How Can California Best Serve the Needs of Youth Involved with Both the Dependency and Delinquency Systems?

An Informational Hearing of the Assembly Committees on Human Services, Judiciary and Public Safety

February 22, 2017
1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
State Capitol, Room 4202

- Opening Statements by Committee Chairs

- How Youth are Impacted by the Overlap Between the Dependency and Delinquency Systems and What Do We Know – and Don’t Know – About Youth Involved with Both Systems
  - **Blade Oestreich** (Policy Assistant, California Youth Connection)
  - **Jennifer Rodriguez** (Executive Director, Youth Law Center)
  - **Jessica Heldman** (Associate Executive Director, Robert F. Kennedy National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice at Robert F. Kennedy Children’s Action Corps)

- How California and Other States are Addressing the Needs of Youth Involved with Both the Dependency and Delinquency Systems

  A. Current California Law Governing Dually Involved Youth
     - **Will Lighbourne** (Director, Department of Social Services Director)
     - **Cathy Senderling-McDonald** (Deputy Executive Director, County Welfare Directors Association of California)
     - **Rosie McCool** (Deputy Director, Chief Probation Officers of California)
B. Innovative Local Programs

- Judge Carolyn Caietti (San Diego Superior Court)
- Dave McManus (Assistant Chief Probation Officer, Placer County Probation Department)
- Barbara Duey (Crossover Resource Director, Children’s Law Center of California, Los Angeles)
- Michelle Callejas (Deputy Director, Sacramento County Department of Health and Human Services, Child Protective Services)
- Michael Shores (Assistant Chief Probation Officer, Sacramento County Probation Department)
- Judge Stacy Boulware Eurie (Sacramento Superior Court and Member, Commission on the Future of California’s Court System)
- Jessica Heldman (Associate Executive Director, Robert F. Kennedy National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice at Robert F. Kennedy Children’s Action Corps)

- Next Steps - How Can California Better Support Dually Involved Youth and Better Design Programs to Help Them?
  - Jessica Heldman (Associate Executive Director, Robert F. Kennedy National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice at the Robert F. Kennedy Children’s Action Corps)
  - Judge Carolyn Caietti (San Diego Superior Court)
  - Cathy Senderling-McDonald (Deputy Executive Director, County Welfare Directors Association of California)
  - Lee Seale (Chief Probation Officer, Sacramento County Probation Department)
  - Jennifer Rodriguez (Executive Director, Youth Law Center)

- Public Comment

- Closing Statements by Committee Chairs