

EPSDT/ABCD II COLLABORATIVE BOARD

Tentative Responsibilities

- 1) Oversee the project.
- 2) Receive recommendations from the Panel about desired system standards for screening, assessment, referral and intervention for at risk children.
- 3) Identify and assess Medicaid barriers to the implementation of the desired system standards.
- 4) Review the project evaluation and recommend changes to Medicaid policies to implement an effective statewide system of care.

Logistical Considerations

The Board will meet approximately 4 times during the first year and twice a year in each subsequent grant year. At least one meeting a year will be held in person, face-to-face. Other meetings will be conducted through the CHSC Teleconferencing Network.

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Proposed Work Plan**Meeting One—Early April 2004 (Face-to-Face)**

- Welcome and Introductions
- Background (Iowa Issues and Activities Leading to the Grant)
- Overview of the Grant and Grant Timelines
- Board Responsibilities; Meeting and Work Plans

Meeting Two—Late August 2004 (Teleconferencing)

- Review and Comment on Key Definitions and Minimum Level I Service Systems Standards
- Identify Medicaid Barriers to Implementation of Level 1 Standards
- Analyze Barriers and Identify Potential Policy Options
- Review and approve project demonstration site selection plan

Meeting Three—Late October 2004 (Teleconferencing)

- Analyze Policy Change Options to Implement Level I Services and Develop a Plan to Address Policy Changes Necessary to Implement the Pilots
- Review and Comment on Recommended Assessment Tools and Anticipatory Guidance Materials
- Review and Comment on Potential Service Delivery Models
- Review and approve project evaluation plan

Meeting Four—Late December 2004 (Teleconferencing)

- Review and Comment on Key Definitions and Minimum Level II Service Systems Standards
- Identify Medicaid Barriers to Implementation of Level II Services
- Analyze Barriers and Identify Potential Policy Options
- Approve selection of project demonstration sites