Recent Accomplishments

Knowledge Development

Developed Framework for Early Childhood Data Systems to assist states in developing & enhancing high-quality state data systems and in improving the quality of their IDEA data

Based on the Framework, developing a **self-assessment** to help states prioritize improvement efforts

Developing **resources** for each Framework subcomponent to support improvement activities

Created **State of the States** maps of key features of Part C and Section 619 data systems, based on information collected from states in 2013

TA & Dissemination

Cross-state TA: Developed a responsive cross-state TA: Developed a responsive cross-state TA plan based on state-identified needs. Products to date include: Community of Practice on data visualization, the ABCs of Data Dictionaries, and Data Privacy & Confidentiality website page

Individualized TA: Ongoing liaison work with 50 states and 11 jurisdictions

TA requests: Responded to more than 100 individual TA requests from 40 states & and jurisdictions around SSIP, data linkages, privacy/confidentiality, as well as other topics related to data systems





"The goal is to turn data into information, and information into insight."

 Carly Fiorina, (Former CEO of Hewlett-Packard)

Our Mission

The DaSy Center provides technical assistance (TA) and resources to state agencies to assist with the development or enhancement of data systems for Part C early intervention and Part B preschool special education programs supported through the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

We collaborate with other projects to leverage what is known and generate new ideas and products to help state agencies create and expand early childhood cross-agency and longitudinal data systems. These include the Part C and Part B preschool data systems needed to collect, analyze, and report high-quality data required under IDEA.







Ongoing Collaboration

Leadership & Coordination

Annual Improving Outcomes, Improving Data Conference, co-sponsored by ECTA Center and IDEA Data Center

Collaborations with ECTA Center and other OSEP-funded TA centers to support states developing State Systemic Improvement Plans (SSIP)

Additional collaborations with Statewide Longitudinal Data Systems (SLDS) and Race to the Top-Early Learning Challenge (RTT-ELC) TA providers around developing Early Childhood Integrated Data Systems (ECIDS)

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