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**Welcome.**

Wednesday, January 3, 2023  
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Join Zoom Meeting:  
<https://utah-gov.zoom.us/j/85229164145>  
Meeting ID: 852 2916 4145



# Welcome●

## Agenda

- I. Welcome ..... Rhonda Dossett
- II. OCC Director's Update ..... Rebecca Banner
  - a. OCC Staff Update
  - b. CC Subsidy Copayments
  - c. FFY 2022 Quality Progress Report
- III. COVID Relief Funding Update..... Rebecca Banner
  - a. Mental Health Contracts
  - b. Infant Toddler Support Incentive
  - c. CAC Regional Highlight - Weber State University ..... Crystal Knippers
- IV. OCC Updates
  - a. Stabilization Grant ..... Kathy Randle
  - b. CCQS ..... Karrie Phillips
  - c. Professional Development..... Heather Thomas
  - d. School Readiness and Out of School Time..... Megan Vlaming
- V. Agency Updates
  - a. Child Care Licensing..... Michele Rice
  - b. USBE ..... Jared Lisonbee
- VI. Other Business
- VII. Adjourn

### Next Meeting

Wednesday, March 8, 2023, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm



# Welcome

## Call for Attendance



# Welcome

Approval of November 9, 2022 Minutes



# OCC Director's Update

Rebecca Banner

- a. OCC Staff Update
- b. CC Subsidy Copayment Update
- c. FFY 2022 Quality Progress Report



# COVID Relief Funding Update

Rebecca Banner

- a. Mental Health Contracts
- b. Infant Toddler Incentive
- c. CAC Regional Highlight – Weber State University



# Mental Health for CC Providers

## Office of Substance Use and Mental Health Partnership

- Qualified child care providers can receive up to four mental health sessions per month
- Services in person or telehealth





# Infant & Toddler Support Incentive

- Material and supplies incentive
- Eligible programs received a *Foundation of Quality* or *Building Quality* rating beginning January 1, 2023
  - 1 family child care
  - 9 centers
- Eligible Providers will be notified by URPD by the end of the month



# CAC Regional Highlight - WSU

Crystal Knippers

CRRSA Update for Weber State University – Care About Childcare



# CAC Regional Highlight - WSU

Stabilization plan for Weber, Davis and Morgan counties.

- The goal is to support family and center care in additional business resources through class and peer learning
- To provide business support literature
- Support new center programs in the licensing process
- Supply materials to new center and family child care providers



**WEBER STATE**  
UNIVERSITY



Care About  
Childcare



# WSU - Business Support

- Business support
  - Classes for both center and family child care providers focuses on the challenges programs faced (Employee Retention, Business practices)
  - Open discussion time for sharing and brainstorming ideas received from the classes
  - Literature to further support these topics for programs to add to their resources



# WSU - Business Workshop

- Offering a four hour workshop on the Entrepreneurial Operating System:
  - Focus on Helping Leaders become cohesive, functional, and healthy in their leadership
  - Provide tools for planning for the after stabilization grant effect

Presentation will be by Jill Young who started her career in the Family Business of Child Care in Ogden Utah



# WSU - Start Up Grants

- Start up grants for new centers, assisting in covering costs to become licensed
- Start up grants to assist family providers in costs that may not be covered in the URPD funded start up grant



# WSU - Material Start Up Grants

- Supported new programs in purchasing materials for their programs
- Available for both Center and Family Child Care



