

Maine Justice for Children Task Force
June 13, 2023, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Via Zoom

Welcome (10:00 a.m.-10:05 a.m.)- Chief Justice Valerie Stanfill

Annual Report Presentations and Panel Updates: (10:05 a.m.-10:45 a.m.)

- **Maine Child Welfare Advisory Panel (MCWAP) Annual Report:**
 - Deb Dunlap, MCWAP Co-Chair
 - Ahmen Cabral, MCWAP Co-Chair, Senior Policy Associate, Catherine Cutler Institute, University of Southern Maine
- **Maine Child Death and Serious Injury Review (CDSIRP) Annual Report:**
 - Dr. Amanda Brownell, Child Abuse Pediatrician, Medical Director, Spurwink Center for Safe and Healthy Families, CDSIRP Co-Chair
 - Mark Moran, LCSW, Manager, Social Services, Northern Light Eastern Maine Medical Center, Coordinator, Pediatric Forensic Clinical

Updates (10:45 a.m.-11:15 a.m.) **Maine Supreme Judicial Court-** Chief Justice Valerie Stanfill

- **An Organizational Update from the Maine Judicial Branch-** Chief Judge Brent Davis
- **An Organizational Update from the Office of the Attorney General-** Ariel Piers-Gamble, Assistant Attorney General, Chief of the Child Protective Division
- **An Organizational Update from the Office of Child and Family Services at DHHS-** Dr. Todd Landry, Director & Bobbi Johnson, Associate Director
- **An Organizational Update from the Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services,** Jim Billings, Executive Director

Strategic Plan Updates (11:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.)

- **Race and Equity Committee Update:** Mary Bonauto & Regina Phillips
- **Parent Curriculum Workgroup Update:** Kelly Dell'Aquila, Jamie Brooks, and Karen Tompkins
- **Continuing Education Subcommittee:** Betsy Boardman
- **Discussion on Additional Strategic Plan Items**
 - MCWAP Recommendations:
 - Subcommittee to explore and make recommendations for how to improve the retention and recruitment of parent attorneys.
 - Subcommittee to explore and make recommendations for how to improve the retention and recruitment of Guardians ad litem.

2023 Meeting Dates: March 14th (cancelled due to weather), June 13th, September 12, December 12th.

ADJOURN (12:00 p.m.)