This meeting of CANDO will provide updates on a number of activities in relationship to goals in the strategic plan. There will be an update on a proposal to expand the Children with Autism Waiver. Mary Hoefler from Office of Behavioral Health will provide an update on the Colorado Crisis Program. There will be an informational session on the Colorado Children’s Mental Health Treatment Act. The educational feature will focus on the **Colorado Model Autism and Significant Needs Programs** (COMASP). The Colorado Department of Education, addressing Recommendation 10 of the Colorado Autism Commission (Establish a statewide training system for all educators and staff), are collaborating with school districts and Board of Cooperative Education (BOCES) to develop model autism programs across the state and in all grade levels. Kate Loving and Emmie Steinberg will present on their experience in the project and what it is providing for students and educators. **All interested individuals are welcome to attend in person or by webinar. Be sure to register.**

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Anschutz Medical Campus  
Education 2 NORTH  
13120 E. 19th Avenue, 1st Floor, Room 1103  
Aurora, CO 80045

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