

### Preschool Coordinator Advisory Group (PCAG)

## **Kentucky Department of Education**

Meeting to be held virtually via Microsoft Teams Live Event: Join Live Event.

April 29, 2021 1:00am-3:00pm ET

**Purpose:** The Preschool Coordinator Advisory Group (PCAG) was created to advise the Office of Special Education and Early Learning (OSEEL) on unmet needs and issues relevant to state-funded preschool. The PCAG consists of 10 members who represent each region across the state. The members of this group are actively engaged within the work of state-funded preschool. These members provide valuable feedback and suggestions on critical issues that align with the OSEEL priorities and this feedback is used to help shape the guidance and support being provided by the OSEEL staff.

#### **AGENDA**

I. Roll Call of Members

Dr. Whitney Stevenson PCAG Chair Fayette County Public Schools

### II. Welcome

Dr. Jason Glass, Commissioner and Chief Learner, Kentucky Department of Education Gretta Hylton, Associate Commissioner, Office of Special Education and Early Learning, Kentucky Department of Education

#### III. Review of Norms

Dr. Whitney Stevenson PCAG Chair Fayette County Public Schools

# IV. Review and approval of last meeting minutes

Dr. Whitney Stevenson PCAG Chair

Fayette County Public Schools

# V. KDE Updates

Taysha Oglesby- Preschool Enrollment

Guiding Question: What type of additional guidance is needed to help districts understand that ESSER funds may be used for preschool programming?

Andrea Bartholomew- GMAP and Preschool Determinations

Guiding Question: What type of additional guidance is needed to improve the GMAP and Determinations process? Is this process helpful to districts?

Jen Riley – Indicator 12 Changes

Guiding Question: What type of additional guidance is needed for districts regarding the changes to Indicator 12 monitoring?

Malaika Williams – Trauma Informed Care

Guiding Question: What type of additional guidance is needed from the KDE surrounding trauma informed care for preschool students, families and staff?

### VI. Governor's Office of Early Childhood Education Update

Amy Neal

Director, GOEC

Guiding Question: How can the GOEC best support districts with the standards roll out? How would training be best delivered?

### VII. Head Start Update

Kristy Lewis

PCAG Co-Chair

Guiding Question: How can districts and Head Start partners strengthen relationships?

### VIII. Regional Training Center Update

**Stacey Stevens** 

Director, Ashland RTC

Guiding Question: Districts rely on RTCs for trainings and support. How can RTCs support state initiatives, such as PBIS, standards roll out, social emotional support, etc?

# IX. PCAG Priority Work

**Quality Programming** 

Guiding Questions: How will quality be ensured and measured in the future? What is next after the pandemic? How do we connect quality to regulation?

- X. Closing remarks and exit slip
- XI. Adjourn

Next Meeting: July 28, 2021