



CHILD WELFARE COUNCIL

MEETING AGENDA

**Wednesday, September 9th, 2026,
9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Committee meetings to follow at 1:30pm

California Health and Human Services Agency

1215 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, California Room 110A-110B

Parking Garage (CASH ONLY): 1517 13th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

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TIME	ITEM	PRESENTERS
9:30 AM	Call to Order: 1. Welcome/Roll Call, 2. Announcements	Justice Stacy Boulware Eurie , Co-Chair Secretary Kim Johnson , Co-Chair
9:40 AM	Public Comment	<i>Members of the Public</i>
9:50 AM	CalHHS Update: Budget and Legislative	Secretary Kim Johnson , Co-Chair
10:00 AM	Committee Updates: <i>Youth Justice Committee</i> <i>Permanency Committee</i>	Justice Stacy Boulware Eurie Katherine Lucero Bob Friend, Amanda McKinney

	<i>Data Linkage & Information Sharing Committee</i> <i>Behavioral Health Committee</i> <i>Prevention and Early Intervention Committee</i> <i>Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children Action Team</i> <i>Empowerment Committee</i>	Daniel Webster Karen Larsen, Pete Weldy Kathryn Icenhower, Dana Blackwell Leslie Heimov, Kate Walker Brown Jevon Wilkes
10:30 AM	Information Item: <i>Mandated Reporting Advisory Committee (MRAC) Update</i>	Kathryn Icenhower and Dana Blackwell, PEI Co-Chairs and MRAC Tri-Chairs
10:45 AM	Information Item: <i>New Project: TAY Population and Homelessness</i>	Bob Friend and Amanda McKinney, Permanency Co-Chairs
11:15 AM	Information Item: <i>PEI Presentation "A Focus on Child and Family Well-Being"</i>	Kathryn Icenhower, Dana Blackwell , and representatives from Calaveras County, Ohio Department of Children and Youth, and the Integrated Human Services Group
12:30 PM	Adjourn Next meeting: Dec. 9, 2026	Justice Stacy Boulware Eurie, Co-Chair Secretary Kim Johnson, Co-Chair

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In-Person Room Locations for Committees on September 9th, 2026, 1215 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, 1st and 11th Floor

Exact meeting rooms for committees meeting in person or hybrid are to be determined.

Permanency Committee Hybrid Meeting Information

Date/Time: September 9th, 2026, 01:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Virtual Participant Link

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Data Linkages & Information Sharing Committee

Virtual Meeting Information

Date/Time: September 9th, 2026, 01:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Virtual Participant Link

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Behavioral Health Committee

Zoom Meeting Information

Date/Time: September 9th, 2026, 01:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

The Empowerment Committee will be joining this joint committee meeting, which is virtual only.

Virtual Participant Link

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 894 4361 4081

Passcode: 655889

Prevention & Early Intervention (PEI) Committee

Hybrid Meeting Information

Date/Time: September 9th, 2026, 01:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Virtual Participant Link

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Youth Justice Committee (YJC)

Virtual Meeting Information

Date/Time: September 9th, 2026, 01:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Virtual Participant Link

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 160 906 6481

Passcode: 967735

Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) Action Team

Virtual Meeting Information

The CSEC Action Team does not meet on the same day as the Child Welfare Council. The date of the next meeting is September 16, 2026, and information is posted on the Child Welfare Council's website.

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Empowerment Committee

Virtual Meeting Information

The Empowerment Committee will be joining the Behavioral Health Committee.

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