

## **Katherine Klem Gaztambide, MPP**

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Katherine Klem Gaztambide, MPP, is Executive Director of the Center on Policy Innovation for Family Mental Health at Yale to help elevate family mental health as a public sector strategy for social and economic mobility. As part of this work, Katherine leads the scaling of the MOMS Partnership® with government partners outside of New Haven. Katherine is a former Senior Policy Advisor in the Obama White House, specifically in the Office of Social Innovation and Office of National Drug Control Policy. There, she focused on Pay for Success models and the broader transition to an outcomes and evidence mindset across government. Katherine has previously worked for then-Mayor Bloomberg in NYC and Governor Hickenlooper in Colorado and has worked to advance health care reform, organized labor, education reform, and tobacco control, the latter of which held her passion here in Kentucky where she grew up and currently lives (working remotely for Yale). Katherine earned an MPP at the Harvard Kennedy School as well as a BA with High Distinction from the University of Virginia, and she has been named a U.S. Presidential Scholar.