Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County

RDC Packet

January 21, 2020

Resource Development Committee

January 21, 2020 10:00 AM
Chair Roger Thompson
Agenda

1. Welcome, Call to Order, Approval of Agenda — Chair
   a. Notification of the Resource Development Committee Meeting for January 21, 2019 was sent to the Pensacola News Journal for publication on January 3, 2020 and posted to the Coalition Public Calendar Board on December 27, 2019.

2. Public Comments

3. Approval of November 19, 2019 Minutes — Chair

4. Program Reports
   a. Nursing Services Report — Debi Tucker
   b. CCR&R Update — Melissa Stankard
   c. Program Support Summary — Program Support Staff
   d. SR/VPK Status Report and Contract Activity Summary — Bruce Watson

5. Old Business
   a. Match Funder Program — Bruce Watson
   b. SRPA and 2020-2021 Contract Requirements — Vicki Pugh/Bruce Watson
   c. SRPA QIP/Grow With Me/LENA Update — Vicki Pugh
   d. Escambia Children's Trust Update — Bruce Watson

6. New Business
   a. 2020-2021 Curriculum Requirements and Scholarships — Bruce Watson
   b. RDC - Committee Chair/Co-Chair — Bruce Watson
   c. Provider Board Representatives — Bruce Watson
   d. 2020 Legislative Actions — Bruce Watson
   e. 8th Annual Early Learning Summit – Tentatively May 26, 2020 — Bruce Watson

7. Community Partner Updates
   a. Achieve Escambia — Kim Krupa
   b. ARC Gateway — Mary Ann Bickerstaff
   c. DCF Outreach — Pending
   d. DCF Regulation — Roger Thompson
   e. Department of Health 5-2-1-0 — Kimberly Pace
   f. ECARE — Leah Harrison
   g. Florida Association for Infant Mental Health (FAIMH) — Deborah Goldberg
   h. Gulf Coast Kids House — Paula Doty

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Resource Development Committee

i.	Pensacola State College	Cindy Kirk
j.	School District Education Career Academy	Aisha Adkison
k.	School District VPK	Kim Edmonds
l.	Western Panhandle Early Steps	Kimberlee Spencer

Next Meeting: March 17, 2020 @ 10:00 a.m.- Early Learning Coalition Training Room

Jamie Phelps

From: Nicole Bish
Sent: Friday, January 3, 2020 10:01 AM
To: 'Pensacola News Journal'
Subject: MEETING CALENDAR: Public Service Announcement January 2020

Please post the following January 2020 meetings in your free government meeting calendar for the Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County:

Resource and Development Meeting Tuesday January 21, 2020 @ 10:00AM
Executive Committee Meeting Thursday January 23, 2020 @ 8:30AM

The meetings will be held at the Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County at 3300 North Pace Boulevard, Suite 220 Pensacola FL 32505.
The meeting may be accessed by:
Dial in number: 1-888-585-9008
Conference ID number 190747262 then press #

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Thank You.

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Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County

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DATE: December 27, 2019
PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

A meeting of the legislatively mandated Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County

Resource and Development Meeting
Will be held on
Tuesday, January 21, 2020
10:00 AM

At
Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County
3300 North Pace Boulevard, Suite 220
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Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County

RDC Committee Meeting Minutes
November 19, 2019 10:00 a.m.

Members in Attendance

Mary Ann Winstead (Co-Chair)	Roger Thompson (Co-Chair)	Cindy Kirk
Hitomi Wright	Sharmaine Lillestan	Debi tucker
Brenda Hardy	Kim Krupa	Aisha Adkison

Members Called In

Andretta Malden	Jenny Reed	Kimberly Corner
Sheila Brown		

Staff

Bruce Watson	Vicki Pugh	Jamie Phelps
Christy Zukowski	Melissa Stankard	Melissa Jennings

Public
Leah Harrison

I. Welcome, Call to Order, and Approval of Agenda

Notification of this meeting was posted to the Coalition Public Calendar Board and posted to the Coalition web site on October 31, 2019 and sent to the Pensacola New Journal on October 28, 2019. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Ms. Winstead. Upon a motion made by Ms. Hardy and seconded by Ms. Kirk, the Agenda was accepted and approved without objection.

II. Public Comments

There were no public comments.

III. Approval of Minutes for September 26, 2019

Upon a motion made by Ms. Hardy and seconded by Ms. Wright, the Minutes of the September 26, 2019 meeting was accepted and approved without objection.

IV. Program Reports

a. Nursing Services Report

Ms. Tucker reported that the Coalition Medical Support team conducted 404 vision screenings with 17 referrals and 420 hearing screenings with 19 referrals in September. In October the team conducted 347 vision screenings with 23 referrals and 378 hearing screenings with 29 referrals. There were 546 children served in September and 618 children served in October bringing the year to date total to 1,288 children served. There were 23 site visits in September and 25 in October bringing the year to date site visits conducted to 56. Two CPR and First Aid classes were conducted in September. One Adult and Pediatric CPR class and one First Aid class were conducted in October. Two Client Satisfaction Surveys were received in both September and in October all with positive comments. Mr. Watson reiterated that there was a recent change in the

Coalition Medical Support team staff and that the new med tech, Ms. Ella Brown, is working out very well. He thanked the team for their contributions to the Coalition mission, praised Ms. Brown's contributions to the team, and encouraged DOH to transition Ms. Brow to regular staff from her current OPS position.

b. CCR&R Update

In the month of September there were 111 CCR&R interviews conducted with 87 new interviews and 24 repeat interviews. In October there were 106 CCR&R interviews conducted with 88 new interview and 18 repeat interviews. Total interviews conducted year to date are 359 with 296 new and 63 repeat interviews. Most parents seeking care is due to employment or job search issues. Most children in need of care are school age children. Ms. Stankard noted that there was a rise in infants earlier this summer, but the number has gone down since then. She further noted that parents coming off the waiting list are allowed thirty days to find care and that the Coalition provides support to parents who are seeking care for their children.

