

Meeting Agenda – October 20, 2026

Division: Family Well-Being and Protection

Meeting Topic: Child Protection Council/State Citizen Review Panel

Facilitator: Vera Wallican, CJA Coordinator

Date: October 20, 2026

Time: 10:00 AM – Noon CST

Location: Teams:

<https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/234301637048504?p=GkSrC8axfh3l7Pbdya>

Meeting ID: 234 301 637 048 504

Passcode: BW6i5d8C

Dial in by phone: 1-469-998-6046

Phone conference ID: 615 928 630#

Objective

Required bi-monthly meeting

Meeting Participants

Maria Anderson, Wendy Berkey, Floyd Bumpers Jr., Amy Carpenter, Elizabeth J. Cervantes, Dr. Kristina Cook, Sarah Downey, Scot Eden, Judge Peter Gierut, Danica Haas, Michelle Hynes, Alexandria Jensen, Cheryll Jones, Chief Jim Lester, Nick Maybanks, Hope Metheny, Justin Siefken, Kathleen Thompson, Clarice Vincent, Vera Wallican - CJA Coordinator

Agenda Topic and Items

10:00 Call to Order

Introduction Of Panel Members

Roll Call

Approval of August 18, 2026 Meeting Minutes

Announcements

10:15 Presenter: Andrea Dencklau, MSW

Research and Systems Innovation Director at Iowa ACEs 360

Topic: Iowa ACEs 360 and Child Abuse Prevention

10:45 AM Presenter: Stacy Schultz
NCMEC Senior Resources Specialist, CST/RST
Topic: NCMEC Resources and Protocols

11:15 Presenter: Justin Siefken, HHS Child Protection Policy Program Manager
Topic: Review Human Trafficking and Commercial Sexual Exploitation Screening

11:30 Presenters: Craig Smith, HHS Foster Care Program Manager
Stephanie Clark, HHS Adoption/Safe Haven/Subsidized Guardianship Program
Manager
Topic: Foster Parent Licensing and Redesign

12:00 - Adjourn

Remaining Fiscal Year 2027 Meeting Schedule:

December 15, 2026

Virtual Format

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Tuesday, February 23, 2027

Virtual Format

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Tuesday, April 20, 2027

Virtual Format

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
