Executive Director's Report

January 2023 Council Meeting

NACDD ED Leadership Summit

Held October 24th – October 26th, the Executive Director Leadership Summit offered the opportunity for participating EDs to discuss current issues affecting our respective Council's as well as generating some ideas for how we can better work together on issues.

Fully Staffed

For the first time since 2019, the DD Council has all 8 staff positions filled!!

Program Performance Reporting

FY22 Program Performance Report was due on December 30, 2022. The report was submitted on time and the review process should begin soon.

Meetings Attended by Council Staff

Ebony Haven:

October 3 – OCDD Family as Paid Caregiver Focus Group

October 6 – LaCAN Call

October 10 – OCDD Family as Paid Caregiver Focus Group

October 11 – Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) Meeting

October 12 – Partners in Policymaking Selection Committee

October 13 – Mini Orientation for New Council Members

October 14 – Youth Leadership Forum Ad Hoc Committee Meeting

October 26 – Families Helping Families SWLA Grand Opening/Ribbon Cutting

November 1 – Postsecondary Inclusive Education Advisory Council Meeting

November 3 – LaCAN Call

November 7 – **Meeting with Contractor for 2023 Planning**

November 9-10 – **LA Emergency Management Training**

November 16 – Special Education Advisory Panel

November 17 – Partners in Policymaking 2023 Planning Meeting

November 22 – OCDD, OASS, The Arc of La and LaDDC Incontinence Supplies Meeting

November 28 – Technology Supports with Remote Features Focus Group Initial Meeting

December 8 – Advisory Council on Student Behavior and Discipline

December 12 – GACDA Education Committee

December 14 – OCDD Public Health Emergency Wrap-Up Meeting

December 19 – Technology Supports with Remote Features Focus Group

Meetings Attended by Executive Director (October 1 – December 31, 2022)

- October 3 Office of Intellectual and Developmental Disability (OIDD) Engagement Call
- October 6 Meeting with Julie Foster Hagan (OCDD)
- October 6 National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities (NACDD)
 Public Policy Call
- October 7 OCDD Virtual Visits Focus Group
- October 12 National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities (NACDD)
 Weekly ED Call
- October 13

 New DD Council Member Mini-Orientation
- October 14

 Youth Leadership Forum Ad Hoc Committee Meeting
- October 17 Postsecondary Inclusive Education Advisory Council Meeting
- October 18 Meeting re: state fiscal year budget
- October 19 & 20 DD Council Committee and Full Council Meetings
- October 20 ITACC Training on Program Performance Reports
- October 21 OCDD Virtual Visits Focus Group
- October 24 27 NACDD ED Leadership Summit
- November 1 Meeting with other Council re: policy
- November 2 NACDD ED Update Call
- November 3 NACDD Public Policy Meeting
- November 7

 Meeting with Julie Foster Hagan (OCDD)
- November 7 Meeting with Contractor
- November 9 & 10

 Emergency Preparedness Training
- November 16 Webinar on Themes Identified during CMS' Heightened Scrutiny Site Visits
- November 17 –Youth Leadership Forum National Call
- November 18 ITACC PPR Office Hours
- November 22 Meeting with OCDD/OASS/The Arc re: incontinence supply legislation
- November 29 ITACC Webinar PPR Review Strategies and Tools
- November 30 Coordinating Council on Access and Mobility Strategic Plan Webinar
- November 30 NACDD ED Update Call
- December 1 LaCAN Monthly Call
- December 2 ITACC Office Hours
- December 6 Meeting with Julie Foster Hagan (OCDD)
- December 7 Meeting with Jana Broussard, Interim Director of La Commission for the Deaf
- December 7 The Arc Webinar
- December 9 ITACC Office Hours
- December 12 GACDA Education Committee
- December 14 Meeting with The Arc re: incontinence supplies
- December 27 Meeting with Mark from Split Second Foundation