Objectives

NOEEN Overview

2015-2016 Year in Review

Looking Ahead: 2016-17 DRAFT NOEEN Priorities
**Vision:** increase the number of children who arrive at kindergarten ready to succeed.

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**Unified Expectations**

- Centers
- Schools
- Head Start

**Unified Accountability System**

**Coordinated Enrollment & Funding**

- CCAP
- Head Start
- LA4
- NSECD
- Pre-K Expansion
What is the New Orleans Early Education Network (NOEEN)?

NOEEN is the local early childhood community network working to ensure that every young child in New Orleans has access to a high-quality early care & education program.

Agenda for Children is the Lead Agency and supports:

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### NOEEN Partners & Steering Committee Members

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<td>327</td>
<td>1 Archdiocese Asst. Supt.</td>
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<td>21 Early Head Start &amp; HS</td>
<td>2,203</td>
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<td>91 Type III Early Learning Centers</td>
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Coordinated Observations & Supports

For the first time ever, a common, reliable standard of quality teacher-child interactions can be measured and compared for all publicly-funded early childhood classrooms in New Orleans.

- CLASS Observations in Fall and Spring for all publicly funded early childhood classrooms
- 500+ Classroom Observations
- 98 % of classrooms observed by contracted observers
- My Teachstone for all teachers to provide focused, relevant professional development
- *Coaching with myTeachstone* training provided to interested administrators and coaches
Coordinated Enrollment & Information Campaign

For the first time ever, a family seeking free early care and education can choose from nearly all publicly-funded programs through a single eligibility verification and enrollment process.

- Over 5,000 early childhood seats in OneApp (all Early Head Start, Head Start, LA 4, NSECD, and PEG programs)

- NOEEN adopted Coordinated Enrollment Framework

- Online application and standardized eligibility verification process

- Processed more than more than 10,000 applications

- Guide to Early Childhood Education and Early Childhood Catalog included detailed information on all publicly funded programs, including CCAP
Coordinated Funding

For the first time ever, public schools, nonpublic schools, and early learning centers were able to apply for all state-funded early childhood programs through a single, transparent application and evaluation process.

- Single timeline, application, and evaluation process for all providers seeking LA 4, NSECD, PEG, and CCAP funds
- Increased the number of free Pre-K 4 seats by over 250
- Facilitated the development of 8 new school-center partnerships through the Preschool Expansion Grant
- Partnered with Stand for Children to develop a cost estimate for the actual cost of early childhood education and what it would take to serve all children
Network Development

For the first time ever, early childhood programs have a representative public body dedicated to collective actions that are best for the entire system of early childhood care and education in New Orleans.

- 11-member NOEEN Steering Committee founded, representing all program types
- 6 NOEEN Steering Committee meetings
- Supported Agenda for Children in Learning Year by advising and making decisions for coordinated observations, enrollment, and funding
- Theory of Change
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Coordinated Observations & Supports
DRAFT 2016-17 Priorities

• Complete CLASS observations for 100% of network classrooms in Fall and Spring.

• Maintain a corps of sixteen well-trained, reliable contracted CLASS observers for both observation periods.

• Develop and implement a plan to provide targeted resources to program partners in order to improve teacher-child quality interactions.
Coordinated Enrollment & Information Campaign DRAFT 2016-17 Priorities

• Conduct a comprehensive systemwide needs assessment based on 2016-17 coordinated enrollment data to inform the NOEEN coordinated funding request, and systemwide and individual programs’ capacity and enrollment projections.

• Continue to improve the coordinated enrollment process, to ensure increased access and information for families and program partners.
Coordinated Funding
DRAFT 2016-17 Priorities

• Integrate allocated CCAP slots fully into the Coordinated Funding Request and Coordinated Enrollment processes (dependent on LDE).

• Advocate for and develop a plan to secure additional funding for additional infant, toddler, and three-year-old seats.
Network Development
DRAFT 2016-17 Priorities

• Develop a long-term strategic plan for the structure, governance, and funding of NOEEN and a proposed plan of action for coordinating, improving and expanding quality and access to publicly-funded early childhood care and education in New Orleans.