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Links to Family Voices Newsletters and Resources

There are many resources on the recently updated Family Voices website (<u>www.familyvoices.org</u>) to help keep you informed. You can access this document either through the QR code in the upper right, or by typing in this link: <u>https://bit.ly/2TC1m86</u>. Here are links to a few that we are highlighting at this AMCHP 2019 conference:

NEWSLETTERS: To subscribe, click here.

- Washington DC Update: Weekly updates on national policy affecting children/youth with special health care needs (CYSHCN) and their families, along with new trainings and resources in the field for families of CYSHCN and those that work with them.
- **Resource e-Blast:** Monthly collection of links to resources for families of CYSHCN.

RESOURCES: In addition to the resources highlighted below, you will find many more on the <u>Family</u> <u>Voices website</u>.

About Family Voices and the National Center for Family/Professional Partnerships:

- National Center for Family/Professional Partnerships brochure
- Family-to-Family Health Information Centers brochure
- Current Projects: Learn about Family Voices projects with partners.
- <u>2019 Family Voices National Family Leadership Conference</u>: *Families as Partners Shaping Systems Change*. Learn more about this conference, including schedule, registration, and lodging.
- <u>2016-2017 Activity Highlights</u>: Learn about Family-to-Family Health Information Centers (F2Fs) and Family Voices State Affiliate Organizations (SAOs) activities. This document includes links to individual F2F state data reports.
- Family-to-Family Health Information Centers FY2018 Data Brief: This data brief provides a glimpse of the extensive outreach and support to families in every state and DC provided by Family-to-Family Health Information Centers.
- <u>Support for Family Leadership Development in US territories</u>: Learn about the ways the National Center for Family Professional Partnership is supporting family engagement in US territories.

About the Building Partnership Skills Training:

- <u>Building Partnership Skills</u>: Learn more about the *Serving on Groups* and *Leading by Convening* trainings on our website.
- Building Partnership Skills Schedule of Upcoming Trainings
- <u>Building Partnership Skills: Impact of NCFPP Workshops for 2016-2017/Leading by Convening</u> <u>Evaluation Summary</u>
- Leading by Convening Infographic: Learn about the benefits of engaging families in the systems that support them.



About Cultural Competence:

- <u>Promising Practices in Cultural Competence</u>: This document provides information about family identified promising practices in family/professional partnerships and family-centered care that effectively support families from underserved racial, ethnic, and rural communities.
- **Polly Arango Mentoring Initiative Summary:** A report on the success of four organizations that developed mentorship programs to build the leadership skills of diverse families.
- <u>Family Voices Immigration Toolkit</u>: This collection of documents is designed to inform, empower, and assist families of children and youth with special health care needs and the professionals who support them to prepare for the possibility of an emergent immigration situation. Many of the documents are available in Spanish, Chinese, and Vietnamese.
- **Family Wisdom Overview**: Learn about a Family Voices project of partnering with diverse communities to honor and engage families' and communities' wisdom and strength in health related services and research to reduce disparities, discrimination, oppression, and stigma.

About Family-Centered Care and Family Engagement:

- <u>A Framework for Assessing Family Engagement in Systems Change</u>: This Issue Brief summarizes barriers family engagement and provides a framework to consider how well organizations engage families.
- **Framework for Assessing Family Engagement:** Describes a project that focuses on supporting family engagement in the systems of care for children.
- **Family Centered Care Assessment Fact Sheet:** Learn about the Family Centered Care Assessment tool and submit a request for the questionnaire.

About Title V:

- <u>Top 10 Reasons to Promote Partnerships between Family-to-Family Health Information Centers</u> and Title V Block Grant Programs
- <u>How the Maternal and Child Health Block Grant Helps Children and Youth with Special Health</u> <u>Care Needs</u>

About Educating Legislators:

• **Family-to-Family Health Information Centers:** Learn about the federal funding history for these family-run organizations.