

EHS Child Care Partnership Committee Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: Thursday, April 28th, 2016 TIME: 1:15pm-3:00pm		LOCATION OF MEETING: Black Canyon Conference Center 9440 N. 25th Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85021
COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: See sign-in sheet		
COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:		
VISITORS:		
NEXT QUARTERLY COMMITTEE MEETING: Date: Location:		
AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE/ PRESENTER
I. Call to Order & Welcome	Welcome! Brenda started a story, “Once there was an Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership Grant....” We went around the room and each participant added to the story.	Eve Del Real Brenda
II. Approval of Agenda	Jen made a motion to approve the agenda. Cecilia seconded the motion. Motion carried to approve the agenda.	Eve Del Real Brenda
III. MOU with DES	Amy recapped this morning’s discussion. We need to think about confidentiality questions-what information is EHS receiving about the DES renewal. We need to make the MOU very comprehensive! Jen said any organization partnering with DES will need to participate in a training.	Amy Agnew
IV. Strategies to support hiring staff with Policy Council approval	Amy talked about the turnover in centers and there isn’t enough time to wait for 1 month for Policy Council. We need help to expedite hiring approvals. How does this work with this different grant if our partners are vendors? Amy was tasked to write a system and is looking for clarification. Monique said this came up in a Region 9 call. Monique will follow up.	Amy Agnew
V. Ongoing professional development and training for new	Jen talked about teacher turnover and the TNTA budget and cuts. She asked if we could partner to share trainings to share the cost. Teaching Strategies	Eve Del Real Jen

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center staff	GOLD, train the trainers, Infant/Toddler CLASS are some of the needs. It was shared that there is an application process to become a trainer or trainers for TSG.	
VI. CCP Program successes, strategies, monitoring tools contact	<p>Fabiola and Carolina explained the Health and safety tools used at CPC and passed out copies of the Health and Safety Tools. The goal is to use the tool monthly in provider homes.</p> <p>Orly, HNS specialist, gives technical assistance to 6 sites. She does the health and safety training within 45 days. She shared some of the strategies she uses in her trainings. She uses games to engage participants.</p>	Albert Murrieta
	<p>There were many wonderful ideas shared today. How can we contact each other to share the incredible resources others have developed?</p> <p>Orly-HNS training ideas, info on poison plants</p> <p>Amy-daily HNS check list, safety action play</p> <p><u>Caring For Your Baby and Young Child</u> this book was mentioned as a good resource.</p>	