



This institute will focus on developing strategies with state Part C or 619 coordinators to integrate infants and young children who receive services under IDEA into statewide early childhood activities.

Follow-up to the institute participants will include coaching using technology and the provision of training materials to scale up involvement of the Part C and B (619) coordinators in early childhood state policy and program development.

Objectives

By the end of the 2.5 day institute, the participants will be able to:

- 1) Describe the history, structure and workforce needs of the early childhood community.
- 2) Describe the history, structure and workforce needs of the early childhood intervention community.
- 3) Describe strategies to integrate infants and young children with disabilities and families into state wide early childhood programs, including ELC activities.
- 4) Describe strategies to integrate personnel who serve infants and young children with disabilities and families into state wide early childhood programs.
- 5) Describe leadership roles and responsibilities for the Part C and 610 coordinators to facilitate the inclusion infants and young children with disabilities and families into state and local early childhood initiatives including personnel development, QRIS and child and family benchmarks and outcomes.
- 6) Develop a state plan, timelines and outcomes to use in their state to facilitate the inclusion infants and young children with disabilities and families into state and local early childhood initiatives.



Day 1: October 22, 2014

9:15	Introductions and Overview of the ECPC	Mary Beth Bruder
9:45	Overview of Early Childhood Programs and Systems History Current Structure Future Workforce Needs	Sharon Lynn Kagan
12:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
1:00	Overview of Early Childhood Intervention Programs and Systems History Current Structure Future Workforce Needs	Mary Beth Bruder Maureen Greer
2:15	<i>Break</i>	
2:30	Individual State EC Landscape (20-30 minutes each program)	Participants
	2:30 – 2:50 AK (Part C)	
	2:50-3:10 DC (619)	
	3:10 – 3:40 MA (Part C and 619)	
	3:40 – 4:00 NV (Part C)	
4:15	<i>Adjourn</i>	



Day 2: October 23, 2014

9:00	Individual State EC Landscape (<i>CONTINUED</i>)	Participants
	9:15–9:45 MN (Part C and 619)	
	9:45–10:15 TN (Part C and 619)	
	10:15–10:35 TX (Part C)	
	10:35–10:00 VA (619)	
11:00	Summary of Cross State Themes and Discussion	All
12:15	<i>Lunch</i>	
1:15	Leadership Roles and Responsibilities	Sharon Lynn Kagan
2:45	<i>Break</i>	
3:00	Statewide EC Leadership and ELC Opportunities	Linda Goodman
3:45	The Role of Meaningful Family Involvement in Planning, Implementation and Evaluation	Darla Gundler
4:30	<i>Adjourn</i>	



Day 3: October 24, 2014

9:00	Action Planning: Integrating Into State EC Programs and Systems	Maureen Greer
9:30	Small Group Planning: by Program/State	All
11:00	Presentation of State Plans, Outcomes and Timelines	All
12:00	<i>Working lunch</i> - Follow-up Plans and Evaluation	Mary Beth Bruder
1:00	<i>Adjourn</i>	