

# STRENGTHENING FAMILIES LOCALLY

## 10/21/20 Stevens County Meeting Notes

### In Attendance:

Jamie Lovato, Alison Ball, Stacey Hastings, Geri Phillips, Joy Lile

### Useful documents:

Partner Bios: (fill in with your information)

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/16CFz6UR3xll1\\_GB0W9GCgtsIWvEx6bketnYtdz4jjwM/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/16CFz6UR3xll1_GB0W9GCgtsIWvEx6bketnYtdz4jjwM/edit?usp=sharing)

Notes on Strengths and Needs: <https://dcyf.box.com/s/0cog0gdjjxx09bcqm8hhbslix660see6>

SFL Website: <https://www.dcyf.wa.gov/services/child-development-supports/sfwa/sf-locally>

Community Values: <https://dcyf.box.com/s/ifo8e95ipniej28yy4mxbr9tg5bjcpbk>

### Community Mapping:

Link to Google map with community data: <https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?hl=en&mid=16x5g-FvHLCIV8895hb2ZjLbVZJKy0I2U&ll=48.21169547609076%2C-118.26996807260333&z=9>

- 3 geographic “regions”:
  - o North school districts:
    - Northport, Orient, Kettle Falls, Onion Creek, Colville
  - o Central (Chewelah-Springdale)
    - Chewelah, Valley, Summit, Evergreen, Loon Lake, Mary Walker
  - o South
    - Welpinit, Nine Mile and Deer Park?
- Where does Hunters/Columbia SD fit? (Area of need)

### Engagement Planning:



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Outreach/Engagement Goal	Who needs to be involved?	Primary Activities	Timeframe
Meetings with community family support/direct service staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Planning team</li> <li>- Community partners</li> <li>- Providers and individuals with lived experiences</li> <li>- Starting with school districts - access to parents and serve as primary supports</li> <li>- Planning partners:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Rural Resources (North)</li> <li>- FIN (Central)</li> <li>- Spokane Tribal Network (South)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Capture information and stories from service providers</li> <li>- what issues have come up where resources weren't in place to support family</li> <li>- How do we engage the providers about their lived experiences</li> </ul> <p>Icebreaker/small groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describe a time that you can think of when early intervention/support could have helped a family avoid CPS involvement. What would that have looked like?</li> </ul> <p>Crucial questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What are the biggest or most frequent unmet needs you see in families in Stevens county?</li> <li>2. What sources of resilience and support do you see in families in Stevens county?</li> <li>3. What are other common experiences supporting families in Stevens county?</li> </ol>	

Collaboration:

Sector/Role	Org.	Name	Who will contact?
Early head start	Colville center and outreach throughout county		Joy - through DCYF
Churches			

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FQHCs			Dan?
Ethnic Communities, i.e. American Indian Community Center			
	Tri-county health district		
Mental health	New Alliance - BHO in Stevens/Ferry		Tia
Colville Confederated and Spokane tribes			Joy
Columbia School District			Joy

Tasks:

- Continue “mapping” discussion
- Move forward on engagement plan

Next Meeting:

- 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, 1 hour
- November 4th
- Discussion topics: Engagement plan – provider cafes