The CCR&R lobby was set with a Falling in Love with Learning theme for fall. The focus of the fall theme is Math and a Math wall was added for addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division. A pumpkin pie craft was created and used as an example. Instructions on how to create the craft were included in bags along with books for the children visiting the office. Window 1 was set as a Dramatic play area with food as the theme. Play food items have been placed in the area for children to play with and the hope is that children will play together. Window 2, the Weekly Focus Board, features sight words, numbers, and letters. Window 3 features Community information regarding events and holiday giveaways, etc. The topic of Window 4, the Teacher/Parent Board, is Responsibility, and displays sample daily checklist and chore cards for children. Children's chore cards were also given to parents so they may use them at home. In addition, Interactive Sensory Boards have been placed in the lobby, in the ES's office, and in the Computer Room.

Ms. Jennings noted that the Coalition purchased a new rug and a new table and chairs which have been placed in the lobby. The rug has bright colors and has letters, numbers, and shapes. Coalition staff have seen a great improvement of interactive play since the new items have been added to the lobby. Staff members have observed more adults interacting with the children and more children interacting with each other. In addition to meeting the Coalition's goal of encouraging greater interaction, the atmosphere in the lobby has become much quieter and calmer.

c. Program Support Summary

Ms. Zukowski reported that child assessments have begun and that the Coalition is working with the Preschool Development Grant. A training on the use of new devices from HATCH will be held on December 7, 2019. Providers who are participating in Grow With Me have been invited and will be issued iPads loaded with the HATCH application for their three and four-year-old classrooms. Children will be encouraged to use the HATCH app for roughly fifteen minutes a session a couple of times a week. In addition, to providing interactive learning the app correlates

the child's behavior into observations the teachers can use to improve learning methods and goals. Additional training was also offered for infant, toddler, and two-year old teachers, as well as PreK. Training has been provided on how to do lesson plans and conduct observations. 285 children in the GRTR (Get Ready to Read) program have been screened year to date in 12 programs.

Other Program Support highlights include:

1. School Readiness Program Assessments are ongoing with 24 assessments conducted year to date.
2. There were three outreach events in September and two in October.
3. 1,940 books were distributed in September and 1,540 books were distributed in October bringing the year-to-date total to 6,485.
4. The Coalition had one Media Unit in the month of September and none in October.
5. Facebook likes increased from 1,034 in September to 1,038 in October.

V. Old Business

a. SR/VPK Status Report and Contract Summary

The Coalition has been unable to sustain SR enrollments over 3,300 which means that slot expenditures each month lag spending goals. In order to spend all funding, enrollments need to increase by about 300 children. However, even if the children were to be enrolled, Providers may not be able to serve an additional 300 children as most Providers are operating at about 75% capacity due to lack of staff. Currently, Providers collectively are only using two thirds of their licensed capacity. The parents of 94 children applied for services this week, but the trend continues that only around 50% of applicants complete the process and enroll their children. Approximately 20% of applicants fail to reply to the various notifications the Coalition sends them, and 25% start the process but never complete it. Mr. Watson stressed that applicants are more than welcome to visit the Coalition office and apply in person if they are disinclined to complete the process online. Since the online application process was implemented, the Coalition has seen a reduction in total SR enrollments of 200-300 children. There was a similar reduction in VPK enrollments four years ago when that programs application process went online.

There are 85 SR Providers and no contracts have been terminated this year. Three new SR Providers are coming onboard in December and a Contract Orientation is being held on November 20, 2019. One new VPK Provider was added this year and VPK capacity far exceeds the number of children. There were no new cases of Fraud to report.

b. SRPA QIP/Grow With Me/LENA Update

Ms. Pugh reported that there are four programs that currently are on a QIP for low SRPA score. Three Programs are on target for completing their improvement plan. One Program chose not to do anything the first half of the year and is now struggling to catch up. The first half of the contract year Providers were expected to take the MMCI course. The second half they must

participate in Grow With Me and LENA. Infant/Toddler and Preschool Grow With Me sessions will be offered and Providers not a QIP are encouraged to attend sessions to be held in December. Note was made that attendance is voluntary unless the Provider is on a QIP.

VI. New Business

a. Town Hall Meeting Recap

Mr. Watson conducted two Town Hall Meetings at the end of October and noted that the first session was better attended than the second session. Three subjects were discussed: SRPA, State Mandated Curriculum and SR Match Program.

1. SRPA

For this contract year 20 SRPA's have been conducted. Of the assessments conducted, 13 are of concern. The OEL is in the process of promulgating a new Rule regarding SRPA. If the new Contract Minimum Threshold (CMT) is approved as drafted, eight of the Providers already assessed would be ineligible to contract with the Coalition and five would be at risk and placed on a QIP. To be eligible to continue to contract some of the Providers would have to request a second assessment and achieve a score above the CMT. Statewide data indicated that 75% of Providers scored above 4.0 and 25% scored below 4.0. In conclusion, OEL determined current CMT of 2.5, and QIP cutoff of 3.5, are too low. OEL has proposed for the 2020/2021 contract year, the new CMT will be 3.5, and the QIP cutoff will be 4.0, and for 2021/2022 the CMT will be 4.0 and there will be no QIP cutoff. Last year 57% of Escambia Providers scored between 3 and 4 and another 10% scored below that which means that two thirds of Providers will not meet the proposed minimum standards. Looking ahead, if the proposed minimum standards are approved, Escambia County could lose 20 to 30 Providers which would cause a serious negative impact to capacity. Exemptions can be granted, but only for three years.

