**Vision:** A System of Care with the capacity to serve all children across all child-serving systems.

**Mission:** WV SOC is a public private consumer partnership dedicated to building and maintaining effective community based services and supports for children and youth with, or at-risk for behavioral health related challenges, and their families.

**Population of Focus:** Children/adolescents ages at risk of or placed in an out of home treatment setting.

**ISSUES:**
1. As of May 2012, 261 children/youth placed in group/psychiatric residential care out of state through child welfare.
2. As of June 2012, 128 children/youth in parental custody placed in psychiatric residential facilities out of state.
4. An average of 301 youth served in juvenile services monthly.

**CORE VALUES:**
1. Family Driven/youth guided practices
2. Services are individualized, strength-based, developmentally appropriate
3. Services are coordinated
4. Services/supports are trauma informed/trauma sensitive
5. Services/supports are accessible and available
6. Service and supports support youth transition into adulthood
7. Incorporate and promote early identification and interventions.

**GOALS:**
1. WV will have an integrated infrastructure of fiscal, policy and regulatory standards to support a statewide system of care
2. WV will have a service delivery practice model based upon system of care values and best practice standards
3. WV will have a comprehensive array of services and supports that meet the individualized needs of children, youth and their families.
4. WV will have an integrated infrastructure that incorporates family-driven and youth guided practices

**STRATEGIES/ACTIONS FY 2013:**
1. Implement the readiness tool/practice guidelines/ tool-kits.
2. Implement a communication process between Regional Summits, Community Collaborative Teams and the System of Care Implementation Team
3. Implement a formal process for recommendations
4. Continue to roll-out and sustain the following best practice models: trauma informed, family centered/family engagement, System of Care 101, WV CANS, and WV-Community Based Teams (wrap around), WV CAPS
5. Assess and evaluate the barriers for children in parental custody in out of home/state psychiatric placement
6. Support the three family organizations/networks as they build statewide capacity for family and youth voice.

**OUTCOMES:**
1. Increase community-based services/supports.
2. Increase cross system partnership/communication
3. Minimum of of 500 individuals will be trained by June 30th in one of the best practice supported trainings
4. Minimum of 2 agencies will report being trauma informed
5. 10 child serving agencies ready to integrate System of Care values/principles into practice via readiness tool
6. Sustainable training plan
7. Youth rep on the SIT team

**STRATEGIES/ACTIONS FY 2013 (continued):**
7. Recommend the development/continuation of 1 or 2 community based services/supports
8. WV will promote continuous quality improvement and accountability
9. WV will establish a date-driven decision-making process