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## Response and Evaluation Team Report

Concerning 13 CSR 35-35.100 which requires that the Response and Evaluation Team shall review the evaluation tool and report format established under this section at least twice each year and submit a report to the Children's Division making any recommendations for changes in the tool. The Reports shall be due each year on or before July 1<sup>st</sup> and January 1<sup>st</sup>, the first report being due July 1, 2023.

The Response and Evaluation Team met most recently on June 20, 2023, and discussed current implementation and the reporting format. Due to the implementation timeline outlined in the regulation, there have been two reports issued (April and July 2023). The Response and Evaluation Team meets every other month to discuss measures, processes, and reporting. At this time, there are no formal changes to the report to be shared in this report. The Response and Evaluation Team is required at minimum to reevaluate this twice per year to provide feedback and make suggestions in the evaluation tool and process, including: the dashboard (metrics), Child and Family Services Review tool (Evaluation Tool), and consumer surveys.

The intent of this section of the regulation is to require ongoing evaluation of the statute and regulation after implementation is complete. As of July 1, 2023, only phase 1 has been implemented (October 2022). Phase 2 is set to come online in October 2023.

The next report from the Response and Evaluation team is due no later than January 1, 2024.

Sincerely,

Response and Evaluation Team