

Interagency Council for Ending the Achievement Gap

January 21, 2016

3 – 5 p.m.

Legislative Office Building

Hearing Room 1A

- I. **Welcome, Introductions and Announcements**
The Honorable Nancy Wyman, Lieutenant Governor, State of Connecticut
- II. **Acceptance of Meeting Minutes from October 15, 2015, Meeting**
- III. **What Can Happen When “Outside the Schoolhouse” and “Inside the Schoolhouse” Partner**
 - Preventing and Ending Homelessness in Connecticut**
Evonne Klein, Commissioner
Connecticut Department of Housing

Lisa Tepper Bates, Executive Director
Connecticut Coalition to End Homelessness

Louis Tallarita, Education Consultant
McKinney-Vento State Coordinator
Connecticut State Department of Education
- IV. **Every Student Succeeds Act**
Dr. Dianna Wentzell, Commissioner
Connecticut State Department of Education
- V. **Achievement Gap Task Force Update**
Achievement Gap Task Force Members
- VI. **Upcoming Legislative Reporting Requirements**
Charlene Russell-Tucker, Chief Operating Officer
Connecticut State Department of Education
 - a. Annual Report of the Interagency Council for Ending Chronic Absence
 - b. Chronic Absenteeism Prevention and Intervention Plan
- VII. **Next Meeting** – Thursday, April 7, 2016, 3 – 5 p.m.
- VIII. **Adjournment**