

**Evidence Based Practice Policy Consortium  
Wick Alumni Center  
University of Nebraska – Lincoln  
1520 R Street; Lincoln, Nebraska**

**August 20, 2009**

**AGENDA**

- 8:00 – 9:00 Continental Breakfast and Networking
- 9:00 – 9:05 Pre-meeting electronic voting on key questions
- 9:05 – 9:20 Welcome and context
- Scot Adams – Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Behavioral Health
  - Sue Sheridan – UNL Center for Research on Children, Youth, Families and Schools
  - Alan Tomkins – University of Nebraska Public Policy Center
  - Brian Wilcox – UNL Center for Children, Families and the Law
- 9:20 – 10:00 Evidence Based Practices – Ten Trends that are Shaping Child Psychotherapy - John Weisz, President, Judge Baker’s Children’s Center
- 10:00 Instructions for EBP Leadership Café
- 10:00 – 10:10 BREAK
- 10:10 – 11:30 EBP Leadership Café Exercise facilitated by Magda Peck
- 11:30 – 11:40 BREAK
- 11:40 – 12:30 Opportunities for Nebraska based on hopes and expectations of participants - John Weisz, President, Judge Baker’s Children’s Center

12:30 – 3:00 Working lunch and small group development of action plans in six areas

1. Mental health and substance abuse (Mark DeKraai and Maya Chilese)
2. Juvenile Justice (Hank Robinson and Deb Minardi)
3. Child Welfare (Brian Wilcox and Chris Hanus)
4. Education (Todd Glover and Mary Ann Losh)
5. Public Health (Paula Eurek and Magda Peck)
6. Early Childhood (Helen Raikes and Lynne Brehm)

Suggested small group Agenda for this session:

1. Introductions
2. Review and clarify desired outcomes
3. Brainstorm opportunities for collaboration between researchers and policy makers/practitioners
4. Briefly identify criteria for prioritizing
5. Narrow to 2-4 priority most promising opportunities
6. Identify who would be involved in each
7. For each opportunity, identify efforts needed to promote research- practice links (e.g., lit reviews, training, participatory research, grant announcement)
8. Describe the infrastructure needed (e.g., funding, personnel) to support each effort.
9. Develop strategy (action steps, timelines, persons responsible) for initiating efforts

3:00 – 3:10 BREAK

3:10 – 3:30 Report Back and Discussion – Small Groups will Report Back Key Outcomes from their Discussions

3:30 – 4:25 Common themes and opportunities for statewide promotion of evidence based practices – Facilitated discussion by John Weisz

4:25 – 4:30 Post-meeting electronic voting on key questions

4:30 Adjourn