

# Region IX TTA UPDATES and TRENDS



#### **HEAD START**

#### Regional T/TA Network





#### **New TTA Leadership Staff**

Cathleen Armstead, Regional Training and Technical Assistance Coordinator (RTTAC)

Sheri Ellis, Early Childhood Manager

Open Positions: 1 Grantee Specialist, 1 Early Childhood Specialist



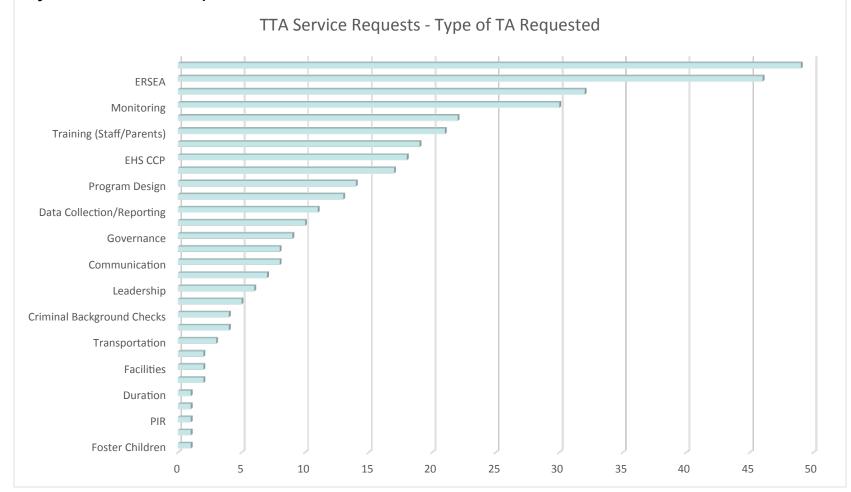
#### **Region IX TTA Collaboration**

OHS Systems Specialist, Monique Liebhard

OCC Systems Specialist, Mary Beth Phillips (Meb)



Summary of RIX TA Requests 7/15-12/16

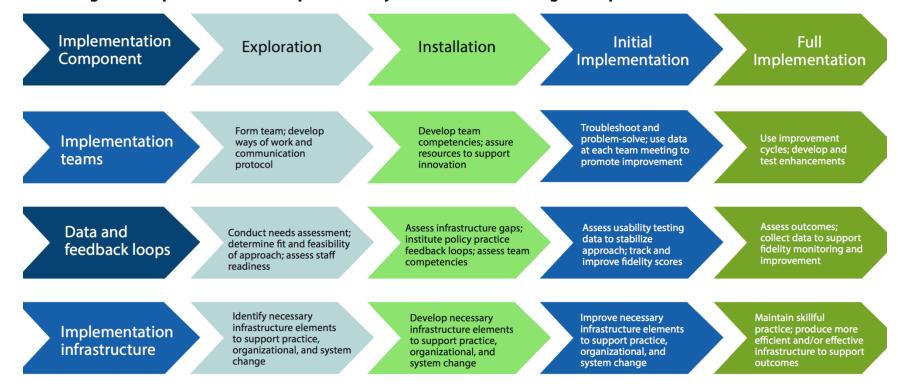




## Implementation Science and School Readiness Calls



Figure 2. Implementation Components: Key Functions at Each Stage of Implementation



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#### **School Readiness Calls**

Timeline: March-April

#### **Process:**

- ECS will send grantee information regarding SR topics. ECS and PS will work together to establish call date. ECS will aim to be onsite with grantee for call.
- SR call is a rich conversation that explores where a program is and where they want to go. Offers an opportunity to identify additional areas for TTA support.



### Thank you!