

**Colorado EHDI
Early Intervention Task Force**

Meeting Notes
September 20, 2022

Attendees	
Name	Role/Agency
Heather Abraham	Facilitator & Notetaker
Arlene Stredler Brown	Facilitator & Notetaker
Marti Bleidt	CO AG Bell; Parent
Courtney Connolly	Intern with Jessica Peterson
Kelly Doolittle	CO-Hear Coordinator; North and East Colorado Counties
Kelly Fernandez-Kroyer	Data Outreach Coordinator and Coordinator for Parent Guides, CO Hands & Voices; & Parent of a nine-year-old child with UHL
Jami Fries	Director, CO Hands & Voices
Brittany Goodside	Program Manager for Service Coordination, Imagine! CCB; Parent of three-year-old child who is deaf
Sarah Honigfeld	Deaf Adult; Gallaudet Professor and Program Director for B-5 program
Moniqua Johl	Part C Program Manager for EI Colorado State Team
Jessica Peterson	Educational Audiologist, Adams 12
Allison Sedey	CU-Boulder; Director of ODDACE Project; & CSDB; Assessment and Accountability Coordinator for B-3
Tiffany Sharpe	Physical Therapist; Developmental Disabilities Resource Center (CCB)
Lynn Wismann	CO-Hear Coordinator; Arapahoe & Douglas Counties (except Aurora Public School)

Agenda Overview

Outcomes

- Grounding in work to date on COEHDI Early Intervention initiatives
- Prioritization of COEHDI's early intervention activities

Agenda/Actions/Decisions

Agenda Items	Discussion	Action/Decision
Announcements	CDC Personnel Changes (Allison Sedey): Marcus Gaffney has been at the CDC for 22 years; he has recently taken a new position within the CDC and has transitioned away from all EHDl activities. An interim person, Xidong Deng, is in this position.	N/A
Prioritization of COEHDI EI Task Force Work	<p>After briefly reviewing activities accomplished in the last two years, we solicited input from task force members about initiatives currently underway. Task force members met in two smaller groups to discuss these initiatives and to prioritize activities for them. The current initiatives were identified by this task force's members over the past two years. COEHDI staff have been working on these initiatives and are seeking review by task force members and stakeholders in the state. COEHDI staff appreciate having your perspectives as you are "in the trenches" doing the work with families and with your agency staff. All input will be reviewed and reported back to task force members at our next meeting.</p> <p>While future initiatives were listed on the handout, the two groups did not have sufficient time to discuss them. This will be an agenda item for another meeting in the future.</p>	Ongoing

Next Meeting

Meetings of the Intervention Task Force are on the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 2:00-3:00.

DATE	TIME	AGENDA ITEMS
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October 18, 2022	2:00-3:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Review activities for current initiatives.
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