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**AHSA Quarterly Meeting
Standing Committee Agenda & Meeting Minutes
(Early Childhood Sub Committee)
(November 15, 2018)**

DATE OF MEETING: 11/15/18 Time: 1:30-3:00		LOCATION OF MEETING: Pendergast Early Learning Center 3802 N. 91 st Ave., Phoenix
COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: X Chair: Shandeen Gomez sgomez@gphxul.org X Vice Chair: Norma Arreola normaa@wacog.com X Secretary: Amy Hust Amy.Hust@pgccs.org		
COP (0)	Maricopa County (1)	
CPCL (0)	CCAZ ()	
CC-WSHS (0)	PGCCS (3)	
NACOG (0)	GPUL (5)	
WACOG (1)	Laura Landis R9 TTA	
Urban Strategies (1)		
		TOTAL: 12
VISITORS: NA		
NEXT QUARTERLY COMMITTEE MEETING: Date: Feb, 2018 Location: TBD		
AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE/ PRESENTER



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<p>I. Call to Order & Welcome (5 min)</p>	<p>Welcome and Introductions Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sign in sheet for current e-mail address 	<p>Shandeen Gomez/Norma Arreola</p>
<p>II. Adoption of Agenda (1 min)</p>	<p>Adoption of the Agenda: Chair updated and sent out to the group via email in advance for feedback. Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<p>Norma Arreola, Vice Chair</p>
<p>III. Approval of Minutes (1 min)</p>	<p>August 23, 2018 Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Eric Bucher approves; Tami Hoover 2nd</i> 	<p>Norma Arreola, Vice Chair</p>
<p>IV. Pinal Gila Community Child Services, Inc. (PGCCS) -Program Highlights, Amy Hust, Education Director (10 min)</p>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Highlights-PGCCS provides program highlights within their program. • Opened their presentation with Conscious Discipline activities by Charity 	<p>Norma Arreola, Vice Chair</p>
<p>V. AZ Workforce Registry Updates: Lisa Cobb, Regional Outreach Coordinator (Arizona PBS is a Community Service of Arizona State University)-(5 min)</p>	<p>Provide committee with updates Process Goal 1: Head Start is involved in the development of state policies, plans, processes, and decisions impacting Head Start. Short-Term Objective D: Starting in March 2016, Head Start/Early Head Start is actively involved in the development and implementation of the Early Childhood Career & Work Force Registry. Notes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. AZ early childhood website updates / Changes in the scholarships (what are the new Associate degree pathways we will fund and CDA scholarship changes. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Workforce Registry: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Can ask someone to come and explain what it is and what the advantages and positives of the program ii. 6 fields of study for scholarships 	<p>Shandeen Gomez, Chair</p>



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	<p>iii. Handouts on sending in official transcripts</p> <p>b. azearlychildhood.org</p> <p>2. New Sesame Street Trainings updated / Learning Media Membership with PBS that offers activities to add to their curriculum.</p> <p>3. Reminder to use the Bright by Text messaging app for sending information to families and enrollment in the app.</p> <p>a. Helps with literacy</p> <p>b. Ways to connect for parents with children</p> <p>Questions: Check website for where scholarships, bonuses and rewards are available.</p>	
<p>VI. KODO Kids (Inspiring Exploration) Presentation Sidney Gilfillan, Kodo Professional Development Trainer Tawnya Combe, Arizona Educational Consultant Sidney G</p> <p>(60 min) 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>https://kodokids.com/ SidneyG@kodokids.com tawnya.combe@kodokids.com</p> <p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hands-on STEM learning for Children and adults • Colorado is headquarters • Mission is Children need to Play • IBTP-Investigation-Based Teaching Practices helps with CLASS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Learning Approaches ○ Environment ○ Adult/Child Interactions • STEM is about perceptual chunking – small pieces of info and adding to it adding to understanding • Effective STEM: multidisciplinary, collaborative, iterative, multisensory, long-term • Engineering in EC: Civil, Structural, Chemical, Mechanical • NGSS STEM Skills (next generation science skills) <p>PLAY!!</p> <p>Questions:</p>	<p>Shandeen Gomez, Chair</p>



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VII. Laura Landis and Brenda Mann, <i>Early Childhood Specialist HHS/ACF/OHS Region IX TTA Network, a member of the OHS TTA System</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NA 	Shandeen Gomez
VIII. Announcements: Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Feb. 21, 2019 – EC day at the Legislature; breakfast, etc.; Eric will send email about the day • 	Eric Bucher
IX. New updates		
X. Follow up items for next Quarterly Mtg.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EQUIP meetings will be discussed next meeting so come with any information that you have from your program • AZ Workforce Registry-Continue to follow-up 	All Members
Pending updates		All Members
Adjourn:	Time: 3:07pm	