
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR
FROM: RILEY
SUBJECT: FOLLOW-UP TO 1/5/01 MEETING WITH CHARLOTTE EARLY CHILDHOOD TEAM
DATE 1/8/01
CC: SIMMONS
TELL
SHEARER

I am following up on the two matters discussed below pursuant to your meeting this past Friday with representatives of the Charlotte Early Childhood Team:

1. Department of Health contract with Sara Rosenbaum: Roy Hart mentioned that the Department of Health would like to contract with Sara Rosenbaum of George Washington University's School of Public and Health Policy for a review of the existing Medicaid State Plan to identify potential additional funding or services that the state could offer to develop a comprehensive system of medical, developmental and mental health services for children up to eight years of age. Hart said that the Department of Health wants to get your okay on this before pursuing a contract with Rosenbaum.

2. Cost/benefit analysis: Carol Burnett stated that the Office of Children and Youth's enhancement funds (Child Care Development Funds) could be used for a cost/benefit analysis, such as that discussed of a cost/benefit analysis of Head Start v. DHS's current certificate program.

Please advise as to any action you would like to take in these areas or additional information that you would like to see. Thank you.