2. State Mandated Curriculum

The State has revised the standards for birth to five and conducted a review of commercial curriculum to determine if they meet the new standards. As a result, a new list of approved curricula has been issued and the old editions are no longer acceptable. This is the second time in five years that the State has revised curriculum requirements. All but two of the SR Providers use Creative Curriculum. The second and fifth editions of Creative no longer meet State standards but the third and sixth editions do. In order to remain eligible to contract with the Coalition, Providers will be required to purchase new curriculum before they can contract for 2020/2021. Due to relatively short notice to Providers and considering the cost Providers will incur to purchase the new curriculum, Mr. Watson proposed that the RDC consider forwarding a recommendation to the Executive Committee that the Coalition provide a scholarship to Providers of 50% of the costs. Collectively, the estimated cost to Providers is $235,000 so the Coalition would pay roughly $117,000 to help offset the expense of one curriculum per facility per Provider. Providers will be required to submit proof of payment and delivery in order to be reimbursed after they purchase the new curriculum. Upon a motion made by Mr. Thompson and seconded by Ms. Kirk, the proposal to forward a recommendation to the Executive Committee to

support a 50% Scholarship to offset Provider cost to purchase the new curriculum was passed without objection.

3. SR Match Program

The new SR Match Program was also discussed during the recent Town Hall Meetings. Mr. Watson announced that the State has completely revamped the Match Funder Program. A copy of the Sliding Fee Scale color coded to identify families eligible for the Match Program was included in the meeting materials. Due to Legislative changes to the Match Funding requirements, Coalitions may now use local funding to provide SR services to families who fall in the 150% FPL to 85% SMI range. The white portion of the chart shows the traditional SR program qualification range. The green portion of the chart shows income the incomes for applicants that may be served with the new funding authorization. The red portion of the chart indicates incomes that exceed limitations and are ineligible for any SR services. When families submit their initial application online, the system provides a notice that applicants may be eligible for local funding if they are ineligible for the traditional SR program. The notice directs applicants to contact their local Coalition to enquire about eligibility for local funding. The Coalition was allocated $168,934 in State Match Funding. Therefore, the first $168,934 of local donations expended will be matched. The County grant alone exceeds this amount. The combination of State match, County grant and United Way grant exceeds $477,000. This is the amount that will be dedicated to serve children whose parents are deemed eligible to receive services using SR Match funding. In total this funding will allow the Coalition to provide services for a year to about 120 to 150 children. Additional children may be served by reclassifying and rotating families in and out of the program. The Coalition called all applicants who were just over 150% and previously deemed ineligible for services to let them know that they are now eligible for services under the new funding. 50 children are already enrolled. Flyers announcing the new funding guidelines were distributed in both English and Spanish.

b. EFS Modernization Transition Refresher Training

For the past month's Provider reimbursement claims, the Coalition kicked back electronic reimbursement submissions that did not match the paper copies that were submitted. Providers have been asked to review their records and revise them so that the two submissions match. The Coalition will make adjustments as part of their reconciliation for the first three months of the year. Based upon the rate of errors in Provider attendance submissions, the Coalition will offer refresher training on using EFS MOD on December 2 and 3. During the training, Providers will be trained by entering attendance for November for their own program.

c. Local Provider Rates and State Market Rates

Bi-annual publication of State Market Rates that were scheduled for publication in 2019 still have not been published. Related top this, discussions are in process at both the OEL and the Legislature regarding increasing Provider rates. Further updates will be forthcoming once the State has put out more information regarding their plans. It is possible that some sort of rate changes may become effective before the end of this fiscal year. Because of ongoing issues with EFS/MOD, any State mandated rate changes will create problems for Coalitions.

d. Board and Committee Meeting Schedule 2020
Meetings in 2020 will continue to be held at 10:00 a.m. the third Tuesday of each odd numbered month.

e. DCF Trauma Informed Care Training
DCF has two new Trauma Informed Care courses available online. One course is introductory and shorter in length. The other session is more in depth, geared toward Directors, and is more of a college level course. Practitioners can use the introductory course toward their in-service hours. DCF is partnering with Pensacola State College for the courses. The longer course has five three-hour sessions and involves a heavy load of homework. To date statewide attendance and completion rates have been low.

f. Escambia Children's Trust Update
Progress continues to be made toward promoting establishment of a Children's Services Council in Escambia County and getting the issue on the ballot in 2020. A Call to Action notice has been circulated and donations are being solicited. Mr. and Mrs. Julian MacQueen generously donated a $10,000-dollar matching gift to the Escambia Children's Trust Campaign to further efforts at exploring establishment of a Children's Services Council. Raw results from a poll of registered voters that was conducted recently indicates a 60% approval rate.

VII. **Community Partner Updates**

a. Achieve Escambia
Ms. Krupa provided the RDC with copies of Achieve Escambia's Community Report Card. She noted that there are several pages that are relevant to the Early Learning Coalition including Enroll Escambia efforts to enroll eligible children in Head Start, School Readiness, and VPK. About 100 prospective enrollees were contacted and few dozen enrolled for services during the recent campaign which focused heavily on Title 1 eligible families. Planning is moving forward for next year's campaign and a more holistic approach will be implemented. The biggest topic is the Children's Services Council (CSC) initiative. Ms. Krupa noted that Mr. and Mrs. Julian MacQueen donated $10,000 dollars toward a poll to follow up on the results of a recent survey conducted by the Pensacola Young Professionals (PYP). In the PYP survey 75 to 80% of those polled supported a $40.00 per year property tax increase to fund a Children's Services Council. Initial data from the new poll shows roughly a 59% approval rate. Prevention messages appear to be working better than activity messages, and child abuse and neglect are really polling high. In general, keeping children, safe, drug free, and protecting them from child abuse is polling high. In every County Commission District, approvals are at least 55%. Additional funding will be required in order to get the initiative on the ballot and even more funding will be needed if there is significant opposition to the CSC. For the initiative to be placed on the ballot, three out of five County Commissioners would need to be in support. Final poll results may be presented to the Commissioners so they may see how voters responded in each of the districts. If the referendum is approved, roughly $10,500,000 would be generated annually. Mr. Watson noted

