



Early Childhood Special Education Consortium of State 619 Coordinators

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619 Consortium Accomplishments 2010-2011

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1. Second Full-Day 619 Business Meeting at the 2010 OSEP Mega Conference
2. Second Joint Afternoon Meeting with the Infant Toddler Coordinators Association (ITCA), the State ICC Chairs and the 619 Consortium 2010 OSEP Mega Conference
3. The 619 Consortium continues to be a National Primary Partner of the Technical Assistance Center on Social Emotional Interventions (TACSEI) (2009-2012)
 - ✓ 619 is represented on the TACSEI Advisory Board
 - ✓ 619 is represented as a national partner at the annual National Training Institute (NTI) sponsored by TACSEI and their partners
 - ✓ 619, ITCA and TACSEI developed and made available three webinars on social emotional development which are available on the ITCA website at <http://ideainfanttoddler.org/>
 - ✓ 619, ITCA and TACSEI working on a developing joint materials for ITCA and 619 for 2011-2012
4. 619 Consortium Leadership Team 2010-2011:
 - ✓ Conducted monthly conference calls using Adobe Connect
 - ✓ Identified and provided support to new state 619 coordinators
 - ✓ Disseminated materials, information and updates through the regional 619 contacts
 - ✓ Planned the 619 Business Meeting for July 31, 2011
 - ✓ Planned a joint afternoon session for July 31, 2011 with ITCA on 'Legislative Updates' to be provided by Sharon Walsh
 - ✓ Continued collaboration and dialogue with ITCA on issues that affect Part C and 619
 - ✓ Conducted a survey of 619 coordinators to further define purpose statements for the 619 Consortium, to identify and establish 619 priorities and issues as well as further defining the 'type' of organization for the 619 Consortium, financial resources, needs and supports and by-laws
 - ✓ Conducted a national call for all 619 coordinators to share the results of the survey on May 3, 2011 – Results defined the 619 priorities for 2011-2012
5. Completed 'By-Laws' for sharing and input at the 619 Business Meeting
6. Developed a website, hosted by the National Early Childhood Technical Assistance Center (NECTAC): <http://nectac.org/sec619/sec619.asp>
7. Attended a Think Tank on Inclusion/LRE and Economic Collaboration
8. 2011-2012 Elections: regional contacts/Leadership Team and other openings