



Guiding Theoretical Framework

Human Ecology and Family Systems | Tenets of Child Development | Developmental Parenting | Attribution Theory | Empowerment and Self-Efficacy

Inputs

- Implementing agency leadership and support
- Qualified supervisors and parent educators trained in Foundational and Model Implementation
- Participants (families with children ranging from prenatal to kindergarten)
- Technology (database, phones, etc.)
- Sustainable funding
- Policies, procedures and protocols
- Community support and partnerships
- The Foundational curricula, Model Implementation and Supervisor's Handbook
- Comprehensive Affiliate Plan with design elements that meet Parents as Teachers Essential Requirements and Quality Standards
- Program management, evaluation and Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI)
- Implementation, advocacy, data collection and management resources with support from state and national offices

Activities

- **Reflective Supervision and Professional Development**
- **Personal Visits**
- **Group Connections**
- **Child Screening**
- **Resource Network**
- **Family-Centered Assessment and Goal Setting**
- **Stakeholder Engagement**
- **Evaluation and Continuous Quality Improvement**

Approach: Partner, Facilitate, Reflect

Outputs

- Staff receive regular reflective supervision and participate in professional development.
- Families have regular personal visits that include the areas of emphasis and follow the Foundational curricula.
- Group connections are provided for families.
- Children receive regular developmental screening and a health review, including hearing and vision.
- Families are connected to needed community resources.
- Parent educators complete family-centered assessment and support families to set goals.
- Advisory committee meetings are held regularly and advocacy work is conducted.
- Measurement of outcomes and participant satisfaction and participation in the Quality Endorsement and Improvement process.

Outcomes

Short-term

- Increased healthy pregnancies and improved birth outcomes.
- Increased early identification and referral to services for possible developmental delays and vision, hearing and health issues in children.
- Increased parent knowledge of age-appropriate child development, including language, cognitive, social-emotional and motor domains.
- Improved parenting capacity, parenting practices and parent-child relationships through the demonstration of positive parenting skills and quality parent-child interactions.
- Improved family health and functioning as demonstrated by a quality home environment, social connections and empowerment.

Intermediate

- Improved child health and development.
- Reduced rates of child abuse and neglect.
- Increased school readiness.
- Increased parent involvement in children's care and education.

Long-term

- Strong communities, thriving families and healthy, safe children who are ready to learn.

Vision

Mission

Core Values

Approach