

Youth and Family Services Forum Report
Jun 14, 2024

- Rebrand
 - [Survey](#) went out in May for interest in new virtual meet-ups- 15 people have taken it so far
 - Meet-ups will be held six times a year beginning in September 2024
 - The first meet-up will be a recap/ sharing of Summer Reading ideas
 - The second meet-up will be in November to recap VLA Annual Conference
 - Hoping to begin in January with ideas submitted through the survey
 - Social Media- we will be increasing on Instagram usage and creating Reels to engage youth services professionals
 - Podcast- potential podcast to dive further into topics of interest
- Regional Reps- eliminating in favor of a leadership team that can be from any Region
 - Currently have an eight member team!!!
 - Still need a Vice Chair/ Chair for 2025
- There has been a lot of interest from our survey and leadership for a cooperative initiative with LGBTQIA+ Forum and the Intellectual Freedom Committee- I would like to connect with them soon