

## **CARA Workgroup Information**

### **CARA Stakeholder Workgroup**

This workgroup is attended by a broad range of stakeholders throughout New Mexico who advise the CARA program on a wide range of issues related to the administration of CARA Plans of Care specifically, and issues relevant to the provision of services to families affected by substance use in New Mexico. For meetings dates and times and additional information, please email [cara.cyfd@cyfd.nm.gov](mailto:cara.cyfd@cyfd.nm.gov), or contact Melissa Soto at (505) 256-8759 or Lisa Rohleder, 505-396-0423

### **CARA Indigenous Workgroup**

The Indigenous Workgroup is composed of representatives of the 23 Tribes, Pueblos, and Navajo Nation in NM, along with other CARA stakeholders who advise the CARA Program on the implementation of Plans of Care with tribal members and in partnership with tribal family services departments. The CARA Indigenous Workgroup meets virtually the 4th Tuesday of each month from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. For additional information about this workgroup, please contact the host, Susan Merrill, at [Susan.Merrill@doh.nm.gov](mailto:Susan.Merrill@doh.nm.gov) or (505) 470-4032

### **CARA Supporting Expecting Parents Workgroup**

Members of this workgroup support CARA Program efforts to improve outreach and supportive services to people who are affected by substance use during pregnancy. Membership is open to all interested individuals. Contact Lisa Rohleder, [lisa.rohleder2@cyfd.nm.gov](mailto:lisa.rohleder2@cyfd.nm.gov) for more information or call 505-396-0423.