



**Subsidized Programs Consortium Agenda
Wednesday, December 2, 2020 9:00-11:00 AM**

Zoom meeting:

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Consortium Chairs: Karen Hamman (PVUSD) and Lisa Hindman Holbert (Community Bridges)
Members: Vicki Boriack (First 5 Santa Cruz County), Maria Castro (SCCOE/MHS), Tricia Pastor Cross (Cabrillo College), Lupe Cortes (PVUSD/MHS), Irene Freiberg (First 5 Santa Cruz County), Lorena Gonzalez (Encompass/Head Start), Eric Gross (Pacific State Preschool), Erendira Guerrero (Encompass/Head Start), Lisa Hirahara (Cabrillo College), Jessica Kranz (Go Kids Inc.), Kathy Lathrop (Cal SAFE and PVUSD), Cathy Lusk (Walnut Ave. Family & Women’s Center), Leticia Mendoza (YWCA), Sita Moon (Child Development Resource Center), Meghan Reilly, (First 5 Santa Cruz County), Angelica Renteria (PVUSD/MHS), Melanie Sluggett, (Live Oak School District) and Emili Willet, (UCSC)

Facilitator: Diane Munoz (Childhood Advisory Council, Community Organizer)

Time	Item	Presenter/s
9:00	I. Welcome and Introductions: Additions to agenda.	Lisa/Karen
9:05	II. Gratitude Minute After the Economic Recovery Council meeting yesterday, I feel very lucky that I have a job and that I don’t own a small business. They are all suffering and the pending Governor’s shut down that will be announced Thursday will make it even more difficult for hospitality, restaurants and retail businesses. This is why my message is shop local – if you can Stay away from big box stores and online shopping. Big companies and corporations don’t need the business as much as small local businesses. <i>Inside timer App Calm prescription based App. 60 per year.</i>	All
9:15	III. COVID Program Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In person and distance learning ● CB flowchart for agency – two symptoms: staff is out for 14 days. Will be closed after dec. 18th returning with a negative COVID test. Will likely have to do a distance learning plan with state. The mountains of work are not reducing. People are afraid and we are preventing negative dialog, feeling tensions of the staff. Reaching out to staff and may close after Thursday because we 	All

may shut down. They have between 5-9 children and families don't need care. Surveying families.

- WAWC, considering closing, will close one classroom that doesn't have enough teachers because of thanksgiving travel. They will close through mid-January. Biggest fear is families aren't telling the center what they are doing about travel. Bringing teachers to talk about it to keep staff safe.
- PVUSD centers are closed distance learning supporting teachers, family outreach and resource sharing. FCCs continue to serve children; providers are not leaving for Mexico this year. 250 children. There are 92 school age kids enrolled. ELCD will offer additional funding in January. Mental health support and staff. Program staff had COVID-19 in FCC homes.
- YWCA – in August a child was exposed to COVID – not sure when and they didn't have symptoms, so they quarantined for 14 days. So they closed the classroom staff and children. The classroom and children will return on Dec. 1st. They will start 2 days in person care and 2 days of distance learning sessions. 1 day for prep and conferences, family engagement. Surprised that all children returned to the center yesterday, December 1st.
- Encompass – following up with COVID vacancies exposures, quantities. They check in with staff regularly so they can respond to staff needs. Impacts testing prior to returning, closed 4 centers in the last week. Developing remote learning and at the center level. Families receiving distance learning are going well. Following health and safety protocols. May close and will conduct training to pre

COVID – 19 Travel and Quarantine Policies:

YWCA policy is that if staff travels they need to quarantine for 14 days and the staff don't get paid during this time.

CB- will pay for quarantine time for staff. Not an easy thing. Continuity is important for both staff and families. Lisa it's more of a discussion and not a policy we can meet. Doesn't have a hold of their policies. Like to discuss the policies.

Lorena, given what we know we could share the procedures would look like and give to staff. Lorena will send the COVID procedure framework.

Cabrillo College – Lisa

D will schedule a morning meeting.

FCC are making their own policies and following protocols.

