# Children and Families Subcommittee

Southern Tier Regional Planning Consortium

Monday May 13, 2019

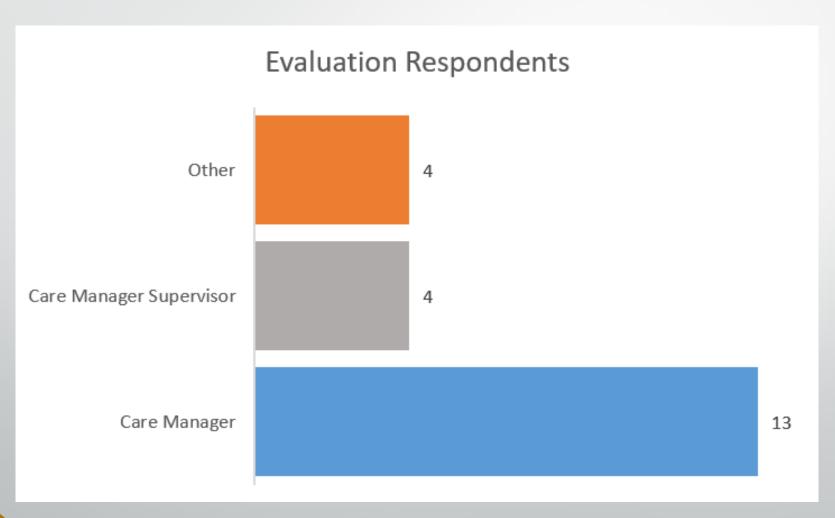
1:00 to 3:00 PM

Broome County Public Library, Decker Room

Co-Leads: Amanda McIntyre-Silvanic and George Dermody

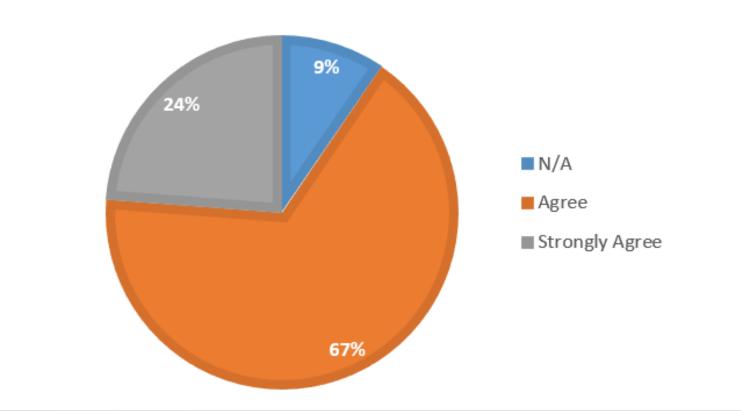
### Agenda

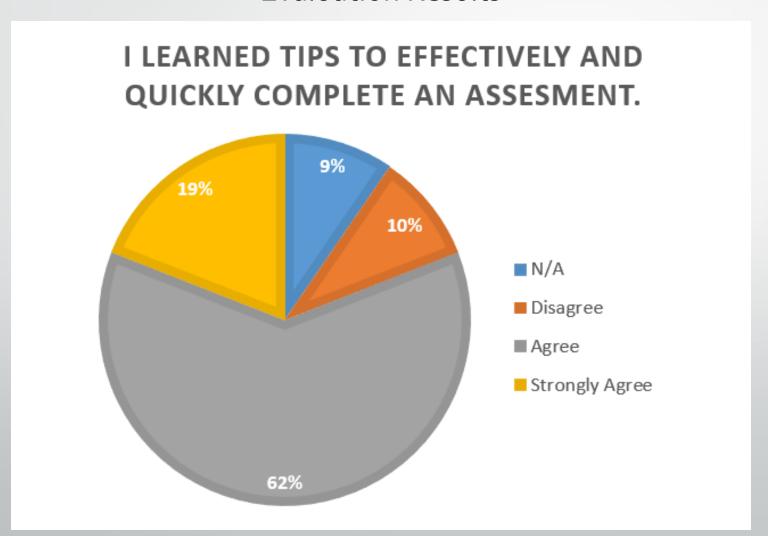
- Welcome & Introductions
- Updates
  - HHSC Care Management Networking and Training Event Feedback
  - In-Person Discussions Hosted by NYS Agencies
  - HRSA Webinar
- CFTSS Update
- Review Issues Tracker
- Breakout Groups
- Next Steps



