

P20 WIN Learning Agenda Guiding Questions

Higher Education:

- How are student success metrics such as retention and graduation demonstrating the mission has been achieved?
- To what degree do graduates meet their personal and career goals?
- To what degree are graduates able to find employment in CT that provides a living wage?
- Is financial aid reaching learners from low-income families that need it the most?

Housing Security

- What is the impact of housing assistance on the economic outcomes of low-income households?
- How do we evaluate programs and services that provide housing assistance?
- What is the impact of access to affordable housing on family economic security, schooling outcomes, and use of federal/state benefits?

Physical and Behavioral Health

- What is the experience of individuals involved in our criminal legal receiving mental health and addiction treatment services provided by state-funded entities?
- What is the prevalence of opioid use and how does the experience of non-fatal overdose vary across the state?
- How does access to behavioral health support impact students' education outcomes?

Families, Children, Communities

- How does receipt of other state services (i.e. Judicial, DSS, OEC, DDS, DMHAS, CCEH) impact child maltreatment and achievement of permanency for children in DCF care?
- What are the crossover youth rates for children involved in DCF care and the judicial system?
- How does access to home visiting services immediately after birth impact families and children?

Justice, Incarceration, Reintegration

- What does successful reintegration look like, and how is this tracked?
- How does DOC collaborate with community stakeholders to accomplish its mission?
- How is the probation system supporting successful reintegration across the state?
- How does the workforce development system prepare currently incarcerated individuals for release and reintegration into communities? Which programs achieve strong outcomes for participants?

Early and K-12 Education

- What are the impacts and outcomes from involvement in OEC programs on early education outcomes?
- What is the experience of those engaged with the juvenile justice system and the public school system?
- How does engagement with early intervention support early childhood development?

Workforce Development

- What are the wage and employment outcomes of Connecticut workforce training programs?
- What are the best cost-effective programs that CTDOL offers and how to improve comparing with the other states?
- How do different institutions of higher education contribute to the CT labor force?
- What are the common career pathways within Connecticut?