

### **Tools and Resources for Transforming Pediatrics**

### NEW **Transforming Pediatrics** Webpage



Our new webpage is a one-stop shop for practical tools to advance early childhood development in pediatric settings. Drawing from our work with Transforming Pediatrics for Early Childhood (TPEC) Hubs and community health centers, this page supports health care and early childhood professionals in strengthening services for families.

The following resources are ready to add to your playbook, with many more coming soon:

- Social-Emotional Development Billing and Coding Guide: Resource for all pediatric providers with guidance on how to screen for social-emotional development, as well as when and how to screen for perinatal depression, developmental delays, autism and social or emotional concerns.
- Getting Started Guide: Implementing a Screening Process: Fillable worksheet to help pediatric care teams develop a screening workflow, with step-by-step planning considerations and questions, implementation guidance and links to additional resources.

Visit the Webpage

#### On the Ground With Implementation Sites



Over the past few months, Center staff traveled to Colorado, Maui and Washington to meet in person with the three Implementation Sites.

Together with state, community and family partners advancing services and systems for local families, we held in-depth discussions on family engagement, driving systems changes, action planning and more. Each visit also included a "ripple effects mapping" exercise to collect untold success stories, understand how programs adapt to emerging needs, identify essential partners and discover unexpected results.

We're grateful to the Implementation Site teams for their hospitality and look forward to building on these conversations through continued technical assistance tailored to each site's needs.

Read more about the ECDHS Implementation Sites, their goals and their strategies in our new spotlight fact sheet.

### **Celebrating Roots, Growing Branches at Cross Sites**



We joined ZERO TO THREE's Infant-Toddler Court Program and Safe Babies teams for their Cross Sites meeting in Portland, OR, August 5-7. This year's theme – *Celebrating our roots, Growing our branches* – honored strong foundations in early relationships, infant mental health and parent voice, while looking toward the future.

At our program table, we connected with attendees to explore the intersections between the child welfare and early childhood developmental health systems, identifying opportunities for collaboration and resourcesharing in their states and communities. Several of our Center partners, deeply involved with Safe Babies, also presented on topics including upstream systems change, community-based Plans of Safe Care and data and evaluation.

Learn more about Safe Babies and the program's approach to keeping families together.

# **Upcoming Events** 17

• There is still time to register for ZERO TO THREE's LEARN Conference next month in Baltimore, MD, from October 8-9. If you're attending, join Hannah Johnson and Dawn Stehle from our Center, and Anna Corona-Romero and Paige Bussanich from the Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs, for their Thursday, October 9, session, "Aligning Federal Initiatives to Advance Early Childhood Systems and Services Across States and Communities."

# Featured Resource



# Early Childhood Resource Round-Up

Interested in more resources to stay informed, inspired and equipped? Subscribe to ZERO TO THREE's resource roundup that showcases timely tools, guides and training opportunities for early childhood professionals, whether you work with families directly or shape the systems that support them.



**EVIDENCE TO IMPACT CENTER** 

The Early Childhood Developmental Health Systems (ECDHS): Evidence to <u>Impact Center</u> focuses on building and advancing early childhood systems to improve and strengthen the health and well-being of babies and toddlers' most crucial years of development. ZERO TO THREE leads the ECDHS: Evidence to Impact Center in partnership with the American Academy of Pediatrics, Help Me Grow National Center, Family Voices, James Bell Associates, and Thrive Center for Children, Families, and Communities at Georgetown University.

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