



CHILD CARE PLANNING & ADVISORY COUNCIL

Title 5 Contractors Committee | Nov 14, 2024 | 3:00-4:30pm

MEETING NOTES

Welcome (Ben Wong, Cheryl Horney)

EESSG Data Updates (Kara Marshall and Jonathan Mar of Children's Council)

- Early Educator Salary Support Grant
- 46 participating agencies at this time.
- This level of data collection is having positive impacts in the field.

2 biggest issues:

1. Wages not being accurate – e.g. educator put in data when they signed up and was old data after a while.
2. In a lot of cases teachers didn't upload transcripts or claim all their education. It also takes a LONG time for education/training to be verified. DEC has arranged for transcripts to be processed within 4-6 weeks. Let them know if there is delay.

Report Out- Admin Costs to Administer EESSG Grants

Ben Wong, Dr. Yohana Quiroz

- A group is addressing the administrative time it takes to work with the Registry, transfer info to DEC and CCSF, submit quarterly reports, data collection, coordination of staff.
- June 2025 – time to explore with DEC whether or not they can cover the cost.
- Will be sending proposal to Susan Jeong and the DEC team that addresses needs of small and large organizations. The methodology will recognize agency needs and DEC constraints. This is just a proposal being sent to DEC/Susan to engage in conversations.
- Drafted a letter – participants can add agency logo to the letter.

Discuss- Input and Support of Advocacy Work

Ben Wong, Cheryl Horney

- Nov 1st – Nina Buthee- Every Child California, Ted Lampert from Children Now shared info on rate reform. Context – "Hold Harmless" and implementing rate reform go hand in hand. Don't want to stop Hold Harmless until they figure out the rate system.
- In Spring people will be invited to be part of the advocacy, show up in Sacramento, attend work group meetings. What is the rate and all the things we do that are not captured in the rate?

Questions, Announcements

Workforce Committee Nov 19 at 2pm. Workforce Pathways – Susan and DEC team.

Next Title 5 Committee Meeting: Thursday, Dec 12, 2024; 3:00-4:30pm