



State of Connecticut
GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Commission on Children

Commission on Children Meeting

10 a.m. to Noon, Tuesday, September 11, 2012
Room 2-E, Legislative Office Building, 300 Capitol Avenue, Hartford

AGENDA

- I. Welcome: George Coleman, Chair
- II. Review and vote on minutes of the June 12, 2012 meeting
- III. Remembrance of the 9/11 attacks and their impact on children and families
- IV. **Building the Children's Report Card**, a data-based tool for tracking the health, safety, stability, and chances of future success of Connecticut children
 - A. Overview and status report by Representative Diana Urban, co-chair of the General Assembly's Select Committee on Children
 - B. Report from the Children's Report Card Working Group:
 1. Stability: Erica Bromley, Director, Manchester Youth Service Bureau, and Board Member/ Advocacy Chair, Connecticut Youth Services Association
 2. Safety: Anne McIntyre-Lahner, Program Director, Department of Children and Families
 3. Health: Christine Dauser, Director, Outpatient Psychiatric Clinic for Children, Yale Child Study Center
 4. Future Success: Brian Hill, Deputy Director for Administration, Court Support Services Division, State of Connecticut, Judicial Branch.
 - C. Response panel discussion:
 1. Dr. Jose Colon-Rivas, Director of Families, Children, Youth and Recreation for the City of Hartford
 2. Dr. M. Alex Geertsma, Chairman of Pediatrics at St. Mary's Hospital in Waterbury and Commission on Children member

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3. Donna Labbe, Community Outreach Coordinator for the Torrington Early Childhood Collaborative, a Discovery Partner
4. Kimberly Fontaine, Parent leader from East Hampton
5. Representatives of youth, law enforcement, and more

V. Other business

VI. Adjournment