Developing a Trauma-Informed Roadmap to Prevent Juvenile Justice Involvement of Child Welfare Youth:
A Moral and Fiscal Imperative
April 30, 2018
8:00 AM – 4:30 PM; Reception to Follow
Kaiser Permanente Center for Total Health
700 2nd Street NE, Washington, DC 20002

Agenda

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM Registration & Light Breakfast

8:30 AM – 8:45 AM Welcome & Introductions
- Mayra Alvarez, The Children’s Partnership
- John Tuell, Robert F. Kennedy National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice

8:45 AM – 9:45 AM Why are we here? Youth Perspectives on Today’s Agenda
- Moderator: Jennifer Rodriguez, Executive Director, Youth Law Center
- Margaret Samuel, Alexandria, VA
- Joaquin Granger, Los Angeles, CA
- Jesse Aguiar, Los Angeles, CA
- Tauheedah Shakur, Los Angeles, CA

9:45 AM – 11:00 AM Research: What is the Data Telling Us?
Dual System Youth Trajectories, Characteristics and Best Practices: The Case for Integrated and Trauma Informed Systems
- Denise Herz, PhD, California State University, Los Angeles
- Carly Dierkhising, PhD, California State University, Los Angeles

Connecting Research to Action and Vice Versa
- Jacquelyn McCroskey, DSW, University of Southern California; Children’s Data Network

11:00 AM – 11:15 AM Break
11:15 AM – 12:45 PM  Proven and Promising Practices Across Jurisdictions
  o  **Moderator:** Jessica Heldman, *Robert F. Kennedy National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice*
  o  Los Angeles County, California
    *  Honorable Michael Nash, *Director of Office of Child Protection, Los Angeles County*
    *  Barbara Duey, *Attorney Supervisor & Crossover Director, Children’s Law Center*
  o  Hampden County, Massachusetts
    *  Patrick Sparks, *Attorney-in-Charge, Youth Advocacy Division, Committee for Public Counsel Services*
  o  Outagamie County, Wisconsin
    *  Wendy Henderson, *Director, Bureau of Youth Services, Wisconsin Department of Children & Families*
    *  Melissa Blom, *Manager, Children, Youth & Families Division Outagamie County Department of Health & Human Services*
  o  Cook County, Illinois
    *  Mark Werner, *Deputy Chief, Cook County Juvenile Probation*
  o  Newton County, Georgia
    *  Honorable Sheri Roberts, *Chief Judge, Newton County Juvenile Court*

12:45 PM – 2:15 PM  Lunch & Learn: A Fireside Chat on Innovative Approaches
  o  **Moderator:** Mayra Alvarez, *The Children’s Partnership*
  o  Sixto Cancel, *Think of Us*
  o  Rafael Lopez, *Accenture, Former Commissioner, Administration on Children, Youth and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services*
2:15 PM – 3:45 PM  Breakout Sessions
A. How do we improve cross-sector coordination and collaboration to disrupt negative trajectories for dual status youth?
   o  **Facilitator:** John Tuell, RFK National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice
B. What are the most promising trauma-informed practices? And, how do we integrate a coordinated and cross-sector trauma-informed response to effectively meet the complex needs of dual status youth?
   o  **Facilitator:** Jessica Heldman, RFK National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice
C. How can we leverage innovation and technology to improve outcomes for dual status youth?
   o  **Facilitator:** Mayra Alvarez, The Children’s Partnership

3:45 PM – 4:15 PM  Report Back on Key Themes & Top Discussion Points
   o  John Tuell, RFK National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice
   o  Jessica Heldman, RFK National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice
   o  Mayra Alvarez, The Children’s Partnership

4:15 PM – 4:30 PM  Next Steps, Moving Forward
   o  Mayra Alvarez, The Children’s Partnership

4:30 PM – 6:00 PM  Reception (Optional)
*Join us for drinks, snacks, and networking to wrap up the day and get further connected for the work ahead!*