Coordinating Board for Early Childhood Board Meeting 8-14-12 10:00am-3:00pm G.O.B. Rm 470

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#### **CBEC Mission**

To ensure that Missouri's early childhood programs and services are comprehensive, coordinated, accessible, adequately funded and of the highest quality to meet the needs and to promote the well-being of all young children and their families. This can be accomplished by (a) developing key partnerships, (b) building collaborative strategies and (c) ensuring equal access to necessary resources, resulting in the implementation of an effective and sustainable early childhood system.

### **Meeting Goals**

- Increase awareness of Early Childhood Mental Health Endorsement Process, in consideration of possible benefit for Missouri's children and families.
- Determine next steps regarding board and officer vacancies.
- Discuss and vote upon Early Childhood Mental Health work group proposal
- Discuss and develop 2-3 legislative priorities/recommendations to present to the Governor's Office

#### **AGENDA**

- > Call to order, approval of agenda
- ➤ Report of Secretary
- > Executive Director Report
- Budget Report
- Early Childhood Mental Health Endorsement Process, Nichole Paridis and Deborah Weatherston, Michigan Association for Infant Mental Health
- > Announcement from Chair
- Board Vacancies
- > America's Edge, Jim Caccamo
- Early Childhood Mental Health proposal
- ➤ Policy Recommendations
- ➤ Reports to the Board(work groups, partners, agencies, additional)
- > Adjournment

# **NEXT CBEC MEETING**

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## **CBEC GROUP NORMS**

- Start and end meetings promptly
- Respect all views
- Establish context/background for discussions
- Avoid side conversations
- Agenda construction shall include required actions(information sharing, discussion or decision) & process for decision making
- Questions are always okay