Child Support Agency

SELECTED PERFORMANCE MEASURES (80% GOAL)	
Paternity Establishment - 95.18%	Current Collections - 75.28%
Arrears Collections - 49.52%	Court Order Establishment Rate - 93.13%

SUMMARY OF CURRENT ACTIVITIES

- Partnership with WRI -monthly jobs fairs and collaboration opportunities to assist customers with finding and maintaining employment
- Training new staff/Succession Planning Fully staffed and currently training 2 Fiscal Associates, 2 Legal Specialists, and Specialist.
- Updating/creating policies and procedures to assist with training and ensure consistent practices within the agency
- Collaboration with neighboring agencies to train staff and identify best practices.
- Legislative efforts to request increased funding in upcoming State budget cycle- resolution, Gov
 Listening Session, participation in WCSEA Legislative Committee
- Learning and streamlining process in collaboration with COC to use new WiKids/CCAP Interfacerollout was Dec 2022

ISSUES ON THE HORIZON AND SIGNIFICANT TRENDS

- Hiring, Retention, and Succession Planning- anticipate retirement this year
- Budget- Reduced Birth Cost Recovery collections- No longer receive federal match for birth cost recovery. For every \$100 received in birth cost recovery, we lost \$194 in federal match. Overall less birth costs being recouped as revenue, increased costs due to COVID-19.
- Referrals for alternate care cases being reviewed- currently receive referrals to establish and collect child support for parents when children are placed in alternate care to recoup funds for DHS.
 Potential impact on our caseloads, which impacts funding. Efficiency of enforcement of these cases is a consideration.
- Sixth court room potential staffing need and increased caseload.

CURRENT COLLABORATIONS (INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL)

- Workforce Resource
- Other Counties/Child Support Agencies
- Bureau of Child Support

GOALS FOR NEXT MONTH

- Increase/maintain performance measures
- Continue training new staff/Succession Planning
- Maintain office morale
- Continue to develop policies and procedures