TOGETHER WE FACE AN URGENT QUESTION...

What are we doing to ensure that ALL children have every opportunity to learn and grow?

Investing in community-based leadership and local capacity-building is an upstream solution that can impact outcomes for our youngest children and their families.

WHAT CAN WE DO TOGETHER?

LEADERSHIP  COLLABORATION  PARTNERSHIP  ENGAGEMENT
A UNIQUE EARLY CHILDHOOD LEADERSHIP TOOL KIT

THE FAMILY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, a College of Education statewide outreach center at the University of New Mexico, developed the Early Childhood Leadership Tool Kit as a dynamic resource for building community-based leadership for family engagement, collective impact, and creating early childhood systems change.

The Tool Kit captures more than 3 decades of successful grassroots efforts in New Mexico, synthesizing the experience of many collaborative leaders into a hands-on learning guide for anyone who wants to work with others to change outcomes for young children and their families.

Lois Vermilya, Director, Family Development Program

The Tool Kit is a comprehensive learning framework for co-creating a foundation for learning that starts at birth. It addresses the hard work of collaboration and what it takes as leaders to forge authentic partnerships where diversity is welcomed and all voices can be heard.

LEARNING TOOLS are organized as self-guided activities that can be adapted by programs and community teams for continuous reflective practice that supports collaboration and leadership development.

THE EARLY CHILDHOOD LEADERSHIP TOOL KIT...

PROMOTES a set of essential collaborative leadership practices

OFFERS hands-on training materials for adaptation and continuous co-learning

STRENGTHENS skills for collaboration across programs and systems

HONORS the contributions of both informal and formal leaders as change agents

BUILDS leadership capacity in individuals, teams and community

WHAT’S INSIDE THE TOOL KIT

4 PATHWAYS FOR LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Pathway 1: Creating a Focus on Very Young Children and Their Families
Pathway 2: Building a Strong Team of Early Childhood Leaders
Pathway 3: Strengthening Relationships with Families and Other Community Resources
Pathway 4: Improving the Community for Young Children and Their Families

A COMPREHENSIVE SET OF ESSENTIAL LEADERSHIP PRACTICES

CLEAR INSTRUCTIONS AND DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR LEARNING TOOLS

SELF-ASSESSMENT and NAVIGATION TOOLS FOR REFLECTION

To learn more about the Early Childhood Leadership Tool Kit as a stand-alone resource or to explore Consulting and Leadership Institute Opportunities call the Family Development Program at (505) 277-5800 or visit our website at fdp.unm.edu

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