



**Proposed Outcomes and Requirements in
Arizona Early Childhood Development and Health Initiative (FTF)
Title 8, Chapter 13, Arizona Revised Statutes**

All children have access to high quality, culturally responsive early care and education that promotes their optimal development.

8-1161.G: Each Regional Partnership Council shall increase parents' and providers' access to information about early childhood development and health programs. Methods for meeting this requirement include: 2) Providing information about existing federal, state, local and private sources of funding available to improve the quality of and access to early childhood development and health programs; 4) Informing providers and parents about licensing and other requirements for early childhood development and health providers.

8-1171: Programs undertaken by the Board and the Regional Partnership Councils, either directly or through the award of grants, shall accomplish one or more of the following objectives: 1) Improving the quality of early childhood development and health programs; 2) Increasing access to quality early childhood development and health programs.

All children have access to high quality preventive and continuous health care, including physical, mental, oral, and nutritional health.

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8-1171: Programs undertaken by the Board and the Regional Partnership Councils, either directly or through the award of grants, shall accomplish one or more of the following objectives: 1) Improving the quality of early childhood development and health programs; 2) Increasing access to quality early childhood development and health programs; 3) Increasing access to preventive health care and health screenings for children through age five.

All families have the information, services, and support they need to help their children achieve their fullest potential.

8-1161.G: Each Regional Partnership Council shall increase parents' and providers' access to information about early childhood development and health programs. Methods for meeting this requirement include: 1) providing information about the programs and services provided by the Board, the Council and grant recipients.

8-1171: Programs undertaken by the Board and the Regional Partnership Councils, either directly or through the award of grants, shall accomplish one or more of the following objectives: 4) Offering parent and family support and education concerning early child development and literacy.

All early childhood education and health professionals are well prepared, highly skilled, and compensated commensurate with their education and experience.

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8-1171: Programs undertaken by the Board and the Regional Partnership Councils, either directly or through the award of grants, shall accomplish one or more of the following objectives: 5) Providing professional development and training for early childhood development and health providers.

The early childhood system is child and family centered, coordinated, integrated, and comprehensive.

8-1161.A: Each Regional Partnership Council shall identify the assets available for the early childhood development and health Programs in its region, including opportunities for the coordination and use of other available funding sources.

8-1161.G: Each Regional Partnership Council shall increase parents' and providers' access to information about early childhood development and health programs. Methods for meeting this requirement include: 5) Fostering cooperation among early childhood development and health providers in order to increase the number of children and families served and improve outcomes for children and families served.

8-1171: Programs undertaken by the Board and the Regional Partnership Councils, either directly or through the award of grants, shall accomplish one or more of the following objectives: 6) Increasing coordination of early childhood development and health programs and public information about the importance of early childhood development and health.

All Arizonans understand the importance of the early years and the impact of early childhood development and health on Arizona's economy and quality of life and, as a result, substantially support early childhood education and health both politically and financially.

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