

## **Katie A. Negotiation Workgroup Meeting Headlines**

**October 13, 2011**

During its October 13, 2011 meeting, the Negotiation Workgroup welcomed new members from the California Department of Mental Health, the California Mental Health Directors Association, the California Department of Health Care Services, United Advocates for Children and Families, and Los Angeles County (a list of all current Workgroup members is attached); discussed the urgency of implementation of the Katie A. Settlement Agreement; reviewed all elements of the Settlement Agreement including the timelines; and reviewed and recommitted to the importance of the Katie A. Group consensus-building Interest Based Decision Making (IBDM) process.