



## **Recommendations from Previous Reports on ‘Trauma’**

**Below are recommendations from previously released reports in North Carolina**

1. Project Broadcast: provide training, support, and infrastructure to mental health clinicians and child welfare professionals in order to increase access to evidence-based treatments for child trauma victims within child welfare settings. In turn, these professionals will provide more effective mental (NC CAPTA Grant Plan for NCDSS 2012)
2. Address key issues contributing to SW turnover including disparity, secondary traumatic stress, and the effectiveness of the Child Welfare Collaborative. (NC Statewide CPS Evaluations)
3. Support the Establishment and Continuation of Trauma-Informed Practices and Communities. (NCIOM)
4. Ensure that the articulated vision supports a parallel process for shifting the culture of the workplace to provide culturally-competent, trauma-informed, family-centered, and safety-focused environments to support social services staff at the county, regional, and Central Office levels. (Child Welfare Reform CSF OSBM Contracted)
5. Partnership Cultivation-External stakeholders need to be engaged on a regular and ongoing basis as North Carolina develops a culturally-competent, trauma-informed, family-centered, and safety-focused child welfare system. (Child Welfare Reform CSF OSBM Contracted)
6. Statewide Practice Framework: The state and CSF should begin immediately to further explore the fit and feasibility of adapting and effectively implementing Safety Organized Practice (SOP) as the comprehensive statewide practice framework to create consistency in child welfare practice that is trauma-informed, culturally-competent, family-centered, and safety-focused throughout North Carolina. (Child Welfare Reform CSF OSBM Contracted)
7. Include in the practice framework a specific approach to child and family teams or CFTs to align with a family-centered, culturally-competent, trauma-informed, safety-focused child welfare system. (Child Welfare Reform CSF OSBM Contracted)
8. Assess Project Broadcast or review assessments that have been done to understand the extent to which it has been implemented and its impact on children and families. (Child Welfare Reform CSF OSBM Contracted)



9. Identification of Outcomes That Are Consistent with a Safety-Focused, Family-Centered, Trauma-Informed, Culturally-Competent Child Welfare System: Adopt outcome measures aligned with a safety-focused, family-centered, trauma-informed, culturally-competent system. (Child Welfare Reform CSF OSBM Contracted)
10. Coordinated Trauma Treatment (CWLA Child Welfare and Finance Reform)