that St. Lucie almost doubles their funding by using the local money for matching grants. He further noted that St. Lucie cut their teen pregnancy rate in half during the first five years of their CSC. Recidivism rates were also significantly reduced with a corresponding reduction in team crime. Some of St. Lucie's CSC funding went to their Early Learning Coalition to put more children into care. Mr. Watson proposed that if Escambia County approves a CSC, funding would be used to serve families who are outside the scope of SR, such as families who do not have both parents working. Another possible proposal would be to fund Providers who demonstrate high levels of proficiency and agree to pay their Practitioners $10 to $11 an hour. The name of the Children's Services Council will be whatever the community decides. It may or may not include the phrase Children's Services Council. One proposal is the Escambia Children's Trust. Leon County is another county that is considering putting a CSC initiative on the ballot next year.

b. ARC Gateway
No representative was available to report.

c. DCF Outreach
No representative was available to report.

d. DCF Regulation
Mr. Thompson reiterated that the DCF update was covered in the discussion of the DCF Trauma Informed Care (TIC) training.

e. Department of Health 5-2-1-0
No representative was available to report.

f. Florida Association for Infant Mental Health (FAIMH)
No representative was available to report.

g. Gulf Coast Kids House
No representative was available to report.

h. Pensacola State College
Ms. Kirk announced that PSC has held meetings to discuss conducting TIC classes at the Pensacola campus. Ms. Kirk and an Adjunct Professor in the department will be conducting the courses which will be offered as Continuing Education as opposed to Workforce Development. There is a possibility that training may be in place and available as early as January 2020 but final approval is still pending at this time. Mr. Watson indicated that Coalition will most likely offer to offset some of the cost of the course for our Providers. Mr. Thompson noted that TIC courses count towards professional development and not just CEUs. Mr. Watson noted that other Coalitions are considering using TIC Certification to identify and promote public awareness of facilities whose Director holds TIC Certification. The cost of the courses may

range from $300 to $450 dollars. The Coalition hopes that Directors who complete TIC Directors training will encourage their Practitioners to complete the shorter course.

Ms. Kirk thanked Ms. Pugh for networking and speaking during the campus tour during which a Build A Brain demonstration was conducted. Mr. Watson noted that over the last five to ten years, the Coalition has implemented a number of innovative initiatives to improve quality, some of which were unique to Escambia County, and although there are a some outstanding Providers, unfortunately there has not been a significant rise in overall Provider performance.

i. School District Education Career Academy

Ms. Adkison reported that at the Education Career Pathway Advisory Meeting held on November 13, 2019, students from the Career Academies conducted Tune In - Talk More - Take Turns presentations. Students created and presented promotional materials such as brochures and short Public Service Announcements and one group presented particularly powerful statistical information. The students brought a different perspective to viewing the statistics. Some students indicated that they could relate to *being* the child that educators need to Tune In To. Ms. Adkison extended thanks to Ms. Joyce Griffin and added that she is wonderful and teachers love her. Ms. Adkison also praised the Coalition for their support and scholarships. She indicated that she will be creating a one-page brochure outlining the steps of the scholarship process. Upon successful completion of the program, a ceremony will be held and completion certificates will be issued. Tracking course completion and employment through college graduation will allow for better tracking of successes and challenges.

j. School District VPK

No representative was available to report.

k. Western Panhandle Early Steps

No representative was available to report.

l. ECARE

Mr. Watson introduced Ms. Leah Harrison the new Executive Director of ECARE, Every Child A Reader in Escambia. She was invited as a prospective Resource Development Committee partner. Ms. Harrison indicated that ECARE is working toward getting all their children matched. At this time, about 20 children still need to be matched. Mr. Watson thanked Ms. Harrison for attending and extended the invitation for her to join the RDC.

VIII. Adjourn: Meeting was adjourned at 11:31 a.m.

Next Meeting: January 21, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. at the Early Learning Coalition Office, 3300 North Pace Boulevard, Suite 210, Pensacola, Florida 32505

November 2019

SCREENINGS	Current	YTD
Vision (Centers)	151	1233
Vision (Office)	0	0
- Referrals	20	87
Hearing (Centers)	173	1227
Hearing (Office)	0	0
- Referrals	26	98
Height/Weight *	110	1160
- BMI - Normal (5% - 84%)	82	37
- BMI - Underweight (< 5%)	3	44
- BMI - Overweight (85% - 94%)	17	148
- BMI - Obese (> 95%)	8	112
REFUSED SCREENINGS	0	2

** Indicates duplicates/rechecks*

OTHER ITEMS	Current	YTD
Children Served (screened and/or education)	281	2048
Health Record/Immunization Review	0	0
Education Classes	14	75
- # of children	171	102
- # of staff/parents	30	210
Consultations (parents/providers)	31	151
Nursing Assessments (Child's health)	0	0
Health Alerts Sent	0	9
Staff Served	20	137
Site Visits	14	94

COMMENTS:

November 2019 Outcomes: There were 6 children with vision outcomes this month. 4 children received glasses, 1 child received a new pair of glasses, and 1 child was evaluated and diagnosed with astigmatism but no glasses were precribed at this time. There were 4 children with hearing outcomes for this month. 1 child was seen by pediatrician and has been referred to ENT and is awaiting an appointment. 1 child was evaluated by her pediatrician and diagnosed with fluid/infection in both ears - she received a 10 day Rx of antibiotics and will follow-up in 3 weeks to re-check hearing. 1 child has a hole in her right ear from a tube and is being followed by her ENT. 1 child finally got in to see her ENT and is scheduled to go back in April for a follow-up. This child has tubes in both ears and they are both still in at the 2 year mark. ENT will possibly schedule another appointment to remove them after the April follow-up and will schedule another hearing test at that time as well. ENT feels that recent screening is most likely due to drainage in left ear and will continue to be monitored. . 1 Adult & Pediatric CPR class and 1 First Aid class was taught with 7 participants in each. 5 client satisfaction surveys were received and all had positive comments about the services they have received.

