

Prevention Workgroup Agenda

January 12, 2026

1 pm - 2 pm

- I. Welcome and framing - The Prevention Workgroup is holding this session to examine how air quality and water access function as upstream conditions that shape youth and family stability long before any contact with the juvenile justice system. By understanding where environmental risks are concentrated, how they affect children's health and daily functioning, and which prevention approaches are emerging or working, the Workgroup aims to identify early intervention opportunities and system-level responsibilities that can reduce downstream harm and system involvement.
- II. Aneca Atkinson, Assistant Secretary, Maryland Department of the Environment
- III. Gabi Sanchez, Program Organizer, Clean Water Action
- IV. Housekeeping
- V. Adjournment