Data Technical Advisory Committee

Children's Trust of Alachua County

April 28, 2022

Our Objectives

We are a policy creating committee!

1. The data collection processes and specific data elements that CTAC will need to require to meet the information needs of the Trust contracts (which may differ based on the contract objectives).

2. The data management infrastructure the Trust will need to collect and hold information in compliance with any confidentiality or privacy standards that apply.

3. The type(s) of analytics tools, dissemination procedures, and quality improvement processes the Trust should have in order to make effective use of the data.

Topics for Policy Discussion

Up for discussion and recommendations today:

▪ **What is our data strategy?** (i.e., philosophy, intent, and approach)

▪ **How do we gather information?** (i.e., methods, processes, data sharing agreements)

Future meeting discussions:

▪ **How do we secure information?** (i.e., data system, information management, security, HIPAA compliance)

▪ **How do we share results?** (i.e., communication, dissemination plan and tools)

What data are we collecting now?

Data to help us to monitor program performance and learn about the children we are serving.

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Participants Served -> Program	Strategy	Goal
211 pregnant women -> Family Partner	Support Maternal & Child Health	Children are born healthy & remain healthy.
293 families with newborns -> NewboRN		
No report * -> Pace Reach	Support Mental Health & Substance Abuse Prevention	
No report * -> PALS		
140 children -> Wellness Coordinator	Support Physical Health	
	Improve Food Security	
44 teachers -> Transformative Professional Development	Support Professional Development & Capacity Building	Children learn what they need to be successful.
19 owners / directors -> V'Locity Master Class		
7 programs* -> Youth Development Capacity Building Collaborative		
327 children -> Afterschool	Expand Access to High Quality Childcare, Afterschool, & Summer Programs	
Coming soon** -> Summer		
153 children -> Imagination Library	Support Literacy & Other Academic Supports	
47 children* -> Bridge Literacy Program		
1,184 children* -> Operation Full STEAM		
Coming soon** -> Freedom Schools		
	Support Special Needs	
0* -> New Tech Now	Support Career Exploration & Preparation	
Coming soon** -> TeensWork Alachua		
0* -> Help Me Grow	Support Initiatives that Connect Families to Resources	Children have nurturing & supportive caregivers & relationships.
273 parents -> Family Resource Centers		
37 parents* ->Project YouthBuild Parenting Program	Improve Family Strengthening & Supports	
	Support Injury Prevention	Children live in a safe community.
26 children* -> Big Brothers, Big Sisters	Support Initiatives that Prevent Delinquency / Truancy	
6,831 children* -> Peaceful Paths Prevention Program	Support Violence Prevention Initiatives	

- Each provider has unique requirements based on the type of service they provide.

Our Pathway to Improve Child Outcomes

Fiscal Year 2022, Data submitted thru February 2022

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*Contracts started January 1, 2022

**Contracts will begin providing services for youth in June 2022

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How do we know we are making a difference?

Individual Program Performance	Evaluating our program performance metrics 50+ contracts
Strategy-Level Results	Program evaluation rolled up to the investment areas
Population-Level Impact	CTAC's prioritized child well-being indicators How do strategy-level results translate to population impact?
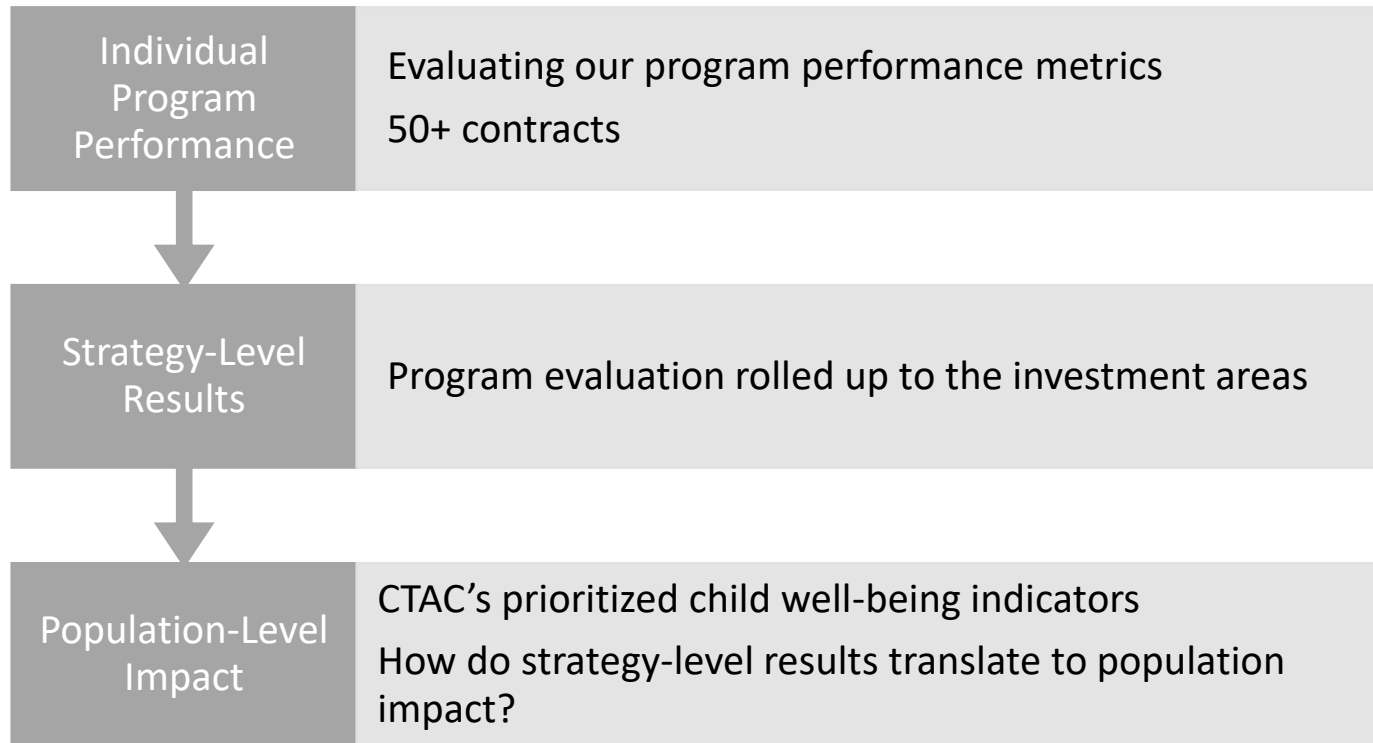
Common Demographics Collected

