

- The Governor's Child Welfare Action Committee made 35 recommendations.
- Of these 35 recommendations, 11 were completed, 23 are ongoing or partially completed, and 1 has had no action taken.

WHAT IS THE IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF THE GOVERNOR'S CHILD WELFARE ACTION COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS 26-35?

26. Change of Venue: To ensure that children whose case is moving from one county to another county have continuity of care and oversight. **(Completed)**
27. Recruitment of Faith Based Resource Families: To utilize faith communities to recruit, train, and retain foster and adoptive parents. **(Ongoing)**
28. Child Welfare Quality Assurance Program: To develop a system of continuous quality improvement based on the highest standards of child welfare practice. **(Ongoing)**
29. Organizational Structure for Delivering Child Welfare and Other Human Services in Colorado: To determine the most effective organizational design and capacity to protect and serve Colorado's children. **(Committee Voted to Not Pursue)**
30. Develop Training on the Issue of the Co-Occurrence of Domestic Violence, Substance Abuse and Mental Health: To establish a level of competence for child protection professionals handling co-occurrence issues. **(3/2011)**
31. Representative on Collaborative Teams: To facilitate cross-system collaboration between providers in child protection cases involved with co-occurring issues. **(3/2011)**
32. Joint Analysis of Behavioral Health Organizations: To promote local information sharing in order to provide mental and substance abuse services for children and families involved in the child welfare system. **(6/2011)**
33. Development of a Statutes Review Group: To improve the clarity of the Colorado Revised Statutes as they relate to child protection cases. **(6/2011)**
34. Domestic Violence Intervention Approach: To develop standardized principles, protocols and practices to be used by child protection workers working on child protection cases involving domestic violence. **(6/2011)**
35. Standardized Co-Occurrence Screening: To develop a comprehensive screening and risk assessment tool to better determine the needs and services for children and families involved with child protection. **(3/2011)**