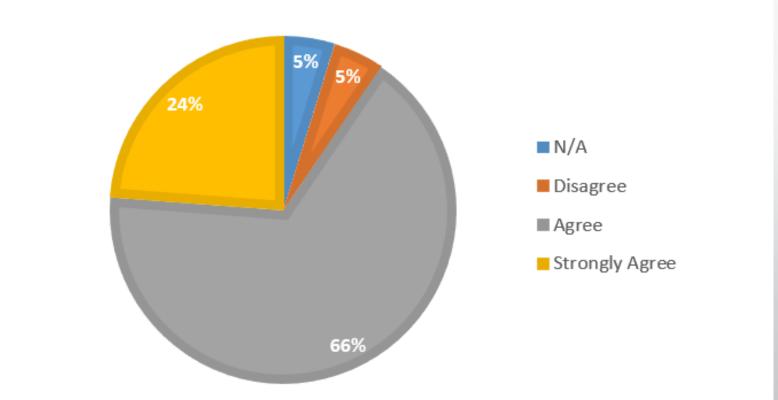


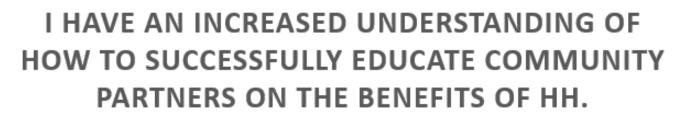
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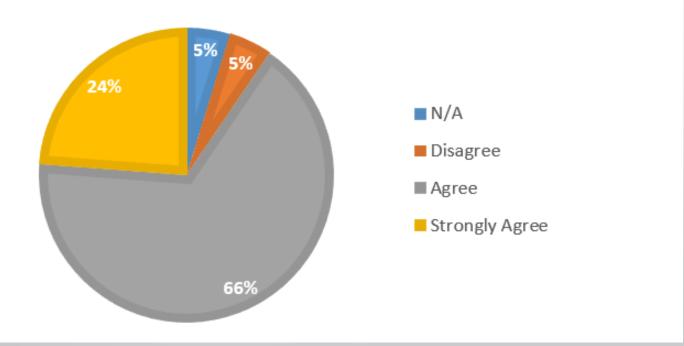




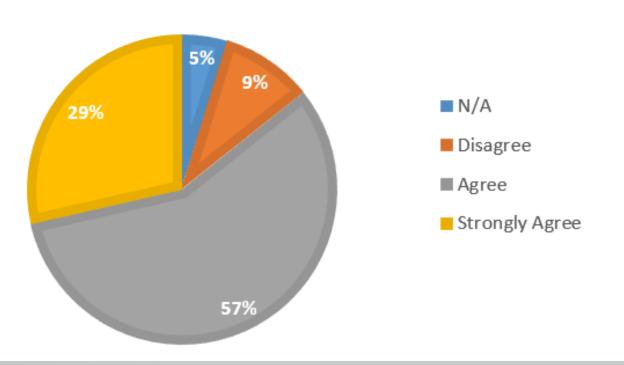
### I HAVE INCREASED KNOWLEDGE FOR HOW TO ENGAGE CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES.







## I HAVE AN INCREASED UNDERSTANDING OF THE NEW CHILDREN & FAMILY TREATMENT AND SUPPORT SERVICES.



Transportation
Panel/Q&A
Networking
CFTSS

## For me, the most valuable aspect about today's event was...

Open Q&A. Medicaid cab tips and handouts

Networking with each of the providers/agencies

Medicaid transport info. I think it is helpful for new CMs for sure

How other counties are managing access to services

The panel - hearing from different stakeholders across the region and seeing that we all have similar struggles and suggestions for approaching these struggles.

The samples from the different organizations. I like to get ideas from other people.

The information that was given about documenting work and tips on staying organized. I also liked the advice that was given about engaging children and families.

Valuable to have face-to-face time with other care managers. Network time was helpful.

Hearing from other Care Managers and gathering different various forms used by other CMAs.

Networking with other providers. Panel discussion was a good platform.

The chance to ask questions.

The panel.

Meeting HHSC CMAs.

#### Details about the CFTSS services.

Panel discussion and forms available from other agencies to help keep track for work timelines.

Questions and answers

Medicaid knowing that something was going to be done. Learning how other people manage work.

networking, samples from other organizations

networking, a little better understanding of CFTSS

Refresher

The panel's contributions. Good format. Speaker variety.

POC/Documentation

CFTSS/HCBS

Providers

Repeat Event

## Do you have suggestions for future events and/or how we can improve this event?

I would be interested in more info on the changes to care plans to include HCBS services.