CENTERS SCREENED THIS MONTH	# CHILDREN	DATE
Treehouse	2	11/4/19
Kids Place	1	11/4/19
Myrtle Grove Baptist	5	11/5/19
Grace CDC	3	11/13/19
East Hill Christian	2	11/14/19
CCN Creighton	3	11/18/19
Wee Kare	51	11/19/19
Treehouse	42	11/20/19
CCN Fairfield	17	11/21/19
Total Screened This Month	126	

CENTERS SCHEDULED NEXT MONTH	ACTIVITY	DATE
Jacqueline Harris	Screening	12/2/19
Treehouse	Re-checks	12/3/19
St. Christopher's	Screening	12/4/19
Childcare Network Fairfield	Re-checks	12/5/19
Wee Kare	Re-checks	12/9/19
Scenic Preschool	Screening	12/10/19
First Aid/CPR	First Aid/CPR	12/11/19
Kids Academy	Screening	12/12/19
Jacqueline Harris	Re-checks	12/16/19
Jacqueline Harris	Education	12/16/19
La Petite	Screening	12/17/19
St. Christopher's	Re-checks	12/18/19

December 2019

SCREENINGS	Current	YTD
Vision (Centers)	177	1233
Vision (Office)	0	0
- Referrals	16	87
Hearing (Centers)	197	1227
Hearing (Office)	0	0
- Referrals	13	98
Height/Weight *	146	1160
- BMI - Normal (5% - 84%)	113	37
- BMI - Underweight (< 5%)	6	44
- BMI - Overweight (85% - 94%)	17	148
- BMI - Obese (> 95%)	9	112
REFUSED SCREENINGS	0	2

** indicates duplicates/rechecks*

OTHER ITEMS	Current	YTD
Children Served (screened and/or education)	283	2048
Health Record/Immunization Review	0	0
Education Classes	9	75
- # of children	124	102
- # of staff/parents	13	210
Consultations (parents/providers)	15	151
Nursing Assessments (Child's health)	0	0
Health Alerts Sent	0	9
Staff Served	11	137
Site Visits	16	94

COMMENTS:

December 2019 Outcomes: There were **3** children with **vision outcomes** this month. 1 child got glasses and 2 children were prescribed glasses. There were **4** children with **hearing outcomes** this month. 1 child is to be fitted for a hearing aid. An audiology report was received for another child which indicated near normal hearing responses in the right ear, possible conductive loss in the left ear; negative pressure in the right ear; no eardrum movement seen in the left ear. Follow-up with pediatrician and/or ENT for medical management of observed middle ear findings, resulting in a conductive hearing loss, repeat testing and use sound system with further educational testing. Another child saw the specialist and was re-tested with the results remaining the same - hopeful the result was only due to fluid in ears. Parent will continue to take child to specialist and stated "I'm so happy and grateful with the program. Thank you". Finally, an audiology report was received with results of slight to mild conductive hearing loss bilaterally along with no movement in either eardrum for another child. Recommendations are to follow-up with pediatrician for medical management of observed middle ear findings, resulting in a slight to mild, conductive hearing loss along with repeat testing following medical management. There were **9 health education classes** were taught to 124 Pre-K students and 13 staff/parents during the month of December which included: handwashing, dental, nutrition and safety. There were **2 client satisfaction surveys were received** and both had positive comments.

CENTERS SCREENED THIS MONTH	# CHILDREN	DATE
Jacqueline Harris	20	12/2/19
Treehouse	1	12/3/19
Ministry Village	2	12/3/19
St. Christopher's	48	12/4/19
CCN Fairfield	1	12/5/19
Scenic Preschool	23	12/10/19
Kidz Academy	21	12/12/19
Jacqueline Harris	6	12/16/19
CCN Bowman	1	12/16/19
La Petite	34	12/17/19
St. Christopher's	3	12/18/19
Total Screened This Month	160	

CENTERS SCHEDULED NEXT MONTH	ACTIVITY	DATE
La Petite	Rechecks	1/6/20
Scenic Preschool	Rechecks	1/7/20
Kidz Academy	Rechecks	1/8/20
CPR/FA	CPR/FA	1/8/20
Kidz Konnection	Screening	1/9/20
Greater Little Rock	Screening	1/13/20
Trinity	Screening	1/14/20
Trinity	Screening	1/15/20
Holly's Adventurers	Screening	1/16/20
Ministry Village	Screening	1/21/20
Ministry Village	Screening	1/22/20
Ministry Village	Screening	1/23/20
Greater Little Rock	Rechecks	1/27/20
Kidz Konnection	Rechecks	1/28/2020
Trinity	Rechecks	1/29/2020
Holly's Adventurers	Rechecks	1/30/2020

Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County
Monthly CCRR Report for 2019-2020

	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
Total Interviews	73	69	111	106	61	76							496
New Interviews	61	60	87	88	54	65							415
Repeat Interviews	12	9	24	18	7	11							81
Reason for Care													
Employment	54	56	70	74	58	71							383
Job Search	19	13	41	32	3	5							113
Relationship													
Parent	62	57	108	98	56	73							454
Grandparent	11	8	2	8	3	2							34
Foster Parent	0	4	1	0	2	1							8
Ages of children													
Infants	27	17	26	21	16	21							128
1 Year old	14	13	24	13	17	18							99
2 Year old	19	20	29	29	14	17							128
3 Year old	18	16	14	11	8	16							83
4 Year old	10	11	9	9	45	6							90
5 Year old	9	14	12	12	4	15							66
School Age	15	21	30	36	13	12							127

Data compiled from CCR&R staff weekly reports.

