

Strengthening Families Act Committee

2021-2022 Strategic Planning Summary

Strengths

- Collaboration between organizations and various perspectives (combined theme)
- Lived experience (combined theme)
- Updated youth court forms
- Normalcy Subcommittee has strong leadership and engagement (combined theme)
- Legislative Involvement in YBOR (combined theme)
- Operation (NCC staff) and Communication with members (combined theme)
- Institutional knowledge

Weaknesses

- Youth Engagement/Technology (combined theme)
- Member Engagement & Education (combined theme)
- Tribal System Improvement (combined theme)
- Public Information/Engagement (combined theme)
- Constraints of the Legislature (combined theme)
- Access to Services in Rural Areas
- Mental and emotional health training, awareness
- Racial & Ethnic Disparities
- ESA Transition (may pose challenge to implementing new recommendations)
- Normalcy statute is watered down, limiting accountability

Opportunities

- Improve engagement with people of color and youth/young adults (combined theme)
- Strengthen YBOR process
- Address barriers for youth driving (auto insurance)
- Trafficking Subcommittee and NCFE grant
- Use technology to our benefit
- Have each subcommittee focus on a different priority each meeting
- Improve services to rural areas
- Improve services to tribal youth
- Continue to strengthen relationships with Senators

Threats

- Attendance & Engagement (combined theme)
- Legislative barriers/lack of support (combined them)
- ESA transition (combined theme)