Provide list of CFTSS resources for other counties as well, based on those in attendance.

This event was very nice. It was well planned and I would like to see it being offered for Western NY counties.

Make this an annual event. Invite the CFTSS service providers in future.

Medicaid training and specific comprehensive assessment/POC networking event.

Information on CFTSS, HCBS services, as well as writing POCs.

Let support services be at this kind of event so we can get more information of the roles they play and how they can help.

Well done.

### Do you have specific questions you would like to see answered at a future event focused on Children & Family Treatment and Support Services?

More about timeframes of how quickly actual services will start with a family - all these new eligibility requirements are taking too long. County specific "active" providers of CFTSS as many registered by no providers

More information/education on completing assessments and services available to children and families.

Access and appropriate documentation.

Discussion on the Family of One. Age restrictions?

### Any additional comments?

#### Very nice event

I knew some of these things before that is why I checked disagree.

Thank you for providing this opportunity to learn about these changes. There's a lot of confusion regarding services when you contact an agency directly from what OMH is saying.

Wouldn't recommend this training because of the distance from our office, not that the training wasn't beneficial.

Have transportation be a CFTSS service.

#### In- Person Discussion

The NYS Children's

Medicaid System Transformation:

A Discussion with Children and Families

Marriott Syracuse

Downtown

100 E Onondaga Street Syracuse, NY 13202

Register at https://childrens-medicaidsystemtransformation-syracuse.eventbrite.com June 13, 2019

5:30 - 7:00 pm

Food and Drinks beginning at 4:30

Please register if you can. This will help us make sure we have enough space for you to attend.

The NYS Children's Medicaid System Transformation:

#### A Discussion with Children and Families

Learn about changes happening to New York State's Children's Medicaid System, including new services and the move to Medicaid Managed Care.

#### For children/youth and families who are:

- Enrolled in the new Medicaid Children's Waiver
   that started on April 1, 2019;
   OR-
  - Are getting children's Medicaid services for mental health and/or substance abuse



Office of Mental Health Department of Health Office of Alcoholism and

Substance Abuse Services
Office for People With

Office of Children and Family Services



#### **Regional Planning Consortiums- HRSA Webinar**

The webinar will provide an overview of HRSA's loan repayment programs and how the program can be used as a health professional recruitment and retention tool for your clinic.

This webinar will take place on:

Tuesday, May 21st From: 10:30am-12:00pm

To Register: https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/5341620299577003778

This webinar will cover the following:

- What is the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)?
- Overview of Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW)
- Description of the National Health Service Corps (NHSC)
- Description of Nurse Corps
- Q&A

### **CFTSS Update**



#### Review Activities Tracker

Г	#	Date Updated	Issue
	1	10/25/2018	Families do not understand or see the value of HHSC, C-SPOA which impacts their
	_	_	interest in enrolling and engagement. Family voice and input is lacking in the Children &
			Families Subcommittee.
	2	8/6/2018	Providers and Schools do not understand HHSC and C-SPOA
	3	8/6/2018	Need something between waiver services (Level of Need under new HCBS) and HH high
			acuity for flexibility.
	4	11/5/2018	HHCM need better support to perform their roles.
	5	8/6/2018	Request for Growth Charts seems unnecessary and is at times burdensome to collect
	_		from the provider.
	6	9/1/2018	No providers are listed for the Southern Tier on the Complex Trauma Provider Directory
	7	8/6/2018	Non-medicaid kids have limited access to services.
Γ	8	8/6/2018	CANS Acuity is more accurate at the 6 month mark.
	9	8/6/2018	Lack of Standardized forms and assessments; some are lengthy leading to slow process.
Ī	10	8/6/2018	Lack of Transportation
	11	8/6/2018	Shortages of services for younger youth and respite.
	12	8/6/2018	Need Family Respite Services
	13	8/6/2018	Shortage of Waiver Slots
	14	8/6/2018	No Home Visitor Link for Clinicians
	15	11/5/2018	CM Supervisors could benefit from closer ties cross-agency and need support to be able
			to support the CM in their roles.
	16	11/5/2018	Outreach to retrieve supporting documentation to enroll children in HH is burdensome as
			it takes numerous attempts and significant time.

### **Breakout Groups**

Providers and Schools do not understand HHSC and C-SPOA (Amanda)

Community Supports continuation (Alexis)

Other Identified Priority Issues



Monday, August 5<sup>th</sup>

1:00 – 3:00 PM

Broome County Public Library

Exhibit Room

Questions? Contact Emily Childress, RPC Coordinator
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