

Washington State Department of CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

Indian Policy Early Learning (IPEL) Sub-Committee Meeting

Agenda

May 15, 2023, 1:00-3:45 p.m.

Virtual meeting – Zoom details below

| Time | Activity |
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| 1:00 - 1:05 | Michael Vendiola, IPEL Chair |
| | Welcome/Prayer/Introductions |
| 1:05 – 1:15 | Caucus Updates provided by IPEL Chair |
| 1:15-1:35 p.m. | Tleena Ives, OTR Director |
| | OTR Updates |
| | Tribal Early Learning Fund |
| 1:35-1:55 p.m. | Michelle Balcom, Project Manager, Organizational License Pilot, DCYF, LD Practice |
| | Improvement Team |
| | Topic: DCYF Organizational License Project Overview |
| | Status update on the Organizational License Pilot |
| | Are there aspects of this pilot process that would benefit and/or impact Tribal |
| | Child Care programs? Are there other spaces/groups that may be interested in learning more about this pilot, or |
| | Tribal Partners that may be interested in being a pilot participant or joining the pilot's |
| | Observer Group to provide ongoing oversight and feedback? |
| 1:55-2:15 | Yolanda Arellano, and Charlotte Campbell, DCYF EL Division |
| | Topic: Dual Language Designation and Funding Opportunity |
| | Dual designation funding and awards |
| 2:15-2:30 p.m. | Erin Kerrigan, DCYF Community Engagement Administrator |
| | Topic: Tribal Seats on the Early Learning Advisory Council (ELAC) |
| | Vacancies for Recruitment for the Sovereign Government seat & Sovereign Tribal |
| | Government -Tribal ECEAP/Head Start seat |
| 2:30 – 3:00 p.m. | Jess Mayrer, Trauma-informed and Healing Centered Care Manager, DCYF Early Learning |
| | Division and Charlotte Campbell, DCYF EL Division |
| | Topic: Infant Early Childhood Mental Health Supports and Trauma-Informed Care |
| | DCYF will share information about supports for tribal infant and early childhood |
| | mental health and trauma-informed and healing centered work. DCYF would also |
| 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. | like to ask about how best to provide certain supports. Nicole Rose, Assistant Secretary, Early Learning Division |
| 5.00 – 4.00 p.m. | Topic: DCYF 2023 and 2024 Legislative Sessions |
| | A wrap-up of early learning items that were funded/passed into law from the |
| | 2023 legislative session. Also, a preview and discussion about potential proposals |
| | for the 2024 session and beyond |



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