Narrative for November/December 2019

Lobby: Lobby decorated for Christmas with a handprint Christmas Tree. Had an interactive window so children could write their names on Santa's list. Children continue to engage with each other more at interactive table. Parents have inquired about where to find chairs like in the lobby for their homes.

Window 1- Interactive play food is still a hit with the children

Window 2 - Weekly Focus- letters, shapes colors and site words

Window 3 – Community Resources and Activities- Information on food banks for Thanksgiving and Christmas

Window 4 – Same as last month, parental response to this has been positive. Teaching responsibility to parents and children

Note 1: Parents have been inquiring more about daycare programs, i.e what they can offer their child, and asking more questions about educational and developmental skills offered
Note 2: More parents are utilizing the family portal system through the resource room, and are being better prepared with documents to upload

Note 3: Parents responding to WL letters mailed, being proactive with getting listings. More parents coming in or calling after getting WL reminder email at 15 day mark after being pulled from the wait list

Early Learning Coalition

Program Support Summary

2019-2020	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	YTD
Outreach													
Events/Activities	1	3	3	2	0	1							10
Books distributed	1300	1700	1940	1545	1745	1900							10130
Media Units	2	0	1	0	0	1							4
Agency Facebook Likes	1026	1031	1034	1038	1039	1039							-
Agency Facebook Followers	-	1139	1142	1146	1147	1147							-
Program Accountability													
Corrective Action Notice(CANs)	9	10	9	9	11	0							48
Fraud	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Monitorings	10	13	10	10	11	0							54
Health & Safety Letters	7	9	2	17	8	12							55
Review Hearings	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Validation ASQ's	0	53	83	62	102	0							300
Child Assessments													
Children Enrolled in SR Gold	-	286	288	277	274	283							-
# of SR GOLD Providers	-	7	7	6	6	6							-
SR GOLD # TA Units	-	3	5	9	15	36							68
Inclusion/ Behavior Support													
# On line screens	315	366	417	318	299	292							2007
# Referrals to Agencies	5	6	8	8	5	7							39
General Inclusion Topics	7	5	8	8	6	3							37
ASQ # TA Units	82	111	116	127	83	103							622
Trainings Conducted	0	1	0	0	2	1							4
Participants	0	13	0	0	48	12							73
# of Expulsions/Suspensions	1	0	3	5	1	0							10
SR Support													
# Trainings Conducted	0	9	8	1	2	1							21
# Training Participants	0	114	90	12	16	16							248
SR # TA Units	10	4	6	2	5	5							32
Contracting SR Pre-Site Visits	0	2	0	1	0	0							3
SR Program Assessments(by classrooms)	0	0	12	12	7	11							42
Infant/Toddler Initiative													
# of Trainings Conducted	4	4	3	5	0	1							17
# of Participants	40	32	24	35	0	11							142
# of TA Units	3	0	2	-	-	3							8
LENA Grow Sites	2	2	-	-	-	-							4
LENA Grow With Me Classrooms	4	4	-	-	-	-							8
LENA Grow With Me TA Units	5	8	-	-	-	-							13
VPK Support													
# of VPK classrooms	1	6	6	6	6	3							28
VPK # TA Units	10	20	12	30	25	20							117
Program Monitorings	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
# Trainings Conducted	2	2	2	0	0	0							6
# Training Participants	17	16	12	0	0	0							45
LPP Monitoring's	0	0	0	5	6	3							14
LPP # TA units	0	15	12	15	20	20							82
Contracting VPK Pre-Site Visit	0	0	1	0	0	0							1
# of children in VPK	-	-	-	-	-	-							---
GRTR Screenings (# children screened)	-	43	134	108	0	0							285

SR/VPK Status Report Week of 1/5/19-1/11/2020

SR Children Currently Enrolled by Age by Funding as of 1/11/2020

	Pri 1		Pri 2/3		Pri 4/5	Pri 6/7		TOTAL	
FUNDER	TANF	TANF WKG	PS	PS-RCG	TCC	W/P	SRMT		EFS MOD
BILLING CODE	BG3	BG3W	BG1	BG3R	BG5	BG8	BG8		UnDup
INFANT	2	0	20	0	3	110	10	145	
TODDLER	6	1	38	7	9	239	12	312	Dup
2YR	4	0	41	12	5	406	6	474	
PR3	11	0	61	10	6	371	11	470	LEGACY
PR4	10	1	41	7	5	342	11	417	UnDup
PR5	3	0	15	4	3	155	4	184	3255
SCHOOL AGE	21	0	69	27	18	1121	17	1273	Dup
TOTAL BY FUNDER	57	2	285	67	49	2744	71	3275	3275

Wait List Update as of 1/11/2020	
Information by Child	
Pri 6: Birth to Sch Age	33
Pri 7a: 5-9 Children with Pri 3 Siblings	9
Pri 7b: 5-9 Children w/ No Pri 3 Siblings	2
Pri 7c: 10-12 Other Children	3
SRMT	6
Total on Wait List	**53**

Week of 1/5/19-1/11/2020	
Total New Enrollments	37
Total Redeterminations	44
Total Re-Enrollments	2
Total Terminations	54