- Gender

- Age

- Race

- Ethnicity

- Language

- Residence City

- Residence ZIP code

- Grade (school age youth only)

- School (school age youth only)

Why?

✓ Type of information collected varies based on the program.

How is data collected?

- **Monthly Reports**
  - Includes aggregate counts and narrative on program activities.
- **Google Drive**
  - Each provider has their own unique file.
  - Access is limited to providers and CTAC who have a legitimate reason to access the information.
  - No personally identifying info is collected.

❖ **Recommendation**:
    -> Providers enter information directly into a Data System.

What are pros and cons?

Cons:

-Inefficient

-Limited

-Questionable

Pros:

-Flexible

❖ **What are your policy recommendations regarding how information is collected?**

Questions Raised

1) **How are parents informed about the collection and use of data; why do we need the specific data being collected, how do we protect it?**

2) **Do participants receiving CTAC funded services have the option to opt-out of data collection? vs. CTAC accountability requirements and statutory responsibility to evaluate effectiveness.**

3) What do we require of contracted providers in terms of data collection, security, management? → Data security

4) **Do we want to share/exchange data with other agencies in the County?**

Consent Process -
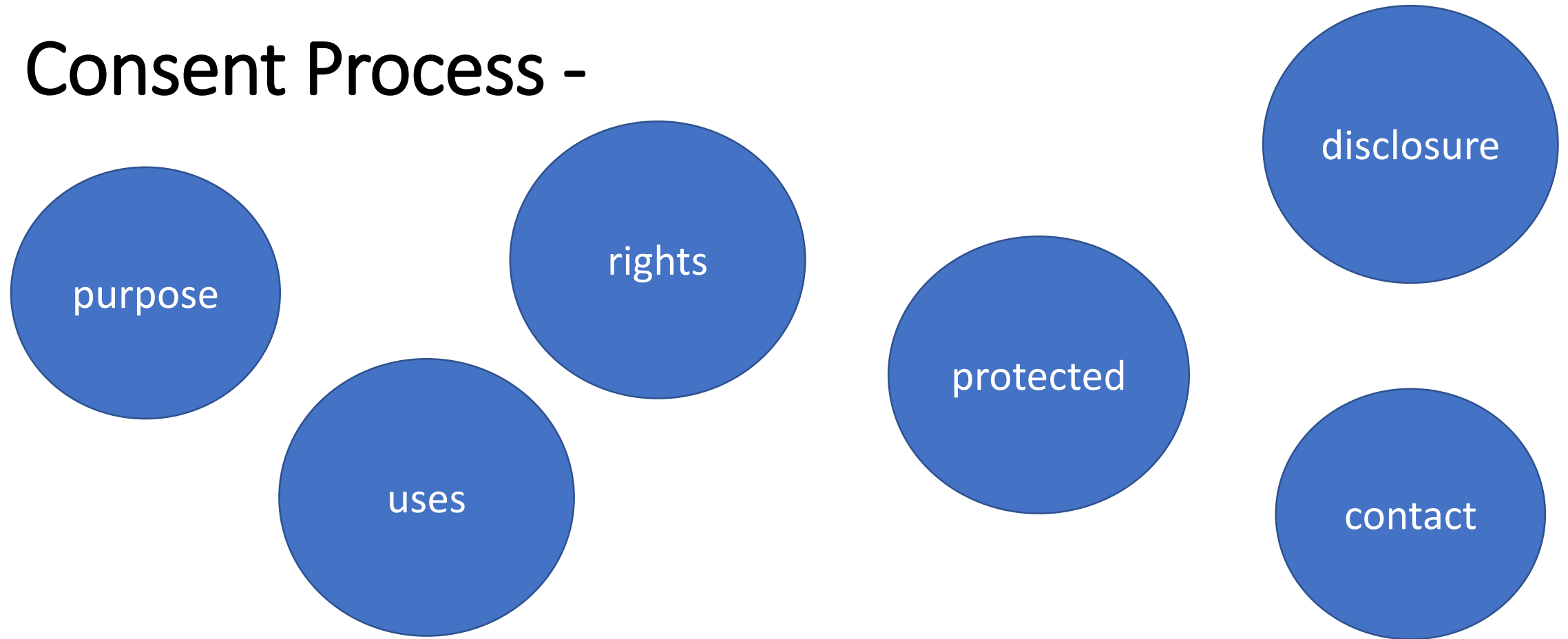
