



Court Orders Impacting Child Forensic Interviews Meeting Minutes



January 14, 2021

2:00PM – 3:00PM

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ATTENDANCE

Members Present
Subcommittee Chair, Judge Daniel Dawson
Subcommittee Co-Chair, Alan F. Abramowitz
Child Forensic Interview Advisory Committee Chair, Jay Howell
Lorena M. Vollrath-Bueno
Candice Brower
Theresa E. Simak
Sub-committee members not present: Kelly Swartz, Terrence Watts, Valerie Stanley
DOH Staff Present
Marceller Hines
Guests Present
N/A

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Welcome:

- Meeting started at 2:07PM

Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting:

- Subcommittee reviewed and approved minutes from the previous subcommittee meeting:
 - September 24, 2020

Models Follow-Up:

- Model Administrative Order for Protocol for use of Facility dogs or Therapy animals in court proceedings
- Model Chief Judges Child Interview Limitation Order
- Standardization of administrative orders limiting child interviews
 - (juvenile rule) 9 14 16 statute that need to be changed or do bill amendment recommend it be 18 to include all minors
- Models were approved to move forward to the Main CFIAC committee that will include in the subcommittee report

Draft Language of Report:

- Draft language of the creation letter was discussed
- Note that the report should include how CFIAC met the 'Recommendations' listed on page six (a – f on page #3)
- Using the same format used from the Child Forensic Interview Task Force
- Jay will provide guidance on the most appropriate format to model
- Need references and or resources

Next Steps:

- Judge Dawson will generate the draft week of January 18th

Next Meeting:

- February 1, 2021; 2:00PM – 3:00PM

Adjourn:

- Meeting was adjourned at 2:35PM