

**Surviving Abuse, Neglect & Exploitation Committee.**  
**Donut Holes Subcommittee. Notes**  
**8/18/2020 10:00 AM**

- Have been working with the Research Team to put the survey into Survey Monkey.
- Survey will be reformatted for hard copies.
- The main concern is that it is very long.
  - Is there a way we can review and shorten it by asking ourselves if the question is truly necessary and actually actionable.
  - Should we eliminate some of our tech questions?
- Our survey may be exempt from the IRB Human Subject Research Laws but due to the high profile nature of the Task Force we will have the survey reviewed by the Department of Juvenile Services and Maryland Department of Health.
- Included a question on the survey about being 18 or under- we will not be able to survey any juveniles.
- May not be able to survey any prisoners due to laws.

The Task Force -Policy & Racial Equity Committee met on 8/13

- Discussed the CARES act funding that all committee's are requesting. Will go out to the Governor soon.
- Co- chairs said that they will send us a survey asking if we need any pro bono or low bono services.
- The Public Awareness & Community Engagement committee is here to help us get these surveys out. Shelly and Ann will be the liaisons for that Committee.
- We want to start thinking about our long term goals now.
  - By December- early 2020 when the Judiciary meets.

Discussing survey length,

- Will need to make sure that participants are able to skip groups of questions that do not apply to them (ex: if the do not have any housing issues, should not have to shift through all those questions)
  
- Need to add an option for immigration.

We have included an introduction into the survey explaining our passion for the survey and why the survey is so long.

We need to know how many stakeholders we will have so we can get an idea of cost.

- Sandy is getting resources from 211.
- B. Steyer is bringing us contacts from all Maryland Legal Aid Services.
- Office of the Public Defender?

**Next meeting: 8/26 at 11:00 AM. Entire SANE Committee.**