Collaboration: What Has Worked?—Jason**
  + **Review successful practices at the state and local level**
  + **Identify opportunities to build on strengths/remove barriers**

**2:15 – 2:30 pm**

* **Break**

**2:30 – 3:15 pm**

* **Next Steps and Action Planning—Jason**
  + **Key takeaways from presentations & discussions**
  + **Immediate next steps for the workgroup**
  + **Assigning follow-up tasks**

**3:15 – 3:35 pm**

* **Subcommittee Comments or Questions**

**3:35 – 3:45 pm**

* **Closing Reflections & Adjourn—Senator Hogan**