



# **FY 2023 Early Childhood Development (ECD) Funding (HRSA-23-028)**

## **Award Recipient Presentation**

**Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC)**

**Vision: Healthy Communities, Healthy People**



# AGENDA

- Welcome
- Opening Remarks
  - Katie Ballengee, Deputy Director – Office of Health Center Investment Oversight (OHCIO)
- Award Overview
- Next Steps
- Reporting Reminders
- Technical Assistance
- Questions
- Closing remarks



# A Word from the OHCIO Deputy Director



## **Katie Ballengee**

Deputy Director,

BPHC Office of Health Center Investment Oversight (OHCIO)

Health Resources and Services Administration

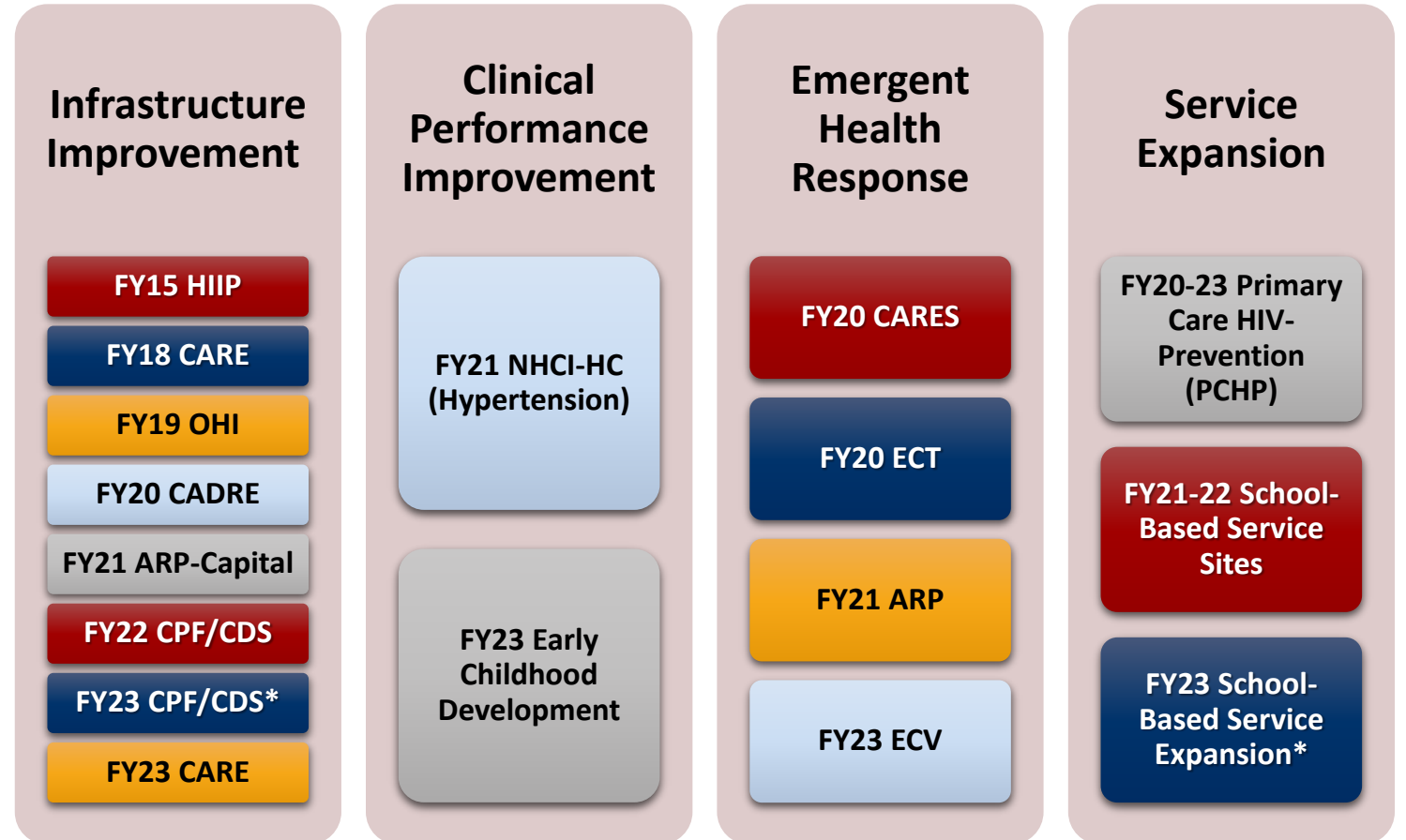
# Office of Health Center Investment Oversight:

## Current Investments

The **Office of Health Center Investment Oversight** (OHCIO) provides deliberate programmatic oversight to support health centers to achieve intended results of supplemental investments.

