

Rock County Child Protective Services Case Review Focus Groups

Share Your Opinion!

The Butler Institute for Families at the University of Denver is conducting a review of Rock County Child Protective Services' (CPS) current and recent CPS cases to assess policies and practices compared to state and federal rules, guidelines, and best-practices.

Focus groups will be held for:

Foster parents (including kin foster parents)

Birth parents or a parent who has had a CPS case in their family

Youth/young adults with experience in foster care

Child Protective Services (CPS) staff

Providers (health, behavioral health, child placement agencies, residential care, other Rock County Human Service divisions)

Court personnel

Court-Appointed Special Advocates (CASA)

Other interested parties (law enforcement, schools, transportation, etc.)

Parents (who have/had an open CPS case), foster parents, and youth will receive a \$25 gift card for participating.

Confidential 75-minute focus groups will be offered at various days and times between May 16-27, 2022 and will be specific to various stakeholder groups (for example, foster parents, birth parents, providers, court personnel). In other words, there won't be any mixed groups!

Focus groups will be hosted via Zoom by the Butler Institute. Participants can join using their own computers. Alternatively, participants can call in on the phone or we can also help set up a private space and computer for you to log in to the focus group.

(depending upon your identified stakeholder group, you will be offered choices for dates)



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