



Quarterly Provider Network Meeting

April 27, 2022



Agenda



1. Welcome
2. Quick Update on NWI
3. Updated Child Screening Process for SR Providers
4. Trauma Informed Care
5. Adjourn





New Workforce Initiative

NWI

Quick Overview



Designed with childcare providers in mind, the New Workforce Initiative will allow the Early Learning Coalition of Northwest Florida to assist our providers in 3 ways:

- **Recruitment** - Helping find new talent, and ensuring they are fully prepared to go into the classroom.
- **Retention** - Rewarding those who remain in the industry.
- **Upskilling** - Making access to training and professional development easier for new and veteran teachers.

Time Frame:

March 18, 2022 – June 17, 2022



Quick Overview



Child Care Business Recruitment, Development and Best Practices Area	Open Date	Close/Due Date
Informational Webinars	3/15/2022	3/18/2022
NWI Initial Application Completion	3/18/2022	3/25/2022
Longevity Stipends	3/25/2022	4/1/2022
Recruitment Activities Open for Processing	3/25/2022	6/17/2022
Upskilling Activities	5/1/2022	6/17/2022
NWI Closes	N/A	6/17/2022



Thus Far...



NEW WORKFORCE INITIATIVE

- We held 3 informational webinars
- We received 78 initial applications; this allowed us to get contact information for 698 of your teachers.
- We have received and submitted for payment processing 61 packets for longevity stipends; 42 are also next in the queue.
- We have processed \$37,000 in recruitment mini grants to be paid directly to providers.
- We have received and logged training stipends for 20 teachers and directors who are working on their professional development.
- Teachers have been assigned to Coalition staff for mentorship and should have started the back-to-basics portion of the mentorship program.
- All the branding/rebranding centers have been identified.



What's next?



- Upskilling activities reimbursement opens for submission on 5/1/2022 and will run through the closing of NWI on 6/17/2022.
- We will continue to process current submissions for Longevity Stipends, and Recruitment Mini Grants.
- Coaching/Mentorship and Branding should be underway and will continue through 6/17/2022.
- Please notify the Coalition of any new hires or those who have reached the 90-day mark since February 1, 2022 as we can supplement your sign-on and 90-day bonuses through NWI.



What's next?



NWI

NEW WORKFORCE INITIATIVE

The Coalition has contracted with Sachs Media Group to create a recruitment campaign highlighting the importance of joining the early learning workforce. Be on the look out for social media posts, billboards, commercials, and videos coming out with this unique messaging attached.





Child Screenings

Updated Child Screening Process for SR



To begin alignment with Legislation and Rule for child screenings, the Coalition has changed annual child screening dates from birthdays to redetermination dates.

By using the Redetermination date, this will allow the Child Screening portion of the Provider Portal to be updated in a timely manner. Please begin using your Developmental Screening Portal to access the screenings that are due.



Updated Child Screening Process for SR – Cont'd



- EFS/Mod will automatically schedule a screening and it will populate in your Developmental Screening Portal if needed.
- Occasionally if a parent or provider is concerned about a screening, the system will prompt another screening at the next screening interval to see if the child is progressing.
- If there is a request for an ASQ-3 or ASQ-SE in your Provider Portal, then a parent has not opted out of the ASQ-SE screening, and you are required to complete the ASQ-SE screening.



Updated Child Screening Process for SR – Cont'd



Until ALL birthday screenings are filtered out, there may be duplicate screenings. *For example*, you may have completed a birthday screening on 2/14/22, but your Development Screening Portal is prompting you to complete a screening with a Due Date by 3/31/22.

You will need to complete **all requested screenings** by the indicated due date. This will begin the alignment with the Developmental Screening Portal.



Updated Child Screening Process for SR – Cont'd



Preschool Developmental Screening Incomplete Queue

The page displays all outstanding screening request that need to be completed. Selecting Child ID takes you to the child's Screening History. Selecting Screening ID takes you to the child's screening information. Selecting the Vendor link takes you vendor's site to complete the questionnaires.

[Click Here For Filtering Tips](#)

Show entries [Clear All Filters](#) [Export](#) Search:

Child ID	Child Name	DOB	Assigned Counselor	Provider ID	Provider Name	Screening ID	Request Date	Enrollment Actual Start Date	Due Date	Days Until Due	Questionnaire	Enter Screening
Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	Filter	
[Redacted]	[Redacted]	[Redacted]		[Redacted]	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	03/10/2022	03/10/2022	04/23/2022	1	ASQ-3	English Spanish
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Trauma Informed Care Training

Virtual TICD



In partnership with DCF, the Coalition will be hosting the **40-hour virtual Trauma Informed Care for Child Care Directors.**

This course begins **May 17th, 2022.** A required Orientation will be **May 10th.**

Send a message through the Redline if you would like to participate by May 6, 2022.



Virtual TIC – the details



- The Coalition **has 12 seats** open for Directors to attend this multi-session course, which requires the completion of outside assignments and readings.
- **Course fees/registration will be covered by the Coalition-\$375 value.**
- Orientation will be held **May 10th, 2022.**
- \$500 Stipends for Directors will be awarded for completion of course and all assignments.





Please direct any questions to the Redline

Our next meeting will be on or around
Wednesday, July 27, 2022