# WSU - CAC

# Marketing

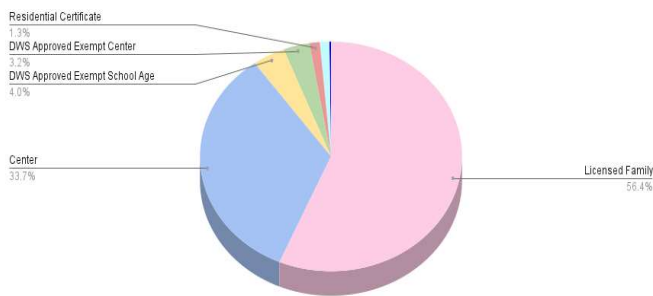




# Stabilization Grant Update

Kathy Randle

Stabilization Grant Applications - License Type



## January 2022 - January 2023\* Disbursed

**\$208,045,445.00**

\$188,220,472.00 – Stabilization Grant Funding

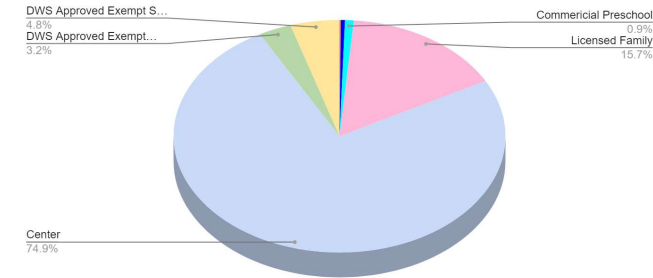
\$19,824,973.00 – CRRSA Funding

*License start dates after 3/11/21 and Commercial Preschools*

\*As of January 4, 2023

| Total Active Applications      | 1019 |
|--------------------------------|------|
| Licensed Family                | 575  |
| Center                         | 343  |
| DWS Approved Exempt School Age | 41   |
| DWS Approved Exempt Center     | 33   |
| Residential Certificate        | 13   |
| Commercial Preschool           | 12   |
| Out of School Time             | 2    |

Stabilization Grant Funding Disbursement Percentage



| Disbursement Percentage        |       |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Center                         | 74.9% |
| Licensed Family                | 15.7% |
| DWS Approved Exempt School Age | 4.8%  |
| DWS Approved Exempt Center     | 3.2%  |
| Commercial Preschool           | .9%   |
| Out of School Time             | .4%   |
| Residential Certificate        | .1%   |

Questions regarding the stabilization grant can be sent to: [occstabilization@utah.gov](mailto:occstabilization@utah.gov)



# CCQS Center Data Update

Karrie Phillips

## CCQS Center Data for Rated Centers January 2023

107 of 399 centers with certified rating=27% of all centers

| Foundation of Quality | Building Quality | High Quality | High Quality Plus |
|-----------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| 43/107=40%            | 38/107=36%       | 24/107=22%   | 2/107=2%          |

## CCQS Center Data for Rated Centers January 2022

65 of 371 centers with certified rating=17% of all centers

| Foundation of Quality | Building Quality | High Quality | High Quality Plus |
|-----------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| 20/65=31%             | 18/65=28%        | 23/65=35%    | 4/65=6%           |



# CCQS Center Data Update

Karrie Phillips

January 2023

January 2022

| What is measured                       | Number of Programs | Percentage of Programs | Number of Programs | Percentage of Programs |
|--|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| ERS Observation Score Increase         | 44/73              | 60%                    | 28/51              | 55%                    |
| SAPQA Observation Score Increase       | 37/58              | 64%                    | 21/42              | 50%                    |
| Increase Points Education of Director  | 18/73              | 25%                    | 18/51              | 35%                    |
| Increase Points Education of Caregiver | 15/73              | 22%                    | 9/51               | 18%                    |
| Overall Point Increase                 | 35/73              | 48%                    | 30/51              | 59%                    |
| Increase of Certified Rating           | 14/73              | 19%                    | 10/51              | 20%                    |



# CCQS FCC Data Update

Karrie Phillips

Current Certified Rating with Observations for FCC January 2023

58 FCC Providers of 844= 6.8 %

| Certified Foundation of Quality | Building Quality | High Quality  |
|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 9/58 = 15.51%                   | 29/58 = 50%      | 20/58 =34.49% |

Current Family Data for Rated Programs January 2022

| What is measured                               | Number of Programs | Percentage of Programs |
|--|--------------------|------------------------|
| Increase Points Education of Primary Caregiver | 29/58              | 50%                    |
| Increase Total Points on Framework             | 52/58              | 90%                    |
| Increase of Certified Rating                   | 40/58              | 69%                    |

\*Data reflects only those programs rated with the Standard CCQS Framework



# CCQS Provider Support

Karrie Phillips

- Currently 14 center based programs are participating in the Intensive Coaching Program
- The January application period is open until January 17 for eligible center and family providers
- Informational meetings were conducted in December for eligible programs
- 14 center and 21 family child care programs are eligible to apply
- Programs will be scored utilizing a rubric
- Programs will be notified around February 1 if they were selected or not



# Professional Development Update

Heather Thomas

## Curriculum Updates

### *Now Available for Career Ladder Level 1*

- **Healthy Care - 10 Clock Hours**

- Covers “Safe and Healthy Learning Environment” CDA Subject Area
- Avoids teaching specific Child Care Licensing rules
- Addresses health and wellness topics more generally for both the children and the teacher/caregiver, including a focus on mental health

### *Upcoming Revision for Career Ladder Levels 2-3*

- **Looking to Learn - 10 Clock Hours**

- Covers “Observation and Assessment” CDA Subject Area
- Collaborated with The Children’s Center to rewrite this course
- Multiple sessions cover the topic of addressing challenging behaviors
- ***Will be piloted in March 2023***



# Professional Development Update

Heather Thomas

## Early EdU Update

### Spring 2023 Semester

- Child Development and Brain Building (19 students)
- Positive Behavioral Support for Young Children (15 students)

