

Official Representation of VACCRRRA on Critical Statewide Committees

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As you know, VACCRRRA is committed to being a collaborative participating partner in the evolution of Vermont's new comprehensive early care, health and education system. We accept responsibility for being a statewide voice for high quality child care.

In order to do this most effectively, we are asking identified individuals already involved with various groups to accept the additional, conscious responsibility for serving as VACCRRRA liaisons.

What does this mean? Two things:

1. They will identify themselves as representing VACCRRRA as well as their agency, and
2. They will take responsibility for sharing minutes, issues, and questions that VACCRRRA would be interested in with VACCRRRA Coordinator Karyn Carstensen (vaccrra@verizon.net), who will then distribute them for reflection and potential response.

Professional Preparation and Development Committee, Early Childhood Work Group

*Claire Kendall (FCWC)

Early Childhood Work Group Steering Committee

*Kim Friedman (WCCA)

State team for Children and Families

*Joanne Mattsson (VAC)

Head Start

*Joanne Mattsson (VAC)

Success by Six/Early Childhood Councils

Barbara Saunders (MJCC)

Data and Evaluation Task Group, BBF

*Elizabeth Meyer (CCR)

Public Engagement Coordinating Committee, BBF

*Kim Friedman (WCCA)

Finance Task Group, BBF

*Ellen Pratt (WCCA)

Transition Task Force, BBF

*Elizabeth Meyer (CCR) (if / when it reconvenes)

BBF Facilities Group

Barbara Saunders (MJCC)

Child Development Division Partners/Staff meetings

*Elizabeth Christie (WCCA)

*Joanne Mattsson (VAC)

Elizabeth Meyer (CCR)

Vermont Community Loan Fund

Barbara Saunders (MJCC)

Vermont AIRS

*Laurel Green (WCCA)

Child Care Fund of Vermont

Barbara Saunders (MJCC)

STARS Advisory Committee

*Claire Kendall (FCWC)

Child Care Advisory Board

Linda Bennett (BCCCA)