Cabrillo College, Tricia semester was delayed a week, closing 12.18 put out an intent to return to center and have low enrollment for the spring. Will open in the 3rd

	<p>week in January. Serving 4 Infants 8 Toddlers and 5 Prek. College has emergency leave act to provide reimbursement for staff that don't have sick pay yet. CDC changed from 14 to 10 day quarantine.</p> <p>LOSD: pre K teachers are setting up the classrooms so they will be ready. Finished DRDP conferences and provided packets for families, conferences went well and children are learning. It created a virtual community. PVUSD MHS – currently closed since Oct. offering distance learning and FCC are offering direct services. They are preparing for next year for supplies and materials for children.</p>	
<p>10:10</p>	<p>IV. IEEEP & Workforce Development Pathway Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● CLASS – Framing Their Learning training 11.14.20 - follow up 58 QC staff members attended the training and QC programs received CLASS kits with Meghan's help. I sent the recordings and slides this morning. I. Sandra Ampudia, CLASS trainer from Florida will return for a check-in meeting with QC staff about CLASS implementation practices – Professional Learning Community in late January. ● Advisor Training - 11.17.20 - follow up – 23 early educators/stakeholders attended the Profess Growth Advisor training representing 9 different state/federally funded programs. ● IEEEP Grant – Beginning Together – collaborating with PVUSD to present required TOT community training on inclusive topics in January 2021. This inclusive TOT was recommended to IEEEP grant counties to offer IEEEP programs. ● I joined the Community Advisory Committee – North Co. SELPA in an attempt to begin to link with special Ed programs and a base to coordinate the IEEEP Leadership committee meeting in January 2021. The subcommittee that I joined is focusing on how to let families know about this framework and ask for it at the district and school levels. I'll share the UDL for Early Learning on the Padlet from the regional inclusion project. ● Linda O and Kathy are on the No. Co. SELPA ● Santa Cruz County Office of Ed. Virtual Library – One of the goals of the IEEEP grant was to have training accessible to participating programs via different modalities: in person, group zoom meetings and at the program level. To achieve this goal - I created a list of virtual training that has been offered since January 2020 that I was able to get from vendors. Show list. Will be posted on COE distance learning web page and CAC Professional Development web page and shared with all 	<p>Diane</p>

	<p>QC programs and community. Please note some vendors will not allow you to tape the training sessions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Santa Cruz County Professional Development Calendar – created template for the countywide Google Doc calendar that can be added to by CDRC and First 5 – show calendar and send to members. ● Child Care Law Ctr. Working to schedule a COVID-19 discussion for child care providers in the county. Will send notifications when confirmed. ● QC Workforce Pathway Orientation – Need help getting staff signed up for this program. Will coordinate an orientation in the next couple of weeks to cover program outcomes, participation expectations and application process. 	
10:20	<p>V. Management Bulletins, Community Care Licensing, CDSS and CDE/ELCD Transition Master Plan yesterday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Master Plan more information specificity. Different changes are coming. Early Edge is at the table with a master plan. Larry did glance through it, the first 40 pages have the 4 goals in the Plan. It has a lot of things, tier reimbursement rate, staff concern is the budget and whether there is funding to do this. Every Child CA will discuss this in Dec. 17th Will be ready it. ● Proposed changes to the TK and Pre-K will be significant changes to how we do things. ● What will happen to FCCs being served in CSPP contracts? ● What are they doing with 5 year olds was not on the CDMIS system. Where will these children land? ● CCL meeting nothing new, refer to the PIN. Programs can't keep parents out of the site. Lorena, parents have the right to go in, but programs strongly encourage them to keep out. Masks are required from analysts. Now it's a state mandate, but if children don't want to wear them, they don't have too. 	All
10:40	<p>VI. R&R and First 5 Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● First 5 products give away on Saturday, December 5th there are 198 programs coming. 10-1 Saturday. ● CDRC - Jose Luis Orosco, tonight it's not a family event Dec. 9th. ● Bought disposable items for child care programs to distribute in the near future. ● 	Meghan/Sita/Vicki
10:50	<p>VII. Announcements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Larry D. Go Kids got the Voucher Project and have 5 open positions for staff. ● Sita – Jose Luis Orosco send flyer. ● Diane – 	All

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lisa led the closing calming exercise with members.	
11:00	VIII. Adjourn	All

Next meetings: Full SPC mtg. Wednesday, December 2, 2020. Technical assistance mtg. December 16,2020.