

PROVIDER NETWORK UPDATES

August 2022





Board Meetings



The next Board of Directors Meetings will be on July 13, 2022 and August 10, 2022 at 11:00 am CT.

To provide the most safety and convenience for participation, this meeting will be held via Zoom Webinar at:

https://zoom.us/j/88279080824 and Passcode: 70332401

or

(646) 558-8656 using meeting ID number 882 7908 0824 and Passcode: 70332401

DEL Rule Workshops



6M-4.740/4.741

A Rule Workshop for Rules 6M-4.740 and 6M-4.741, Program Assessment Requirements for the School Readiness Program will be held via webinar on the following dates and times:

- --Monday, August 15, from 2:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m. EDT or until business is concluded, whichever is earlier. To register click here.
- --Tuesday, August 16, from 10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. EDT or until business is concluded, whichever is earlier. To register click here.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. Written comments on the proposed rule may be submitted to oel.rules@oel.myflorida.com. All emails should have "6M-4.740/4.741 Comment" in the subject line.

DEL Rule Workshops



6M-9.120

Rule 6M-9.120 Early Learning Coalition Performance Standards and Evaluations will be presented at the State Board of Education meeting.

--Wednesday, July 13, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. EDT at: School District Administrative Complex 817 Bill Beck Boulevard Kissimmee, FL 34744

6M-9.120 Early Learning Coalition Performance Standards and Evaluations Final DRAFT Form DEL- SR 120 CEO Executive Director Annual Performance Evaluation Final DRAFT









Outdoor



The Coalition is in the process of beginning our next phase for outdoor environments for supplemental outdoor play materials.

If you are a part of this phase or have questions about the outdoor environments project, please contact Sherry Massey at sherry.massey@elcnwf.org or (850) 704-0941.







Schedule a Books, Balls and Blocks Event at Your Program!



Help Me Grow is available to offer free developmental screenings to the private-pay parents of your program!

Click <u>HERE</u> or email <u>HMG@elcnwf.org</u> to schedule your screening event!







Accreditation and Expansion Support



We still have funds available and can assist in supporting you with expanding infant and toddler classrooms, as well as assistance in accreditation. These are both fantastic ways to grow your business and provide quality care for children!

Please contact Kate Burch for more details at Kate.burch@elcnwf.org or 850-704-0663.







Accreditation Support Group



Are you working on exploring accreditation and would like extra support from your peers?

Join us for Accreditation Support Group virtual meeting every Tuesday from 12:30pm-1:30pm.

Please contact Kate Burch for more details at Kate.burch@elcnwf.org or 850-704-0663.









Voluntary PreKindergarten



Service Numbers

VPK Enrollments as of July 31, 2022



Age	Bay	Calhoun	Franklin	Gulf	Holmes	Jackson	Washington	Grand Total
School Based	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non-School Based	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



VPK Information

VPK Instructor Training Changes



In order to better support VPK educators, the Division of Early Learning (DEL) is amending Rule 6M-8.615, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), VPK Training Requirements to provide clarity on course completion requirements. DEL will gather public comment on the proposed revisions at a rule development workshop on June 29, 2022. DEL will then present the amended rule and incorporated form at the State Board of Education meeting on August 17, 2022.

The amended rule revises the deadline for VPK instructors to complete the emergent literacy courses from July 1, 2022, to prior to the date of when the VPK class begins. With the removal of the July 1 deadline, instructors in 2022 Summer VPK programs will not be required to complete the emergent literacy training requirement until the following program year.

Draft rule language and workshop registration can be found on our website at https://www.floridaearlylearning.com/statewide-initiatives/proposed-rules.



School Readiness



Service Numbers

SR Enrollments as of July 31, 2022



Age	Bay	Calhoun	Franklin	Gulf	Holmes	Jackson	Washington	Grand Total
Infant	76	4	0	1	1	32	12	126
Ones	162	4	6	3	11	64	22	272
Twos	200	5	2	0	23	70	32	332
Threes	208	16	7	3	25	72	39	370
Fours	202	12	2	4	27	84	32	363
Fives	127	2	3	1	18	61	13	225
School Age	286	18	4	0	51	151	55	565
Special Needs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1261	61	24	12	156	534	205	2253

SR Waitlist as of July 31, 2022



Age	Bay	Calhoun	Franklin	Gulf	Holmes	Jackson	Washington	Grand Total
Infant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ones	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Twos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Threes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
School Age	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



SR Information



Education Services

Building Better Beginnings 2022-2023



Education Services is excited to announce that we will be conducting Building Better Beginnings again this year.

But wait...it will look a little different! We will be adding a CLASS Component too!

Our goal is to be able to support your teachers in their classroom using CLASS and FSU 10 Component framework helping promote quality care in your program.

This year we will offer 2 sessions throughout the year for teachers in infant and toddler classrooms. Below is a link to a survey if you are interested in one of your teachers applying to be part of this program.

BBB Application- Click Here

Continuing Education Opportunities



CLASS Group Coaching (MMCI)

- Teachstone has changed the name of Making the Most of Classroom Interactions (MMCI) to CLASS Group Coaching.
- The content is the same and will still help teachers improve the quality of their interactions.
- CLASS Group Coaching training will be provided for teachers and directors throughout the fiscal year 2022-2023.
- This training is two-hours-a-week and will last for 12 weeks.
- Research from Teachstone shows that the CLASS Group Coaching training is one of the best ways teachers can improve their classroom scores. This will help improve the program composite score.







CHILD CARE FUNDING GUIDE FOR FEMA ASSISTANCE

In partnership with Save the Children U.S., ELCNWF is excited to share an emergency preparedness virtual training opportunity. This 30-45 minute virtual training on the Child Care Funding Guide for FEMA Assistance provides a simple road map to assist child care business owners in navigating the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and Small Business Administration (SBA) application processes before and after a natural disaster is declared.

If you are interested in attending a virtual training on this topic from an ELCNWF trained staff, please email the Redline at redline@elcnwf.org.



Child Services

Child Services Updates

No new information to share at this time.

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