

Causes and Forces Workgroup Meeting
April 22, 2005
Holiday Inn South, Lansing, MI
Participants

Parents

- Keith Alexander, Washtenaw County, SICC
- Julie Bartels, Tuscola County, SICC
- Laurel Bucci, Midland County, Arc of Midland
- Laura Jensen-Hunt, Genesee County, LICC
- Chandra Jones, Oakland County, SICC
- Amy Lester, Michigan Department of Community Health, Newborn Hearing Screening
- Teresa Marvin, Department of Human Services, *Early On* Parent Partner
- Tamara Nelson, Oakland County, SICC Co-Chair,
- Holly Peterson, Jackson County, Parent Education and Family Resource Center
- Tammie Stimpfel-Robb, Bay County
- Penny Verran, Michigan Department of Community Health, *Early On* Parent Partner
- Julie Williams, Macomb County, SICC

Preschool Programs (public and private)

- Conni Artin, Telamon, MI Migrant Head Start
- Amanda Clark, Telamon, MI Migrant Head Start
- Linda George, Head Start/Preschool, SICC

Health care providers

- Andrea Bricker, Hillsdale County Community Mental Health
- Chris Buczek, Kent County Public Health Department
- Wendy Burdo-Hartman, MD, Spectrum Health, Kent LICC
- Sandy Geller, Sparrow Health System
- Mary Martincheck, Northwest Michigan Community Health
- Mac Miller, Livingston County Community Mental Health, SICC Co-Chair
- Mary Mueller, Children's Hospital of Michigan

Funders (Medicaid and other Insurers)

- Linda Sowle, Medicaid

0-3 public and private early intervention programs

- Carolyn Belknap-Bartz, Charlevoix-Emmet Counties, *Early On* Coordinator
- Barbara Corbin, Kent County *Early On* Coordinator
- Sam Cornelius, Cheboygan-Otsego-Presque Isle Counties, *Early On* Coordinator
- Becky Davis, Eastern Upper Peninsula, *Early On* Coordinator
- Joan Firestone, Oakland Schools, *Early On* Coordinator
- Denise Gasper, Newaygo County, *Early On* Coordinator
- Tamara Green, Iosco County, *Early On* Coordinator

- Scott Hubble, Ionia County Intermediate School District, Assistant Superintendent for Special Education
- Tom Koepke, Monroe County Intermediate School District, Assistant Superintendent for Special Education
- Perry Lopucki, Muskegon County, SICC
- Kathy Manta, Livingston County, *Early On* Coordinator, SICC
- Lena Montgomery, Wayne County *Early On* Coordinator
- Donna Morrison, Traverse Bay Area *Early On* Coordinator
- Johanna Ostwald, Superintendent Iron/Dickinson Intermediate School District, SICC
- Stephanie Peters, Ingham County, *Early On* Coordinator
- Mark Reigle, Berrien County, *Early On* Coordinator, SICC
- Barbara Russell, Saginaw County, *Early On* Coordinator

State Agency Program Staff and Administrators

- Yasmina Bouraoui, Michigan Department of Community Health, Newborn Hearing Screening
- David Brock, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Early Intervention Services, SICC
- Lindy Buch, Michigan Department of Education, Director, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services
- Jan Cheeney, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Early Intervention Services
- Renee' De Mars-Johnson, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services
- Blanche Deren, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services
- Paulette Dobyne Dunbar, Michigan Department of Community Health, MSS/ISS
- Sheri Falvay, Michigan Department of Community Health, Mental Health Services for Children and Families, SICC
- Lori Irish, Michigan Department of Community Health, Mental Health Services for Children and Families, SICC
- Mary Ludtke, Michigan Department of Community Health
- Kristen McDonald-Stone, Department of Human Services
- Mischele McManus, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services
- Shelley Miller-O'Neill, Department of Human Services
- Doug Paterson, Michigan Department of Community Health, SIC
- Nancy Peeler, Michigan Department of Community Health, *Early On* Coordinator
- Dawn Ritter, Department of Human Services, *Early On* Coordinator
- Connie Robinson, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services
- Mary Scoblic, Michigan Department of Community Health, SICC
- Jane Simmermon, Michigan Department of Community Health, Birth Defects Registry
- Kathy Stiffler, Michigan Department of Community Health, Director, Children's Special Health Care Services

- Jacquelyn Thompson, Michigan Department of Education, Director, Office of Special Education and Early Intervention Services
- Vanessa Winborne, Michigan Department of Education, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services, Part C Coordinator

Child Welfare

- Marie Barks, Clinton County Family Resource Center
- Dianna Pyles, Department of Human Services
- Donna Rorabeck, Department of Human Services

Advocacy Organizations & Child and Family Associations

- Gretchen Garimella, Michigan Protection and Advocacy
- Pat Keller, Citizens Alliance to Uphold Special Education
- Mark McWilliams, Michigan Protection and Advocacy
- Kelly Orginski, The Arc Michigan
- Debbie Weatherston, Michigan Association for Infant Mental Health

Community Collaboratives (LICCs and Great Start Collaboratives)

- Mary Ann Ellis, Wayne County LICC

Higher Education

- Stephanie Bales, Wayne State University, *Early On* Evaluation Project
- Mark Larson, Wayne State University, SICC
- Lyke Thompson, Wayne State University, *Early On* Evaluation Project