### Child Development and Brain Building Update

- Ages 0-12 Revision and Articulation Efforts

*"The Utah Early EdU Collaboration is committed to making relevant, credit-bearing professional development accessible and affordable to the early care and education workforce."*



# Professional Development Update

Heather Thomas

## **OCC Advisory Professional Development Subcommittee Update**





# School Readiness Update

Megan Vlaming

- School Readiness Board November Meeting
  - Align LEA and Private Provider ECERS-3 score
    - 3.67 with 4.00 in Interactions and Language & Literacy
- Currently working on new RFGA release for both Becoming High Quality and Expanded Student Access (dependent upon available funds)
- Next School Readiness Board Meeting: March 22, 2023 @1pm



# OST School Year Programs Update

| School Year | Number of Programs | Mid Year Numbers | Cost Per Youth | End of Year Numbers | Cost Per Youth |
|-------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| SY 22 - 23  | 149                | 9,645            | \$1023.95      | TBD                 | TBD            |
| SY 21 - 22  | 154                | 8,832            | \$796.64       | 11,387              | *\$617.89      |

- Have conducted first rounds of site monitoring
- OST team is working on desk audits for all programs



# Agency Updates

- a. Child Care Licensing
- b. Utah State Board of Education



# Child Care Licensing

Michele Rice



## TOTAL FACILITIES AND CAPACITY REPORT

| Facility Type                                    | 2020                    |                                 | 2021                    |                                 | 2022                    |                                 |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
|  | Total Active Facilities | # of Children Approved Capacity | Total Active Facilities | # of Children Approved Capacity | Total Active Facilities | # of Children Approved Capacity |
| Licensed Center                                  | 348                     | 32,489                          | 373                     | 34,907                          | 407                     | 39,488                          |
| Licensed Hourly Center                           | 18                      | 547                             | 13                      | 531                             | 11                      | 318                             |
| Licensed Out of School Time Program              | 13                      | 1,228                           | 9                       | 920                             | 16                      | 1,607                           |
| Commercial Preschool                             | NC                      | NC                              | 33                      | 2,073                           | 59                      | 3,528                           |
| Licensed Family                                  | 749                     | 9,989                           | 750                     | 10,095                          | 893                     | 12,513                          |
| Residential Certificate                          | 70                      | 549                             | 58                      | 461                             | 87                      | 663                             |
| Family Friend and Neighbor (FFN)                 | 218                     | 604                             | 174                     | 434                             | 201                     | 515                             |
| DWS Approved, Exempt Center                      | 193                     | 10,046                          | 220                     | 11,451                          | 226                     | 12,036                          |
| DWS Approved License Exempt After School Program | 137                     | 8,235                           | 132                     | 9,595                           | 163                     | 14,478                          |
| Other License Exempt Programs                    | 435                     | 24,956                          | 427                     | 26,690                          | 360                     | 23,511                          |
| <b>Totals</b>                                    | <b>2,181</b>            | <b>88,643</b>                   | <b>2,189</b>            | <b>97,157</b>                   | <b>2,423</b>            | <b>108,657</b>                  |

Current year is updated with information from the previous month. Last updated December 2022.



# Child Care Licensing



## SERIOUS INJURIES AND DEATHS REPORT

| Facility Type                                    | Reportable Injuries (# of Children Injured) |          |            |            |          |            |            |          |            | Serious Injuries (# of Children Injured) |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          | Substantiated Child Abuse |          |          |
|--|---|----------|------------|------------|----------|------------|------------|----------|------------|--|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------------------------|----------|----------|
|  | 2020  |          |            | 2021       |          |            | 2022       |          |            | 2020                                     |          |          | 2021     |          |          | 2022     |          |          | 2020                      | 2021     | 2022     |
|  | Injuries                                    | Deaths   | Totals     | Injuries   | Deaths   | Totals     | Injuries   | Deaths   | Totals     | Injuries                                 | Deaths   | Totals   | Injuries | Deaths   | Totals   | Injuries | Deaths   | Totals   |                           |          |          |
| Licensed Center                                  | 235   | 0        | 235        | 263        | 0        | 263        | 354        | 0        | 354        | 0  | 0        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| Licensed Hourly Center                           | 2   | 0        | 2          | 3          | 0        | 3          | 1          | 0        | 1          | 0  | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| Licensed Out of School Time Program              | 1   | 0        | 1          | 1          | 0        | 1          | 3          | 0        | 3          | 0  | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| Commercial Preschool                             | NC  | NC       | NC         | 1          | 0        | 1          | 5          | 0        | 5          | NC                                       | NC       | NC       | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| Licensed Family                                  | 21  | 0        | 21         | 37         | 0        | 37         | 38         | 2        | 40         | 0  | 0        | 0        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 2        | 2        | 4        | 0                         | 1        | 0        |
| Residential Certificate                          | 1   | 0        | 1          | 1          | 0        | 1          | 1          | 0        | 1          | 0  | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| Family Friend and Neighbor (FFN)                 | 0   | 0        | 0          | 0          | 0        | 0          | 1          | 0        | 1          | 0  | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| DWS Approved, Exempt Center                      | 1   | 0        | 1          | 12         | 0        | 12         | 22         | 0        | 22         | 0  | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| DWS Approved License Exempt After School Program | 10  | 0        | 10         | 12         | 0        | 12         | 11         | 0        | 11         | 0  | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0                         | 0        | 0        |
| Other License Exempt Programs                    | NC  | NC       | NC         | NC         | NC       | NC         | NC         | NC       | NC         | NC                                       | NC       | NC       | NC       | NC       | NC       | NC       | NC       | NC       | NC                        | NC       | NC       |
| <b>Totals</b>                                    | <b>271</b>                                  | <b>0</b> | <b>271</b> | <b>330</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>330</b> | <b>436</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>438</b> | <b>0</b>                                 | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>0</b>                  | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b> |

