

## I-PAC Workgroups Report Summary

Date

September 17, 2025

### CCBHC Workgroup Recommendations

Item #	Description
1.	The CCBHC Workgroup recommends the Council add to the agenda a CCBHC presentation by Spring 2026. Suggestions for invitations would be; CCHBC providers and/or HHS contacts Wendy DePhillips and Laura Larkin to educate the Council on the effects of the implementation in the first year.
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### Children's Issues Workgroup Recommendations

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1.	The Children's workgroup recommends the Council request that Iowa PCA create a guide with terms and definitions of the work they are doing. Example: what does system navigation mean? What does a district mean? Who are the system navigators or district leaders?
2.	The Children's workgroup recommends the Council learn more about lack of resources and providers with knowledge of treating RAD. Other states have programs and Iowa seems to be lacking in this support.
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### Older Iowans Workgroup Recommendations


Item #	Description
1.	The Older Iowans workgroup recommends the Council request a report on OIL meeting.
2.	The Older Iowans workgroup recommends the Council request a report on ADRC training portal.
3.	The Older Iowans workgroup recommends asking for presentations from Senator Claire Celsi, John Hale, Dean Lerner and other partners as appropriate about the 14 nursing home bills and other related issues. Examples of other related issues include respite care, oral health, and tax incentive for family caregivers.
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### Strategic Planning Workgroup Recommendations

Item #	Description
1.	The Strategic Planning workgroup would like to recommend Council members review and vote on the proposed logo.
2.	The Strategic Planning workgroup would like to share a step-by-step guide for accessing the shared document on the google drive repository.

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### Substance Use Disorder Workgroup Recommendations

Item #	Description
1.	The Substance Use Disorder workgroup recommends the Council members review presentation materials and recordings of District Advisory Councils in regard to the Opioid Settlement information and feedback received.
2.	<p>The Substance Use Disorder workgroup recommends the Council members review the Opioid Settlement Fund Bill House File 1038 document.</p>  <p>Opioid Settlement Fund Bill House File 1038</p>
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### Public Safety Workgroup Recommendations

Item #	Description
1.	The Public Safety group recommends that Council members monitor and be aware of the school safety assessment teams recently signed into law. (Contact from School Safety Board through DPS).
2.	The Public Safety group recommends that Council members understand Competency Restoration and consider future presentations from Dr. Derek Hess and/or CSA.
3.	The Public Safety group recommends that Council members continue to understand and support criminal diversion programs for individuals with mental health and substance use conditions. CIT, AOT, SIM, Problem Solving Courts, Mobile Crisis. Suggested speaker: Richard Gordon or Abbe Center
4.	The Public Safety group recommends the Council monitor past and pending litigation related to injuries to staff and patients at the Mental Health Institutes. Recommend the Council learn more about staff development/security staffing gaps/proactive training at the MHI's. Possible contacts include Dr. Derek Hess, Cory Turner, Kathy Norris, Marsha Edgington.