

**Rosenwald, Barbara**

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**From:** Zahn, Nancy (DSHS)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 21, 2001 7:53 PM  
**To:** Rosenwald, Barbara  
**Cc:** Drake, Joyce; Wesley, Gia  
**Subject:** RE: graham/ravenna

Thanks Barb! Vicky has called me.

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**From:** Rosenwald, Barbara  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 21, 2001 8:31 AM  
**To:** Zahn, Nancy (DSHS)  
**Cc:** Drake, Joyce; Wesley, Gia  
**Subject:** RE: graham/ravenna

FYI

At this point Vickie is very cooperative and has clearly told me that they do not want to present an adversarial position. She is very much wanting to know what they can and need to do to get the Stop Placements lifted. Lee, in his usual fashion has gotten into some "semantics" type discussions but he is rather subdued as I have typically found him to be when there is a serious and legitimate concern about the agency and a program. We (Joyce, me, Sandy Duron and Beverly Payne) are meeting with Vickie, Lee and Phil Sullivan this morning.

In terms of placements into these facilities - Threshold is pretty exclusively DCFS. The rest can go either way - having federal funding and beds in each of the other three programs - Shelter, Pathways and Ravenna. Intake can be through us, we have some contracted beds at the Shelter, BRS eligible at Pathways - I think, but no formal connection or payment to Ravenna - although turns out we had three kids there.

Anything else that I can clarify - let me know.

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**From:** Zahn, Nancy (DSHS)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 20, 2001 8:12 PM  
**To:** Spears, Kathleen; Wesley, Gia; Drake, Joyce; Rosenwald, Barbara  
**Subject:** RE: graham/ravenna

Stop placements are common; but is very uncommon to tell the press. That is the difference; Aging routinely tells the press. The differences is we generally control the majority of placements in CA facilities; Aging does not control the placements in the same way. Please be aware that Youth Care has a very high powered board in Seattle; it is a long term agency with a ton of community support. Not to say that changes what we do but if we think Alpine had connections; we have seen nothing yet! Vicky Wagner is the Exec. and is generally cooperative and "easy" to work with. Lee Trevithik will probably be most upset and vocal. He is generally cooperative but I have seen him be most vocal at times.

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**From:** Spears, Kathleen  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 20, 2001 12:17 PM  
**To:** Wesley, Gia; Zahn, Nancy (DSHS); Drake, Joyce; Rosenwald, Barbara  
**Subject:** FW: graham/ravenna  
**Importance:** High

I would like to have this ready to go tomorrow. I need a brief description of the services provided in these homes; how many residents are there; how long they have been in operation; previous licensing or cps complaints. In addition, the media will want to know how many of these facilities do we license around the state and in King Co. I know that in the Aging and Adult Svcs. Admin. stop placements are fairly common. Are they common in the world of CA? I also need the phone number for the YouthCare director/provider/contractor. I think her name is Vicki?? Thanks for the help.

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**From:** Wesley, Gia  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 20, 2001 12:02 PM  
**To:** Drake, Joyce  
**Cc:** Rosenwald, Barbara; Spears, Kathleen  
**Subject:** FW: graham/ravenna  
**Importance:** High

Please provide Kathy with a the requested descriptions. Please call her and clarify time frames for getting this done and to determine exactly what she needs. Thank you. Gia.

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From: Spears, Kr  
Sent: Tuesday, January 20, 2001 11:23 AM  
To: Wesley, Gia; Gilbert, Sharon; Tomquist, Michael  
Cc: Schaffel, Roxie  
Subject: graham/ravenna

Gia, I'm working on a news release regarding the YouthCare lstop placements. Rosie has asked me to let Vicky Wagner?? (I think that's the name), of YouthCare know about this. We will work with her. What I will need for the news release and any follow up calls. A brief description of the services provided at both these homes (are they both maternity homes), and any previous licensing or cps complaints; how long they've provided this service; and if lstop placement in this type of facility common. thanks