Wait List Activity Update					
Applied	Children	Notice	Applied	Children	Notice
6/30-7/6	16	07/09/19	11/17-11/23	61	12/05/19
7/7-7/13	65	07/22/19	11/24-11/30	19	12/05/19
7/14-7/20	51	07/22/19	12/1-12/7	30	12/10/19
7/21-7/27	45	08/06/19	12/8-12/14	37	12/17/19
7/28-8/3	97	08/06/19	12/15-12/28	56	12/31/19
8/4-8/10	82	08/15/19	12/29-1/4	44	01/08/20
8/11-8/17	76	08/21/19	1/5-1/11	**53**	
8/16-8/24	52	08/29/19			
8/25-8/31	41	09/04/19			
9/1-9/7	60	09/11/19			
9/8-9/14	20	09/19/19			
9/15-9/21	58	09/25/19			
9/22-9/28	49	10/02/19			
9/29-10/5	48	10/08/19			
10/6-10/12	39	10/18/19			
10/13-10/19	29	10/24/19			
10/20-10/26	56	10/29/19			
10/27-11/2	56	11/05/19			
11/3-11/9	43	11/14/19			
11/10-11/16	94	11/20/19			

School Readiness Data by Fiscal Year

FY 19/20	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
New Enrollments	165	201	201	159	127	115						
Redeterminations	227	180	196	210	96	132						
Re-Enrollments	27	8	5	39	6	11						
Terminations	288	113	151	113	158	129						

VPK 19/20 Program Year				
Adhoc Reports	Submtd	Approved	Enrolled	Rejected
School Year	2	2423	1910	111
Summer	0	8	0	2

ELC ESCAMBIA FY19/20 WAIT LIST PULL RESULTS SUMMARY

		Parent Data							Child Data									
Wait List Pulls Complete																		
Pull Date	Applied Range	# Parents In Pull	No Purpose for Care	Over Income	Declined Services	Elig Started Not Complete	No Response	Families Enrolled	# Children In Pull	# Children Enrolled	% Children Enrolled	# Waiting for Provider	Children Waiting for Provider by Age Group					
													Inf	1	2	3	4	Sch
07/02/19	6/23-6/29	19	0	0	0	3	4	12	38	21	55%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
07/09/19	6/30-7/6	10	0	2	0	0	2	6	16	10	63%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
07/23/19	7/7-7/20	64	1	2	0	12	11	38	116	70	60%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
08/06/19	7/21-8/3	80	3	1	1	32	6	37	142	57	40%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
08/15/19	8/4-8/10	48	3	0	0	7	12	26	92	40	43%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
08/21/19	8/11-8/17	43	1	1	0	6	7	29	76	42	55%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
08/29/19	8/18-8/24	41	2	0	0	9	12	18	53	23	43%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
09/04/19	8/25-8/31	28	0	0	0	3	6	19	43	28	65%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
09/11/19	9/1-9/7	38	0	0	0	7	10	21	60	33	55%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
09/18/19	9/8-9/14	11	0	0	0	2	1	8	20	9	45%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
09/25/19	9/15-9/21	28	0	0	0	6	8	14	58	31	53%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
10/02/19	9/22-9/28	27	3	0	0	7	3	14	49	24	49%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
10/08/19	9/29-10/5	25	0	0	1	10	1	13	48	23	48%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
10/18/19	10/6-10/12	20	0	0	1	1	4	14	39	19	49%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
10/24/19	10/13-10/19	15	0	0	0	4	4	7	29	12	41%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
10/29/19	10/20-10/26	33	0	1	0	10	8	14	56	28	50%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
11/05/19	10/27-11/2	39	1	0	1	5	9	23	56	33	59%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
11/14/19	11/3-11/9	23	0	0	0	3	7	13	43	18	42%	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
11/20/19	11/10-11/16	56	0	0	0	16	14	26	94	39	41%	6	1	1	1	1	1	1
12/4/19	11/17-11/30	45	1	1	0	9	16	18	80	28	35%	10	3	N	2	2	1	2
12/10/19	12/1-12/7	20	1	0	0	4	6	9	30	13	43%	3	1	N	1	1	N	N
Totals: Pulls Completed		**713**	**16**	**8**	**4**	**156**	**151**	**379**	**1238**	**601**	49%	**19**	**5**	**1**	**4**	**4**	**2**	**3**
Family No Care		**47%**	2%	1%	1%	22%	21%	53%										
Wait List Pulls Still In Process *																		
12/17/19	12/8-12/14	27	0	0	0	7	7	13	37	15	41%	6	2	1	N	1	1	1
12/31/19	12/15-12/28	32	0	0	0	6	19	7	56	10	18%	5	1	N	1	1	1	1
01/08/20	12/29-1/4	26	0	0	0	3	22	1	44	2	5%	1	1	N	N	N	N	N
Totals: Pulls in Process		**85**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**16**	**48**	**21**	**137**	**27**	20%	**12**	**4**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**2**

As of 11JAN2020

NUMBERS TO DATE - Final results pending. Pulls are still in process.

PS CHILDREN PENDING PROVIDER

12/14/2019	35
12/28/2019	35
1/4/2020	43
1/11/2020	29

EARLY LEARNING COALITION of ESCAMBIA - PROVIDER CONTRACT ACTIVITY SUMMARY

ACTIVE SCHOOL READINESS PROVIDERS

			FY 2019-2020			
Provider Type	FY 17-18	FY 18-19	Previous Total	Providers Added	Providers Removed	Current Total
LFCCH	16	16	15	0	0	15
RFCCH	11	8	6	0	0	6
Licensed Center	54	48	52	1	1	52
Licensed Exempt Center	12	11	10	0	1	9
After School Only	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Active SR Providers	**93**	**83**	**83**	**1**	**2**	**82**

NEW CONTRACTED SCHOOL READINESS PROVIDERS

			FY 2019-2020		
Provider Type	FY 17-18	FY 18-19	Previous Total	New Contracts	Total New Contracts
Homes (LFCCH & RFCCH)	3	0	0	0	0
Licensed Center	6	5	6	1	7
Licensed Exempt Center	1	1	2	0	2
After School Only	0	0	0	0	0
Total New SR Contracts	**10**	**6**	**8**	**1**	**9**

