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Topic	Discussion	Action/Results
<b>Welcome</b>	Phillip Cunningham welcomed members and guest. Members introduced themselves for the benefit of the group.	
<b>CHS Managing Difficult Behaviors</b>	<p>Michelle Calvert, Children Home Society discussed Managing Difficult Behaviors. CHS 30 hour Map Class: Educates Foster Parents on “Together Facing the Challenge” developed by Duke University</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discipline: Teaching</li> <li>2. Manipulation: Self Preservation- Survival, Safety, Food...</li> <li>3. Address the positive</li> <li>4. Kids lie, Keep safe, “Magical Thinking” – Coping skills</li> <li>5. Give the kids tasks: Age Appropriate</li> <li>6. Level 1: Interventions</li> <li>7. Online version is an Evidence Based Program</li> </ol> <p>Other resources:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Triple P: Positive Parenting Program Fliers</li> <li>2. Class: NC Parenting Brain on Technology April 22, 2016 - <a href="http://www.ncpen.org">www.ncpen.org</a></li> <li>3. Book: The Connected Child, Dr. Karyn Purvis \$17.00.</li> <li>4. Website has a workbook-Free and a 2-3 minute video / Templates</li> <li>5. Pinterest’s: Search Behavioral Management Plan</li> <li>6. Sleep Hygiene for Children flyer</li> <li>7. What’s Your Parenting Style Quiz</li> </ol>	For your information



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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8. Positive Parenting Tips for Healthy Child Development</li> <li>9. Aha!parenting.com flyer</li> <li>10. Parenting After Trauma: Understanding your Child's Needs flyer</li> <li>11. What do these Behaviors Mean flyer</li> <li>12. Facts for Families: Children with Oppositional Defiant Disorder flyer</li> <li>13. Strengthening your Family Monthly Webinar Series flyer</li> </ol>	
<p><b>YFS Nurse Supervisor</b></p>	<p>Nora King, YFS Nurse Supervisor discussed the new role of the YFS Nurses.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will attend 1<sup>st</sup> appointment</li> <li>• Verify Referrals</li> <li>• YFS Nurse on call 24/7: 704-336-2273</li> <li>• Need Parents' Permission for HEP A, Flu, Norovirus (HPV), etc.</li> </ul> <p>Foster Parents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make sick appointments</li> <li>• Emergency Care: Take to ER and Call YFS Nurse</li> <li>• Call Nurse call line at Pediatrics office with general medical questions</li> <li>• General/Elective Surgery – Contact Childs Social Worker</li> </ul> <p>Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• YFS Medical Management Flyer</li> <li>• Foster Children Medication Administration Record (MAR)</li> <li>• Foster Child Observation Log</li> <li>• Foster Care Children and Commonly Used Psychotropic Medications</li> </ul>	<p>For your information</p>



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	<p>PowerPoint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rapid Response Team</li> </ul> <p><b>Medication Administration Recording Classes:</b> This is the event I was talking about where CMPD is trying to educate folks about how and why to use the CIT officers!!!</p> <p>Also wanted to let you all know that we will be having our “Medication Administration Recording” class on the <b>following dates:</b> May 11, August 18 and Nov 15</p> <p>They will all be held at Charlotte East 5800 Executive Center Dr. at 6:30 pm. We would like to know who would be coming to the class so we can have a certificate for them.</p> <p>Please contact Nora King RN, BSN, CPN, Youth and Family Services, Nursing Supervisor, Email: <a href="mailto:Nora.king@mecklenburgcountync.gov">Nora.king@mecklenburgcountync.gov</a> Office 980-314-4131, Cell 704-516-9256, Fax 866-214-5363</p>	
<p><b>Clothing Closet</b></p>	<p>Phillip Cunningham announced Adelina Cunningham as the new Clothing Closet Coordinator.</p> <p>The MCFAPA Clothing Closet for Foster Children: <b>Hours:</b> Every Wednesday <b>Time:</b> 10:00 am - 12:00 pm (<b>Please call to confirm</b>) <b>Coordinator:</b> Adelina Cunningham <b>Location:</b> 700 E. Stonewall St., Charlotte, NC 28202 <b>Phone:</b> 704-684-0420 Fax: 704-684-0340</p>	<p>For your information</p>



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	<p><b>Email:</b> MCFAPA@windstream.net Clothing Closet is looking for Volunteers.</p>	
<b>Volunteer Coordinator</b>	<i>To be discussed at next meeting</i>	For your information
<b>Treasurer</b>	<i>To be discussed at next meeting</i>	For your information
<b>Foster Care Insurance Law</b>	<p>Will Parker discussed the new NC Senate Bill 423/Foster Care Family Act</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Automobile Liability Insurance</li> <li>• General Liability Insurance</li> <li>• General Liability Section</li> </ul> <p>Homeowners and Renters Insurance policies includes a liability coverage, If a Foster Child cause bodily Injury or property damage to someone else, your homeowners/renters insurance should cover you.</p> <p>If the biological parent of a Foster Child sue a Foster Parent for any reason, Foster Parent isn't covered by homeowners/renters insurance. The NC Senate Bill 423 was passed to protect Foster Parent.</p> <p>The NC Rate Bureau to develop liability coverage rates for this policy, specifically to protect Foster Parents from law suits by May 1, 2016. Insurance companies should introduce policy for North Carolina Foster Parents to purchase.</p>	Wandricka Borders will review with Tamara Nelson and bring back additional information...
<b>YFS Adoption Unit</b>	Whitney Johnson discussed	For your information



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Adoption Conference April 22, 2016</li> <li>• Post Adoption</li> <li>• Pre-Adoption Workshop: Next workshop July 16, 2016.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>4<sup>th</sup> Annual Adoption Conference</b></p>	<p>Chandra Tyler announced the  <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Youth Adoption Conference</b>  <i>Website:</i> <a href="http://www.charmeck.org/adoptionconference">www.charmeck.org/adoptionconference</a>  <i>Phone:</i> 704-336-5437  <i>Email:</i> <a href="mailto:dssadoptionevents@mecklenburgcountync.gov">dssadoptionevents@mecklenburgcountync.gov</a>  <i>Date:</i> June 4, 2016  <i>Time:</i> 9-2 pm  <i>Location:</i> CPCC Harris Conference Center, Charlotte NC            Registration is required</p> <p>FC Youth with the goal of Adoption &amp; Past Adoptees (12-18 years old)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Special Guest Appearance</li> <li>• Free Event</li> <li>• Free Food</li> <li>• Entertainment</li> <li>• Youth Adult Panel Session</li> </ul>	<p>For your information</p>
<p><b>Youth and Family Services (YFS)</b></p>	<p>Wandrika Boarders introduced herself to the members, asked if there were any questions for YFS at this time.</p>	<p>For your information</p>



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<b>Preplacement Questions</b>	<i>To be discussed at next meeting</i>	For your information
<b>FP Court Reporting Form</b>	<i>To be discussed at next meeting</i>	For your information
<b>Gift Card Giveaway</b>	All members in attendance put their name in a hat and Jacqui Bryant announced the winner of the \$25.00 Gift Card, the winner was Will and Mary Parker.	For your information
<b>Next meeting</b>	<b>Date:</b> July 16, 2016 <b>Time:</b> 10:00 – 1:00 PM <b>Location:</b> TBT	