

RPC – North Country Region

Clinton-Essex-Franklin-Hamilton-Warren-Washington

North Country Regional Planning Consortium Children & Families Leadership Meeting August 3, 2020 – 3pm

NOTES

- 1. Review CFTSS Capacity Survey Results
 - Discussion about agencies applying for new licensure. OMH reps shared that licensure comes from field office that serves area based on agency's administrative address. Currently, there are not any new requests for licensure/designation.
 - Discussion of designated/not providing & designated with immediate openings.
 - Note that some agencies are entering into MOU to provide some services due to no staff for CPST.
- Discuss C&F Subcommittee Meeting for Survey Review and Action Steps including speakers re: services in during the "new" school year, continued/creative teleMH strategies
 - Decision to move C&F meeting from Sept 25 to Oct 30, 1pm in order to give time for agencies to report out on working under new school year openings.
 - NY Governor executive order for telehealth set to expire August 5. It is expected
 that an additional 30 day renewal will be signed. Permanent telehealth changes
 are pending with CMS. Release of any potential changes from CMS might be in
 September/October.

NEXT STEPS

- Richelle Gregory will fill out survey for Clinton County office of community services (she was out on vacation and wasn't included)
- JoAnne Caswell will follow-up with Citizen Advocates to participate in the July survey.
- Karen Rappleyea will send meeting save the date/change the date.
- In early October, Karen Rappleyea will send each agency who participated in July survey copy of their answers and request any updates/changes.