Maryland SEFEL Pyramid Model Monthly Leadership Meeting Minutes

Date | time Tuesday, November 13th, 2018 | 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM |

Location Maryland State Department of Education, 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore MD, 21201

10th Floor Conference Room

Introductions:

Tresa Hanna (MSDE), Jannette Guerra (MSDE), D'Lisa Worthy (UMD), Lorie Yarbough (QA County Judy Center), Kate Wasserman (UMSSW), Nancy Cahlink-Seidler (MSDE), Kym, Nwosu (HCPS), Mary Rose Catena (MCPS)

SEFEL Master Cadre Update

- TOT Update
 - UMBSSW team presented the follow up plan with the TOT Participants and State-Wide Pyramid Model trainers
 - 53 new approved trainers in either or both the IT/Preschool Modules
 - Webinar to review slides post two-day training
 - Ongoing Community of Practice: Participants very receptive to the continuing contact
 - Regional meetings 2 to 3 times per year
 - Set up monthly check-ins that people can call into to receive SEFEL Pyramid Model TA

NCPMI Guidance on Pyramid Model State Leadership Teams

• Based on her divisions TA with the NCPMI leadership for Pyramid Model work within Part C – and she presented the state-wide BOQ for state leadership teams. The NCPMI said that Maryland was not eligible for the current TA offer due to the fact that we do not have most of the BOQ items in place. State leadership teams committed to reviewing the subsections in teams and dedicating the next meeting to completing a draft of this to then inform our goals for the upcoming year to become more aligned with the national standards.

Report from Boston Institute on Suspension and Expulsion

Last month, Tresa, Kate, Margo, Nancy and several other child care directors attended Harvard
University Graduate School of Education's Institute on Suspension and Expulsion and reported to
the state leadership team the major focuses of the two day presentations: SEFEL Pyramid Model,
Early Childhood Mental Health Consultations and implicit bias.

Maryland SEFEL Pyramid Model Job Chart Discussion

• Final version was reviewed, voted on and ratified by present committee members

Agency Updates

- University of Maryland
 - SEFEL Pyramid Model Trainings and Coaching TA underway in Harford, Howard, Cecil, and Montgomery Counties.
- Tresa (MSDE):
 - o Online trainings updates underway
- Janette (MSDE):
 - o Division of early education and intervention services is in their fourth month of national TA

Closing

- Questions/Topics for Next Month's Meeting
 - o How is this group informed by National Pyramid Model and the NCPMI BOQ?
 - o Map out how we want to work with Trainers moving forward