



## **2025-2030 Children's Cabinet Strategic Plan**

### **Vision**

Better outcomes for children and families.

### **Purpose**

"The Georgia Children's Cabinet is charged with supporting a sustainable and comprehensive system of education and care to best serve the children and families in each region of our state."

Governor Brian Kemp, Governor's Executive Order, 12 June 2019

### **Approach**

The Georgia Children's Cabinet provides a place to collaborate, make connections, share information, identify gaps in services and address those gaps and better link services. We lend our voice to shared needs. The Cabinet is a place to develop and coordinate statewide initiatives using a 2 Gen approach. We are working together to move the needle on issues for children and families which includes improving the safety, health, and literacy of children and families across the state.

### **Goal Areas**

#### **Family Engagement**

The Cabinet sees parents/adult caregivers are the experts when it comes to what their families need to thrive. The Cabinet will encourage the engagement of families in the design of programs and systems, implementation, and evaluation.

#### **Preventive and Proactive Interventions**

The Cabinet will identify and coordinate its work on preventive measures that address root causes and take proactive steps to mitigate risks and increase family resilience. The Cabinet will take holistic approach to improving family outcomes and in developing and implementing programs and policy.

#### **Best Practices and Innovative Ideas**

The Cabinet will be a hub for learning about innovative ideas, national trends, and best practices.

#### **2 Gen Capacity Building**

The Cabinet will continue to build capacity for 2 Gen approaches (whole family) that improve the economic and social conditions for families through interagency collaborations, professional development, projects, and outreach.



## Strategic Priorities

GOAL AREAS			
Family Engagement	Preventative and proactive interventions	Best practices and innovative ideas	Expand our 2 Gen Capacity
Strategic Initiatives			
Align terminology to communicate to families in simple terms. Incorporate family centered design principles into family facing products, systems, and forms.	Develop integrated home visiting programs.	Learn about innovative practices to improve outcomes for children and families (e.g. housing, transportation, childcare, and food insecurity).	To sustain 2 Gen Academy projects, align them with cabinet agency programs and sponsors.
Expand the use of Cabinet endorsed portals to share timely information with families and coordinate services	Support innovative literacy interventions for early learners and adults	Conduct research on emerging issues	Implement a 2 Gen workshop for supervisors.
Update and expand use of family voice toolkit across cabinet agencies	Coordinate agency efforts on root causes of poor health and wellness	Hear from national experts on national trends and promising practices.	Convene a 2 Gen Summit (every other year).
Develop protocols for families in crisis (e.g. Where does the child go if they can't go home?)	Champion prevention efforts in early years		