- **Reportable Injury** means an injury to any qualifying child while in care that results in death or the child receiving professional medical attention other than first aid provided by child care staff.
- **Serious Injury** means a reportable injury that occurred due to a health or safety violation and indicates a deficiency in the operation or management of the program.
- **All Deaths**, including those caused by a medical event, must be reported to Child Care Licensing.
- **Substantiated Child Abuse** means that either Child Protective Services or Child Care Licensing found supportive evidence to substantiate the allegations.
- **NC** means the data is not collected or not available.

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# USBE Updates

Jared Lisonbee

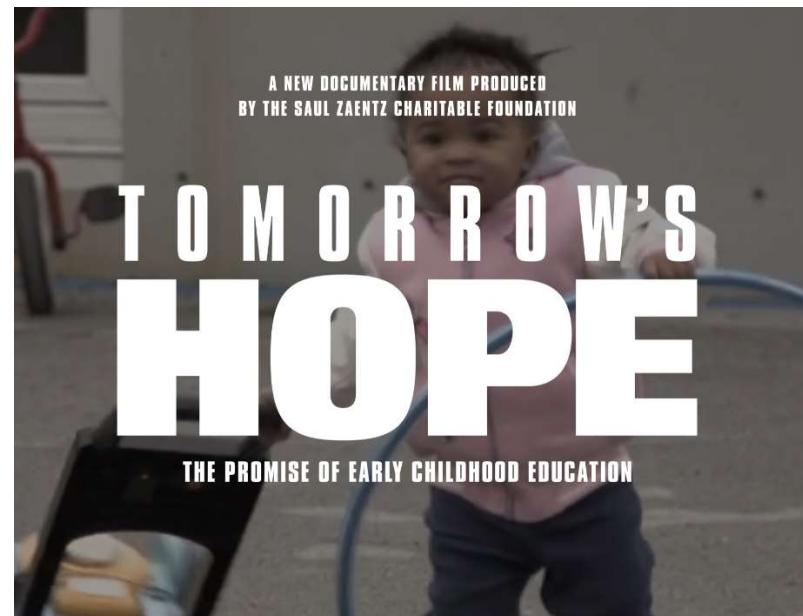
- CACFP
  - Upcoming “Power Hour” trainings
    - March 1<sup>st</sup>: Meal Patterns & Infant Meal Patterns
    - April 27<sup>th</sup>: [Healthier CACFP](#) and Farm to ECE
    - May 4<sup>th</sup>: CACFP Basic Training (in person @USBE)
    - July 19<sup>th</sup>: Annual Contract Renewal
  - Registration Link:  
<https://www.eventbrite.com/o/utah-state-board-of-education-child-nutrition-programs-8086295595>
- After School Programs
  - No new updates—watch for information about upcoming grant opportunities



# USBE Updates (continued)

## Preschool Updates

- Behavioral Support Professional Learning
  - Coming in April (dates, times, and delivery mode will be forthcoming)
  - Focus on providing supports for children showing challenging behaviors
- Tomorrow's Hope Virtual Film Screening
  - Wednesday, April 5<sup>th</sup> (Week of the Young Child)
- Curriculum Review
  - Seeking curriculum reviewers—if interested, contact Jared Lisonbee ([jared.Lisonbee@schools.Utah.gov](mailto:jared.Lisonbee@schools.Utah.gov))



# Other Business & Public Comment





# Adjourn

## **Next Meeting**

March 8, 2023

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm





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