REGION VI HEAD START ASSOCIATION BOARD Quarterly Reporting Form



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Content Topics: Region VI Mega Conference

Reporting Information:

The Region VI Mega Conference took place December 2nd, 3rd and 4th of 2020. The conference was held virtually due to the restrictions associated with the COVID-19 pandemic. The NMHSA collaborated with the New Mexico Early Childhood Education and Care Department to utilize their meeting platform to present the conference. The NMHSA received support from the Regional Office to provide various

trainings for the participants. The NMHSA also contracted with a few trainers including Teachstone and Head Start University. There were a total of 570 participants. The conference generated \$60673.00 in revenue after all expenses were paid. A check will be cut for the regional office for 50% of the revenue which totals \$30,336.50.

Planning the conference was somewhat challenging as it was a new endeavor for the association, however, the association has a great team and the end result was a successful virtual conference, along with lessons learned that will help make the next virtual conference planning and implementation even smoother.

The NMHSA has had some correspondence with Oklahoma as they are the next state to sponsor the Region VI Mega Conference in 2021. Information was shared regarding the planning process and necessary platforms to conduct a virtual conference. In addition we were able to share lessons learned to help improve the process based on our newly acquired experience and feedback from the participants.

Board Action Items: N/A

Report Attachments (if any):



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2ND -- BASIC REGISTRATION

Time	Session Title
8:00 am – 10:00 am	GENERAL SESSION
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	The Important Role of Fatherhood
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	2020 We're Built For This: Strengthening Your Team
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Keynote / Lunch
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Trauma Informed Care: Creating Trauma Sensitive Classrooms
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Help I'm a New Head Start Leader
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Region VI Child Health and Safety Case Management Pilot

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2ND – Add-on options (fees vary)

Time	Session
1:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Supporting Interactions in a Socially-Distanced or Virtual Classroom

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3RD – BASIC REGISTRATION

Time	Session Title
8:00 am – 10:00 am	Language and Literacy: Research on Early Brain Development and How to Increase Talk
8:00 am – 10:00 am	Fiscal Perspectives on the Annual Application and Financial Reporting
8:00 am – 10:00 am	TTA System Overview
8:00 am - 9:30	Getting Your OWN Dads Engaged
8:00 am – 9:30 am	Infant/Toddler Teacher-Child Interactions
10:00 am – 11:30 am	Diving Deeper into Responsive Caregiving
10:00 am - 11:30	The Power of Personal Storytelling
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Implementing a Culture of Safety
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Building a Culture of Collaboration: Working Together
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Self-care and Maintaining Appropriate Professional Boundaries
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Stepping Up to Racial Equity in Arkansas
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Taking Care of Ourselves Addressing Our Own Wellness
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch On Your Own

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Building STEAM throughout the Day
1:00 pm - 2:30	Coffee with The Down To Earth Dad
1:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Trauma Sensitive Lens: Recognizing, Understanding and Responding to the Impact of Childhood Trauma
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Born to Explore: Marvelous Math for Infants and Toddlers

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3RD – Add-on options (fees vary)

Time	Session
8:30 am – 4:30 pm	Interactions at the Heart of Healing: Trauma-Informed Professional Development
8:30 am – 4:30 pm	A CLASS Primer for Teachers
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Family Engagement Administrative Credential

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4th – BASIC REGISTRATION

Time	Session Title
8:00 am – 10:00 am	Getting Along with My Friends and Taking Charge of my Emotions
8:00 am – 9:30 am	Infant/Toddler Language Literacy - Setting the Foundation
10:00 am – 11:30 am	Supporting Parent to Work with Their Infants and Toddlers
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Tips, tricks and interventions. A field guide for the behavior management specialist.
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Community Collaborations between Head Start and LEA's
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Ongoing Monitoring and Continuous Improvement
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Region VI TTA Network- Head Start A to Z: ERSA
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch On Your Own
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Self-Care; Strategies to Take Care of Yourself So You Can Care for Others

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4TH – Add-on options (fees vary)

Time	Session
8:30 am – 4:30 pm	Interactions at the Heart of Healing: Trauma-Informed Professional Development
8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Family Engagement Administrative Credential

Signature(s): _Sandy Trujillo-Medina Date: 4/16/21

