

Nominating Committee Report

Normalcy Task Force Nomination
Report to the Nebraska Children's Commission
July 19, 2016

The following individuals have been nominated for positions on the Normalcy Task Force:

- **Nathan Collier** – Young Adult Previously in Foster Care
 - Would serve as a youth previously in Foster Care in a voting capacity.
 - Mr. Collier is a former youth, currently employed with the Department of Corrections. He has a passion to help youth in situations similar to what he experienced. He will soon begin law school and plans to focus on child welfare policy.

- **Nicole Paul** – Training & Special Projects Manager, Nebraska Families Collaborative*
 - Would serve as representative from a child welfare service agency in a voting capacity.
 - Ms. Paul has attended past Taskforce meetings and is currently involved in the Training Subcommittee. She feels that Normalcy has been a historically neglected area and wishes to use her expertise in the training field to ensure that recommendations to the legislature support change and reduce barriers.

The Nominating Committee supports these two nominations and recommends their appointment to the Normalcy Task Force.

*Nebraska Families Collaborative has requested that Ms. Paul serve in a voting capacity on the Task Force in lieu of current member, A'Jamal Byndon. Commission policy does not allow for more than one voting member from a stakeholder group on any of its subgroups. If approved, Ms. Paul would replace Mr. Byndon as a voting member. Mr. Byndon would then move to a non-voting, resource position on the Task Force to which he has agreed.