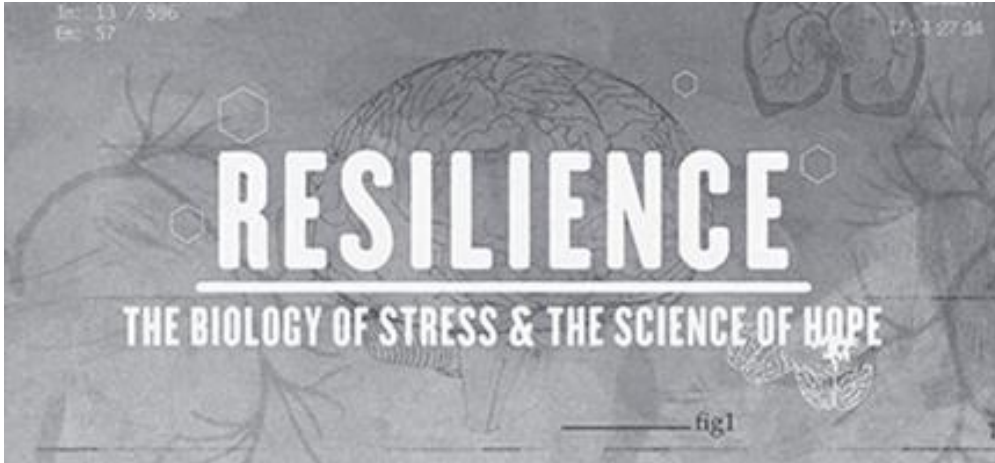




Commission on Improving the Status of Children in Indiana



Film Screening & Panel Discussion

A screening of the 60-minute documentary, “Resilience: the Biology of Stress & the Science of Hope” will be followed by a panel discussion with state leaders on how Indiana’s child-serving systems are grappling with trauma and fostering resilience.

July 18, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Clowes Auditorium inside the Indianapolis Central Library
40 E. Saint Clair St., Indianapolis, IN 46204

Free to the public but please register in advance at:
<https://tinyurl.com/cisc-resilience>

Discussion will be facilitated by **Julie Whitman**; panelists include:

- **Christy Berger**, Assistant Director of Social, Emotional & Behavioral Wellness, Indiana Department of Education
- **Melissa Collier**, MD, MPH, Chief Medical Officer, Indiana State Department of Health
- **Leslie Dunn**, JD, State Director, GAL/CASA, Indiana Supreme Court
- **Leslie Hulvershorn**, MD, Medical Director, Division of Mental Health and Addiction, Indiana Family and Social Service Administration



1 in 3

Indiana high school students report feeling sad or hopeless



Over 46%

of Hoosier children have had at least one adverse childhood experience

The Commission on Improving the Status of Children in Indiana includes members from state and local government with a vested interest or responsibility for ensuring child welfare. The Commission studies issues concerning vulnerable youth, reviews legislation and makes recommendations, and promotes information sharing and best practices.

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