**ACEs Rural Indigenous Subcommittee**

**January 17, 2023**

**Minutes**

**Attendees:**

Rene RedDay (Chair), Judy Livingston (CPLC Parenting Arizona), Paula Obeid (Lighthouse Foundation), Karen Coleman (Mesa Community College), Molly Petterson (Prevent Child Abuse Arizona), Amanda Williams (Navajo Nation Office of Special Education), Apryl Joe (Navajo Nation), Sonya Montoya (NACOG Head Start), Denese Montijo, Michael Gaffney (PBS), Jerilene Antone-Morton (DES Tribal Liaison)

**Request to promote AZ ACEs Consortium on your personal and professional YOUR social media**

* <https://azacesresources.org>
* <https://www.facebook.com/azacesconsortium>
* <https://instagram.com/az_aces_consortium>

**AZ ACEs Consortium Updates**

* ACEs Consortium- 1Q Meeting Feb.15 9 am-11 am- https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAufuGtrDkrGNYj8Vcb Nd2RPBcmUhbdSGQo
* Trauma-Informed Organization certification- Coming in 2024
* 2/22 Blue Baby film viewing and discussion- Focus on Juvenile Justice
* Three regional town halls in Spring- Yuma, Cochise, Mohave- Request for introduction to colleagues in those counties.

**Community Announcements**

* Prevent Child Abuse Arizona is mapping Family Resource Centers across the state. Please complete or share the form with organizations providing FRC services to their community. [**https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/AZFRC2023**](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/AZFRC2023)

* PBS is seeking to hire a part-time/as-needed trainer- <https://sjobs.brassring.com/TGnewUI/Search/home/HomeWithPreLoad?partnerid=25620&siteid=5494&PageType=JobDetails&jobid=4864299#jobDetails=4864299_5494>
* <https://www.facebook.com/navajoprojectilaunch/> - Registration for upcoming parenting series for parents or caregivers with a child from birth to age eight years old. The virtual cohort begins on January 23rd. Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 pm-3 pm. All classes are free and open to participants residing on and off the Navajo Nation.

Registration link: [https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLSc3yLBY5bsIS1.../viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc3yLBY5bsIS1Qj63iu7Od_hn-BvSuC-lpi4a-q0xfeSSBwog/viewform?fbclid=IwAR0ZYVz3009dorx9BAZTulDZW6a1j-dSVO8e-zHkXIPoxw4XrrBEJgztSFg)

* Resource Map- Routinely updated- <https://nnosers.navajo-nsn.gov/Resource-Map>
* Recommended podcast- <https://www.buzzsprout.com/1933521/14273048>

**Presentation- I Launch, by Amanda Williams, Navajo Nation, Dept. Special Education**

 Core Strategies

* Developmental screening and assessment
* Home visiting
* Infant and early childhood mental health consultations
* Positive Dine Parenting- Focus on adverse child experiences and positive child experiences with a focus on traditional Dine parenting practices
* Integration of behavioral health into primary care settings

 Other offerings

* Professional development- Cultural Competency
* Navajo Nation Early Childhood Collaborative
* Early Childhood Speakers Series (Podcast)
* Navajo Nation Early Childhood Resource Map

**Question**

Does ADE have a trauma-sensitive schools grant open.

* I don’t believe so
* Resource- <https://www.azed.gov/wellness/csw>

**Requests**

* If a program in your community uses trauma-informed practices, please share it with rene@buildingcommunityflagstaff.com to share it with Angie, ED, and the AZ ACEs Consortium. Coming soon: Trauma-Informed Organization Certification
* If you or your community have a request for training on ACEs, Resiliency, or Trauma-Informed Practices, please send it to rene@buildingcommunityflagstaff.com to share with Sandi Cimino

**Next Meeting**

Wednesday, February 21st, 12 pm- 1 pm

Potential Presentation- Randy Begay, San Carlos- Trauma Responsive School