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What recommended language should the Trust's Data Collection and Management Policy have pertaining to Participant Consent?
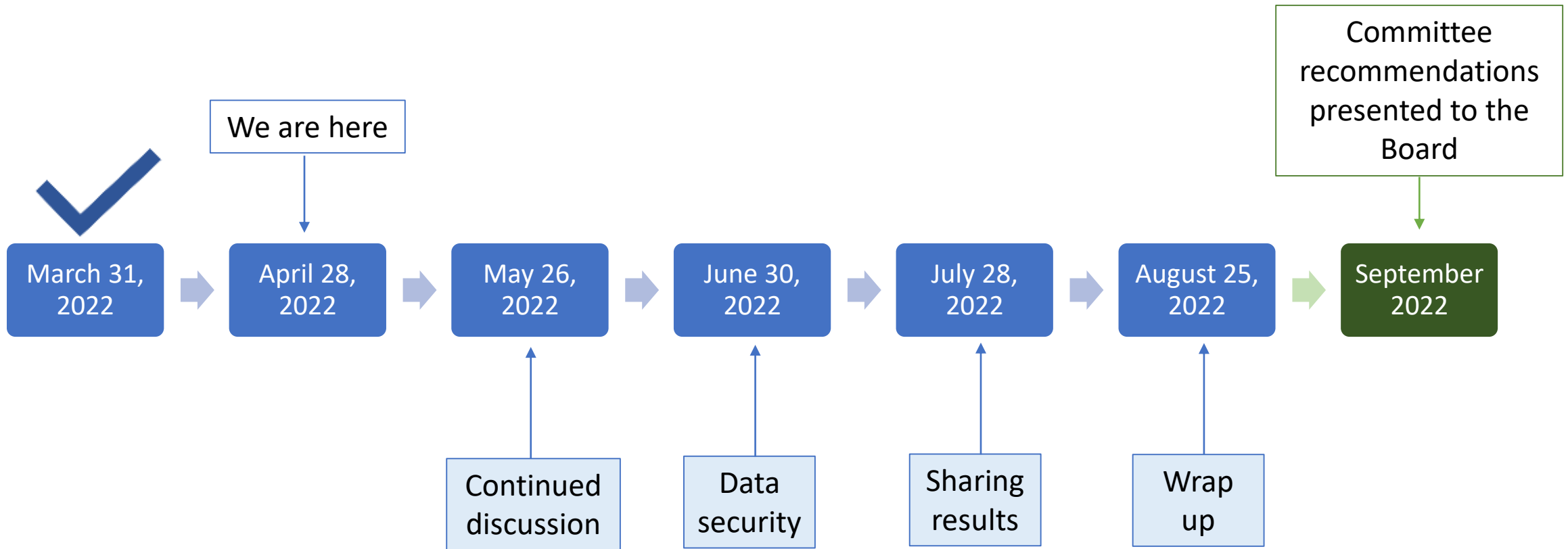
Data Sharing -

- Is it acceptable?

- For what purpose?

- Under what conditions?

What recommended language should the Trust's Data Collection and Management Policy have pertaining to Data Sharing?

What is next?

We are here

March 31, 2022 → April 28, 2022 → May 26, 2022 → June 30, 2022 → July 28, 2022 → August 25, 2022 → September 2022

Committee recommendations presented to the Board

Continued discussion

Data security

Sharing results

Wrap up

Public Comment

IN PERSON: Please complete a Comment Card from the registration table.

ZOOM: Please complete a Virtual Comment Card found here:

www.childrenstrustofalachuacounty.us/commentcard

Priority Goals and Indicators

Children are born and remain healthy.
- Low Birth Weight
- Hospitalizations for Self-Inflicted Injuries
- Bacterial STDs
- Child Food Insecurity Rate

Children have nurturing, supportive caregivers and relationships.
- Child Maltreatment Victims
- Youth Arrested
- Children in Out-of-Home Came

Children learn what they need to be successful.
- Ready for Kindergarten
- 3rd Grade Reading Proficiency
- 8th Grade Reading Proficiency
- High School Graduation Rates

Children life in a safe community.
- Social Vulnerability Index
- DCF Findings for Inadequate Supervision
- Violent Crime
- Unintentional Non-Fatal Injury Hospitalizations

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