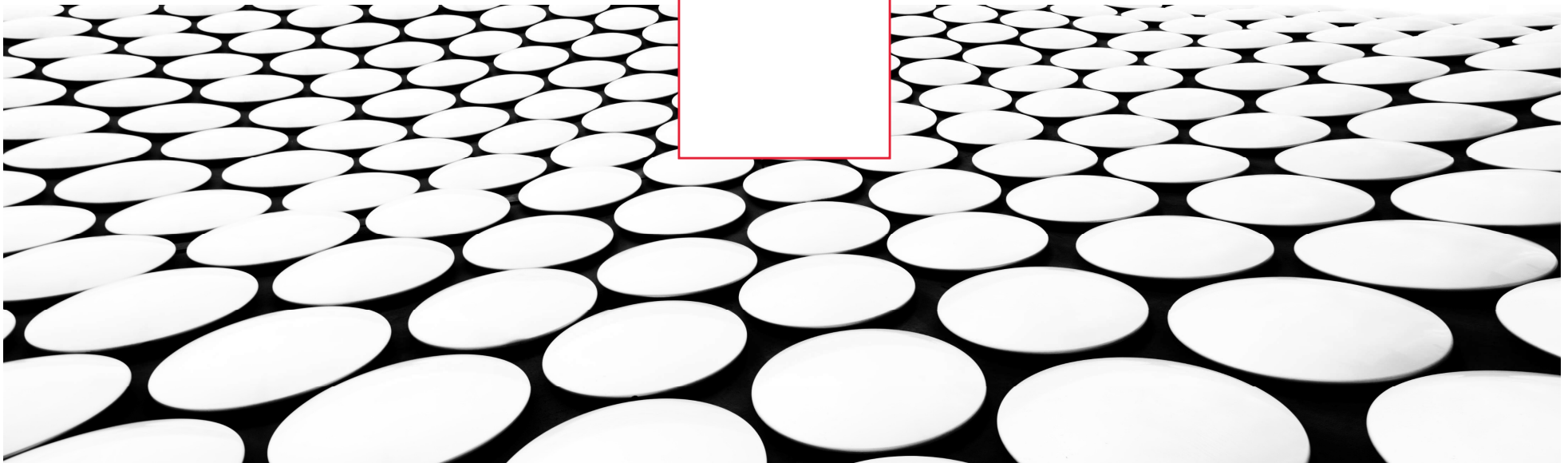
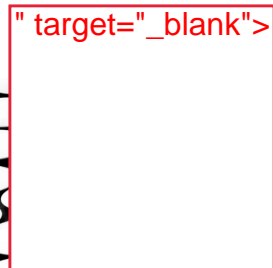
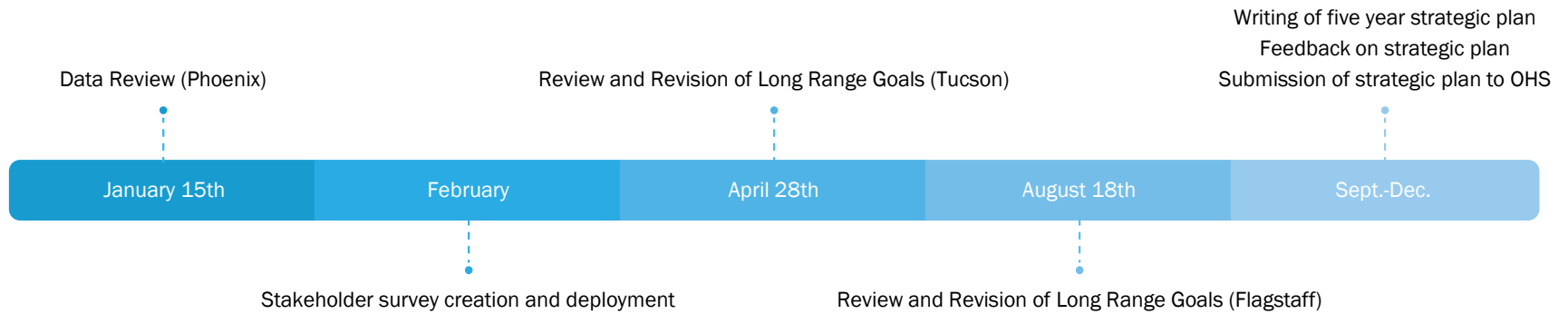

HEAD START COLLABORATION OFFICE UPDATES

FEBRUARY 2020

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STRATEGIC PLANNING 2020



2016-2021 LONG RANGE GOALS

Goal 1: Head Start is involved in the *development of state policies*, plans, processes, and decisions impacting Head Start.

Goal 2: Families in Head Start -who need *full-day services*- have increased access to high quality, early care and education services.

Goal 3: *Increase* the number of children in *vulnerable populations served* by Head Start. Vulnerable populations include children experiencing: homelessness, refugee status, foster care, and children from military families and with an IEP/IFSP.

2016-2021 LONG RANGE GOALS

Goal 4: Building relationships to ensure continuity of services between birth to five programs and kindergarten to 3rd Grade

Goal 5: Children in Head Start programs *receive needed health care* including: medical, dental, and behavioral health prevention and treatment.

Goal 6: Through effective and *appropriate inclusionary practices*, close the learning gap between typically developing children and children with special needs.

STAKEHOLDER SURVEY

The purpose of the survey is to identify the effectiveness of activities in the 2016-2021 plan and inform the 2021-2026 plan



INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE



**Spring 2020
Head Start
Planning Meeting**

WHO: AZ Head Start Grantees, Delegate Directors, and AZHSA Committee Leadership	WHEN: TUESDAY APRIL 18, 2020 12:00 - 2:00 PM	WHY: Planning and Review of Head Start priorities relative to the next five year grant period 2021-2026
WHERE: Arizona Dept of Education TUCSON 416 W Congress St Suite 100 Tucson, AZ 85701 Conf. Room 105		

Click Here for Map/Directions:

Click here to RSVP

Please RSVP by April 27.
Use the link or QR code



QUESTIONS:
Please contact the ADE Early
Childhood Education Unit
602-364-1530





TEACHING STRATEGIES GOLD

- Current ADE contract license ends March 22, 2020
- Contract extension through June 30, 2020 in progress
- Process underway for identification of tool and child outcomes summary process moving forward
- All programs will continue to have access to child portfolios, enter data, complete checkpoints, utilize report features, etc.
- Program licenses expire based on when program's renewed their license.
- Current State rate pricing will be honored through June 30, 2020