School Readiness

WHAT SCHOOL READINESS TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE OPTIONS ARE OFFERED BY T/TAS?

- **A School Readiness Seminar... Driven to Action**
  A two-day seminar at state and regional HSA Conferences with emphasis on the Child Development and Early Learning Framework and the Parent, Family, and Community Engagement Framework

- **A School Readiness One or Two-Day Training**
  brought directly into your program

- **Feedback** on Your Program’s School Readiness and Child/Family Outcomes Plan.

- **School Readiness Webinars**, real time distance training sessions, or an online course. A list of events, topics and dates will be posted on www.ttas.org.

- **Pre-service Presentations** custom-designed for your program.

- **Telephone Technical Assistance** on School Readiness is also available.

EARLY HEAD START AND SCHOOL READINESS: IS THERE A CONNECTION?

Yes, there are strong linkages!

Early Head Start programs have an exciting opportunity to provide experiences that will contribute to later school and life successes for our infants and toddlers.

- Meaningful and appropriate Early Head Start school readiness goals are developed
- The results of each child’s assessment lead to individualized planning
- All child and family assessments results are analyzed and used as part of the self-assessment and strategic planning process

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS GAINED BY PARTICIPATING IN THE T/TAS READINESS EVENTS?

The team at T/TAS is ready to assist with your program’s implementation of School Readiness initiatives. The participatory learning options designed by the T/TAS team will build your staff’s capacity as Head Start professionals.

Through participation, attendees will:

- Gain the information needed to understand and implement national, state, and local School Readiness initiatives that impact your program.
- Understand how to enrich your agency’s capability to support data collection, conduct analyses, and use the results to improve program practices.
- Acquire an increased understanding of child outcomes in each domain of the Head Start Early Learning and Development Framework.
- Expand their overall knowledge of specific parent and family engagement outcomes.
- Envision effective strategies for partnering with parents to ensure maximum opportunities for children’s school and life successes.
- Discover how to create organizational plans and support systems for the professional development of all staff.
- Obtain pertinent and practical information and strategies to be successful with individual children and families in every classroom and center.