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Review of Child Protective Services

Approved Scope (August 11, 2021)

The Government Oversight Committee (GOC) added a review of the Child Protective Services to OPEGA's Work Plan on July 14, 2021 following consideration of two Legislator's requests for a review. The GOC directed that OPEGA submit a proposed scope for in August 2021.

On August 11, 2021, the GOC voted to approve the following three scope areas for the review of Child Protective Services:

- 1. Protecting Child Safety Initial Investigation and Assessment
- 2. Protecting Child Safety Reunification and Permanency
- 3. Oversight for Child Protective Services