PROVIDER SR CONTRACT TERMINATIONS

			FY 2019-2020			
Provider Type	FY 17-18	FY 18-19	Previous Total	New Terms	Termination Reasons	Current Total
LFCCH	6	0	1	0	1=1	1
RFCCH	3	1	2	0	12=1, 1=1	2
Licensed Center	8	7	2	1	12=1, 3=2	3
Licensed Exempt Center	29	0	3	1	12=3, 1=1	4
Total Provider Choice Terminations	**46**	**8**	**8**	**2**		**10**

COALITION SR CONTRACT TERMINATIONS

			FY 2019-2020			
Provider Type	FY 17-18	FY 18-19	Previous Total	New Terms	Termination Reasons	Current Total
Licensed	3	5	0	0		0
Exempt	2	2	0	0		0
Registered FCCH	2	1	0	0		0
Total Coalition Contract Terminations	**7**	**8**	**0**	**0**		**0**

TOTAL CONTRACT TERMINATIONS	**53**	**16**	**8**	**2**		**10**

Termination Reason Key	
1= Provider Choice - Retired	8= Insurance Non-Compliance
2= Provider Choice - Low enrollments	9= VPK Improvement Plan Non-Compliance
3= Provider Choice - No reason given	10= Fraud Referral
4= Change in status (i.e. Licensed)	11= VPK -No VPK Director
5= Contract Non-Compliance	12= Prior Year Contract Non-Renewal
6= OEL/ELC Policy Non-Compliance	13= Provider Required to Close
7= ASQ Non-Compliance	

EARLY LEARNING COALITION of ESCAMBIA - PROVIDER CONTRACT ACTIVITY SUMMARY

ACTIVE VPK PROVIDERS

			FY 2019-2020			
Provider Type	**FY 17-18**	**FY 18-19**	**Previous Total**	**Providers Added**	**Providers Removed**	**Current Total**
Licensed	53	49	51	0	1	50
Licensed Exempt	12	12	13	0	0	13
School District	14	14	14	0	0	14
Total Active VPK Providers	79	75	78	0	1	77

NEW CONTRACTED VPK PROVIDERS

			FY 2019-2020		
Provider Type	**FY 17-18**	**FY 18-19**	**Previous Total**	**New Contracts**	**Total New Contracts**
Licensed	2	3	5	0	5
Licensed Exempt	0	2	2	0	2
Total New VPK Contracts	**2**	**5**	**7**	**0**	**7**

PROVIDER VPK CONTRACT TERMINATIONS

			FY 2019-2020			
Provider Type	**FY 17-18**	**FY 18-19**	**Previous Total**	**New Terms**	**Termination Reasons**	**Current Total**
Licensed Center	5	5	2	1	12=1, 3=2	3
Licensed Exempt Center	0	2	1	0	12=1	1
Total Provider Choice Terminations	**5**	**7**	**3**	**1**		**4**

COALITION CONTRACT TERMINATION

			FY 2019-2020			
Provider Type	**FY 17-18**	**FY 18-19**	**Previous Total**	**New Terms**	**Termination Reasons**	**Current Total**
Licensed	2	2	1	0	11=1	1
Exempt	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Coalition Contract Terminations	**2**	**2**	**1**	**0**		**1**

TOTAL CONTRACT TERMINATIONS	**7**	**9**	**4**	**1**		**5**

Total VPK Only Providers	**FY 17-18**	**FY 18-19**	**FY 19-20**
	40	**39**	**42**

Fraud Summary

Pending Action	**2015-2016**	**2016-2017**	**2017-2018**	**2018-2019**
Total Cases	33	10	0	1
Active Client	3	0	0	0
Active Provider	1	1	0	1
Restitution Submitted	$151,067.00	$904,976.98	$0.00	$63,514.00
Pending Client	6	2	3	3
Pending Provider	0	2	0	2
Potential Restitution	$151,067.00	$904,976.98	$213,536.14	$189,335.20
Closed or Adjudicated	**2015-2016**	**2016-2017**	**2017-2018**	**2018-2019**
Client	20	5	6	1
Provider	3	0	1	0
Restitution Ordered	$26,807.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Restitution Ordered Prior to July 2015	**$174,566.00**			

Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County

The Early Learning Coalition of Escambia County is seeking early education and care providers for its Board of Directors for each of the following two statutorily required categories:

- Representative for **Private For Profit Child Care Providers** (can be either home or center-based)
- Representative for **Non-Profit Faith Based Child Care Providers**

Nominations from interested individuals who are committed to making a difference to the community's youngest children and their families will be accepted. If you are interested or know an individual who would make a strong provider candidate on the Early Learning Coalition Board of Directors, please fill the form out below and return it to the Coalition no later than April 30, 2020.

Name of person making nomination (if other than nominee) _____

Nominee information:

First Name _____ Last Name _____
Mailing Address _____
City/State _____ Zip _____ Email _____
Main Phone _____ Other Phone _____
Name of Child Care Program _____
Position _____

Please check the category this nominee qualifies to represent. The nominee may only represent the category that defines the Child Care Program in which they are currently employed.

For Profit Child Care Provider
Non-Profit Faith Based Child Care Provider

Do you, or your nominee, have the flexibility to attend meetings during work hours (8-5)? YES NO
Do you, or your nominee, have the flexibility to attend meetings after hours? YES NO

Are you, or your nominee, related to any Coalition board members or staff, or other child care/early learning providers? (Please List)

_____

Are you currently serving on any other boards? (Please List)

_____ _____
_____ _____

Please list other civic, community or charitable organizations where you have served, or are currently serving:

_____ _____
_____ _____