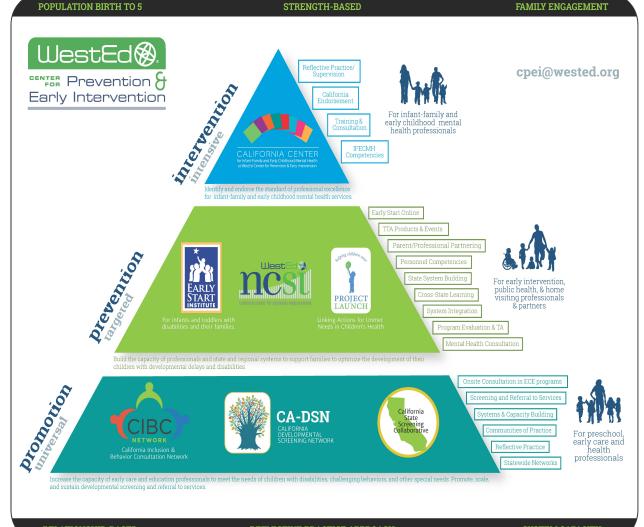


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RELATIONSHIP-BASED REFLECTIVE PRACTICE APPROACH SYSTEM CAPACITY

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Early Start Comprehensive System of Personnel Development (CSPD)

Early Start Online

- Facilitated
- Open Access

Early Start Partners Symposium Early Start Resources

- Service Coordination Handbook
- Additional publications

Early Start Neighborhood Early Start SSIP Support





Who benefits from CPEI's work?







Challenges Facing Young Children (and Families) Today

- Having the knowledge and skills they need to succeed
- Being fully and respectfully included
 - Children need opportunities and relationships that support their development
 - Parents need opportunities and relationships to support their children

Challenges Facing Professionals Today

Increased Expectations

- High accountability for results
- High levels of expertise
- Evidence-based practices

Information overload

 Internet, email, research, data... how much can you process?

Scattered or stretched resources

- Patchwork of funding
- "Leveraging" (doing more but not getting more)





Where should we go in 2019?

Breathe... slow down

- Don't rush or jump to react
- Reflect
- Take time

Engaged and authentic partnerships

- Across systems
- With colleagues
- With parents

Collaborative Efforts and Partnerships through WestEd CPEI

WestEd CPEI partners with...

- Other WestEd programs
- Other technical assistance centers
- Consultants with high levels of expertise and deep experience across sectors and settings
- Family/parent leaders
- State and local leaders

WestEd CPEI supports partnering by...

- Facilitating cross sector engagement
- Building capacity for agencies and leaders to actively engage stakeholders
- Building capacity for local providers to actively engage families



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