



# Welcome to the Early Childhood Therapeutic Partnership Learning Collaborative

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# **Building Stronger Systems Together**

A Learning Collaborative for Leaders in Early Childhood Education and Pediatric Mental Health

Session 5: Infusing Reflection throughout the Partnership Model

September 9th, 2025

# Technology: Your Zoom window







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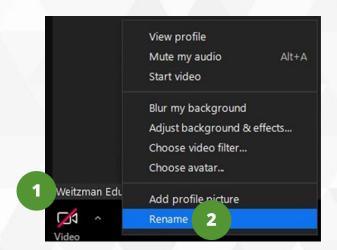
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# Technology: Your Zoom window, continued

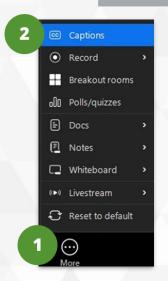


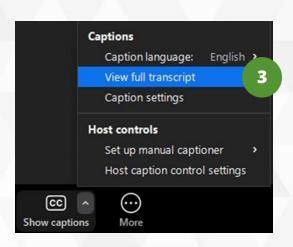
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This series is intended for Early childhood education leaders, Pediatric behavioral health providers (psychologists, Master's level clinicians, and counselors), and Pediatric medical team members (MDs, DOs, NPs, PAs, RNs).

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You will be able to claim a comprehensive certificate on the WeP at the end of the series, **September 23, 2025**.



# Accessing session recordings and materials

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#### Program Information

The Early Childhood Therapeutic Partnership (ECTP) Learning Collaborative is a joint initiative between the Weitzman Institute and the Child Guidance Center of Southern Connecticut. This program consists of six one-hour videoconference sessions designed to engage participants in collaborative learning and coaching. The sessions focus on quality improvement, change management, and the implementation of effective early childhood education and mental health partnership models. The ultimate goal is to enhance mental health care outcomes for young children by supporting mental health providers, early childhood educators, and other professionals working in this space.

This activity meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month from 11am-12pm ET.

#### Acknowledgement of Support

This project is supported by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration under the Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health (IECMH) grant to improve outcomes for children, from birth to 12 years of age, by developing, maintaining, or enhancing infant and early childhood mental health promotion, intervention, and treatment services. The content is the responsibility of the Weitzman Institute and Child Guidance Genter of Southern Connecticut and does not necessarily represent the official views of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

#### **Target Audience**

This activity is appropriate for the following audiences:

- · Early childhood education leaders
- · Pediatric behavioral health providers (psychologists, Master's level clinicians, and counselors)
- · Pediatric medical team members (MDs. DOs. NPs. PAs. RNs)

### **Learning Objectives**

By the end of the Early Childhood Therapeutic Partnership Learning Collaborative, participants will:

- Participants will develop an outline and meaningful next steps to develop a collaborative IECMH partnership in their local community with a peer organization
- 2. Create strategic goals and aims of the IECMH partnership
- Brainstorm local peer partners who have established IECMH presence, shared interests, and alignment
- Identify sustainable funding sources to support the development and implementation of an IECMH partnership
- Model IECMH partnership impact across different levels of the community (children, families, staff, leadership/organization)
- 6. Practice and refine integration of a reflective consultation model throughout IECMH partnership
- 7. Draft partnership evaluation plan to align with IECMH partnership goals

#### Presentation Slides

The slide deck will be available at the bottom of this page within 1 day of the live session.

### Session Recording

Link to the session recording will be available here within 1 week of the live session.

- 1. Return to the **Overview tab** of the live activity, Early Childhood Therapeutic Partnership Learning Collaborative (July 15, 2025)
- Scroll down to the Presentation Slides and Session Recording headers

You will then be able to click on **Session Recording and Presentation Slides** listed below the headers to access the resources.



# This Early Childhood Therapeutic Partnership Learning Collaborative session has been made available by:

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## **All Are Welcome**



### **Chat Waterfall**



Type your response to the question in the chat, but don't hit send until we say so.

Question: What is your favorite fall treat?







# **Session Agenda**



**Session Objective:** Practice and refine integration of a reflective consultation model throughout IECMH partnership

- Subject Matter Expert Panel
- Break Out Rooms
- Brief Discussion
- Quality Improvement Activity
- Action Items

# Subject Matter Expert Panel Participants







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Child Guidance Center of Southern
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CGC Clinical and Community Partnerships Manager, Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation Coordinator



Sarah Duncan, LMFT, ATR Child Guidance Center of Southern Connecticut (MH)

Preschool-based Early Childhood Clinician and Mental Health Consultant





# What central tenets of reflective practice does the CGC team use to ground the CGC/CLC partnership?





What are some initial reactions CLC staff (teachers, administrators, leaders) had to the reflective stance our team holds within the model? How did you navigate this as a consultant?





# What impact has reflective consultation had on CLC teachers and their relationships with the children in their classroom?



# How does reflective consultation benefit education supervisors and leaders at CLC?





# **Questions?**

Feel free to unmute or put your questions in the chat!



### **Break Out Room**



### **Reflection Questions**

1. How do you or might you integrate **reflective practice** into your IECMH partnership to support children, families, teachers, leaders, and the larger organization?

## Post-Break Out Group Reflections



What are you taking away from the conversation that was held in your breakout group?

## Quality Improvement Consultant







Lisa Leary, MS
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Quality Improvement Advisor

## Measurement - Recap



### Sessions 3 & 4 (and postwork)

- Balanced measures
- Defining measures

### Creating a data management plan

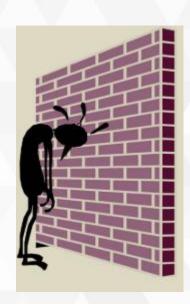
- Who, how, when, what, etc.
- Template

### **Data Collection Plan**





What data will be collected
How data is defined
When will data collection begin and end
Where will the data be stored
Who will collect the data
Who will "own" the data



Lisa's school of hard knocks

### **Data Collection Plan**





Data Collection Worksheet							
Project:	Date:	Owner:					
	Metric 1 (example)	Metric 2	Metric 3	Metric 4			
What are you measuring							
Measure defined							
Who will collect							
How collected							
Time period							
Sample size							
Exclusion criteria							
Where will data be stored							
Notes:							





## **Data Collection Activity**



# Measuring Impacts & Outcomes



### **Considerations**

- If you are looking to show improvement over time you will need to collect baseline data.
  - Pre/post data
  - Ex: Measuring confidence before and after partnership
  - Ex: Comparing rates of challenging behavior before and after training

How much data to collect for ?

## **Data Over Time: Example**







## **Post-Work**





### Worksheet

1. Complete the Data Collection Worksheet

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Thank you for attending today!

Please complete the survey on the Weitzman Education Platform

### Reminders:

- Optional office hours are available on September 16th at 11am EDT Learning Collaborative #6 will be held on September 23rd at 11am EDT

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