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Alameda County Child Care Planning Council
Early Care and Education Committee Meeting
Thursday, October 15, 2009 1:00 - 3:00pm
4C's of Alameda County, 22351 City Center Drive, Suite 200, Hayward

AGENDA

1. Announcements, Review Agenda, Last Meeting Minutes (10 minutes)

2. Review of response/dissemination of Quality Statement (15 - 20 minutes)

- a. Rory presented it at Grace's class and Mills LPEC*
b. Nadiyah is using it at her course at Las Positas
c. Eric Peterson (BANANAS) sent it to the ELQIS Finance Subcommittee
d. Carol sent it to CDD (Margo Huckins)
e. Consuela Espinosa, member of State ELQIS committee is sharing it with other members of the committee
f. Other

3. Discussion on dissemination & marketing Plan: What Now? (40 minutes)

4. Updates:

- a. AB212
b. First 5
c. State Contractors
d. Other

5. Set Agenda for next meeting

6. Adjourn

* A few impressions that I gathered from those presentations: It's the process that needs to be emphasized. The key message of the Statement is that you have to continuously THINK and reflect on what you are doing and why, and then what to change or not. One of the things that came up at Mills is how to convince ECE directors/teachers/leaders that reflective thinking and on-going learning should not be conducted just at "reserved/special times", but should become a "dispositional" or consistent operational mode for us. The Mills students were also really interested in trying to get ELQIS to create something other than a rating scale, and brainstormed on how to get these ideas to the ELQIS Committee. rd

** Next Meeting: Thursday, November 19, 2009 1-3pm **
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