



COMMISSION TO ELIMINATE CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT FATALITIES

MEETING AGENDA

July 10, 2014

*Meeting Location: Children's Board of Hillsborough County
1002 East Palm Avenue, Tampa, FL 33605*

The purpose of the meeting is for Commission members to gather national and state-specific information regarding child abuse and neglect fatalities. The Commission will hear from researchers and issue experts regarding the scope of the problem, strategies for improving national data collection, policy barriers and opportunities to reduce maltreatment fatalities, confidentiality issues, and potential solutions. Experts from such disciplines as child welfare, law enforcement, health, and public health will present strategies for addressing the issue of child abuse and neglect fatalities.

- 8:00 - 8:15 Opening remarks
Presenters:
- *Chairman David Sanders, CECANF*
 - *Interim Secretary Mike Carroll, Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF)*
- 8:15 - 8:45 A Population-Level Overview of Child Fatalities and Child Protective Service Involvement
Presenter: *Emily Putnam-Hornstein, M.S.S.W., Ph.D.*
- 8:45 - 9:15 Learning From Death or Serious Injury Case Reviews and Using Child Welfare Administrative Data to Protect Newborns
Presenter: *Richard Barth, M.S.W., Ph.D.*
- 9:15 - 9:55 Q&A/dialogue re: presentations
- 9:55 - 10:25 What We Have Learned in Florida: Why Haven't We Put What We Already Know Into Action?
Presenter: *Randell Alexander, M.D., Ph.D.*
- 10:25 - 10:45 Break
- 10:45 - 11:55 Predictive Analytics—Panel Discussion
Presenters:
- *Interim Secretary Mike Carroll, DCF*
 - *Greg Povolny, Mindshare*
 - *Lorita Shirley, Eckerd*
 - *Albert Blackmon, SAS*
 - *Rick Zelznak, North Highland*
 - *Geir Kjellevoid, North Highland*

- 11:55 - 12:15 Tribal Strategies for Addressing Child Abuse and Neglect Fatalities—
What’s Working and What’s Not Working
*Presenter: Kristi Hill, M.S.W., A.C.S.W., Family Services Department,
Seminole Tribe*
- 12:15 - 12:45 Lunch break
- 12:45 - 1:30 Confidentiality and Child Fatalities
Presenter: Howard Davidson, J.D.
- 1:30 - 2:40 Confidentiality, Transparency, Accountability, and the Media—
Panel Discussion
Presenters:
- *Rep. Gayle Harrell, Florida House of Representatives*
- *Judge Katherine Essrig, Florida’s Thirteenth Judicial Circuit*
- *John Jackson, DCF*
- *Carol Marbin Miller, Miami Herald*
- *Curtis Krueger, Tampa Bay Times*
- 2:40 - 2:50 Break
- 2:50 - 4:00 Florida’s Strategies for Addressing Child Abuse and Neglect Fatalities—
What’s Working and What’s Not Working
Presenters:
- *Lisa Rivera, DCF*
- *Christina Spudeas, Florida’s Children First*
- *Major Robert Bullara, Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office*
- *Dr. Celeste Philip, Florida Department of Health*
- *Major Connie Shingledecker, Manatee County Sheriff’s Office*
- 4:00 - 4:30 Individual speakers and closing remarks from Chairman Sanders
Presenters:
- *Miranda Phillips, Florida Youth SHINE*
- *Ghia Kelly, Florida Coalition Against Domestic Violence*
- *Mary Beth Vickers, Child Abuse Death Review Committee*
- *Victoria Vangalis Zepp, Florida Coalition for Children*
- *Bernie McCabe, State Attorney, Pinellas and Pasco Counties*
- *Barbara Macelli and Yomika McCarpine, Healthy Families Hillsborough*