**Specialized Award Teams** focus on program outcomes.

We are **'trusted partners'** to our trusted/health center partners.



\* - Remaining fiscal year 2023 funding pending release



# Office of Health Center Investment Oversight:

## *Our Aims*



Ensure adherence to program and grants requirements



Ensure recipients use funding as allowed, allocated, and appropriate



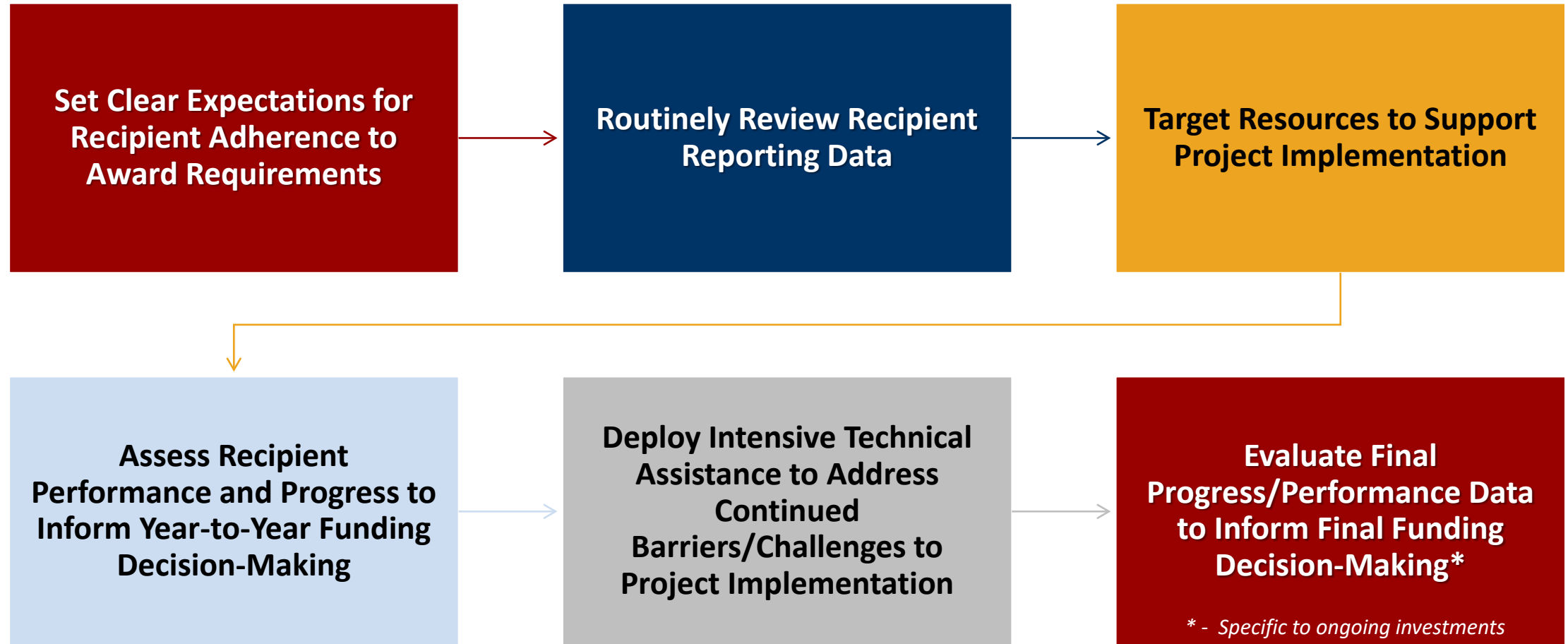
Ensure recipients maintain adequate progress throughout award implementation



Ensure recipients achieve established award objectives and outcomes

# Office of Health Center Investment Oversight:

## *How We Make It Happen*



# Award Overview



# Summary of Awards

HRSA awards \$30 million to expand early childhood development care through screenings and follow-up services.

Number of awards: 151

Period of performance:  
September 1, 2023-  
August 31, 2025

New grant number: H8K



See the [instructions](#) to add the H8K grant folder to your EHBs portfolio





# Purpose

- Improve developmental outcomes among children served by health centers
- Increase the number of **developmental screenings** for children ages 0-5
- Increase **access to appropriate follow-up services**, as needed
- Build ECD expertise into care teams



# Objectives and Focus Areas

## Funding Objectives

Increase the number of children ages 0-5 who receive recommended developmental screenings

Increase the number of children and their families assisted with accessing appropriate follow-up services within 30 days of a developmental screening identifying an area of concern

## Activity Focus Areas

Workforce recruitment, retention, development, and engagement

Patient/caregiver experience

Access and affordability

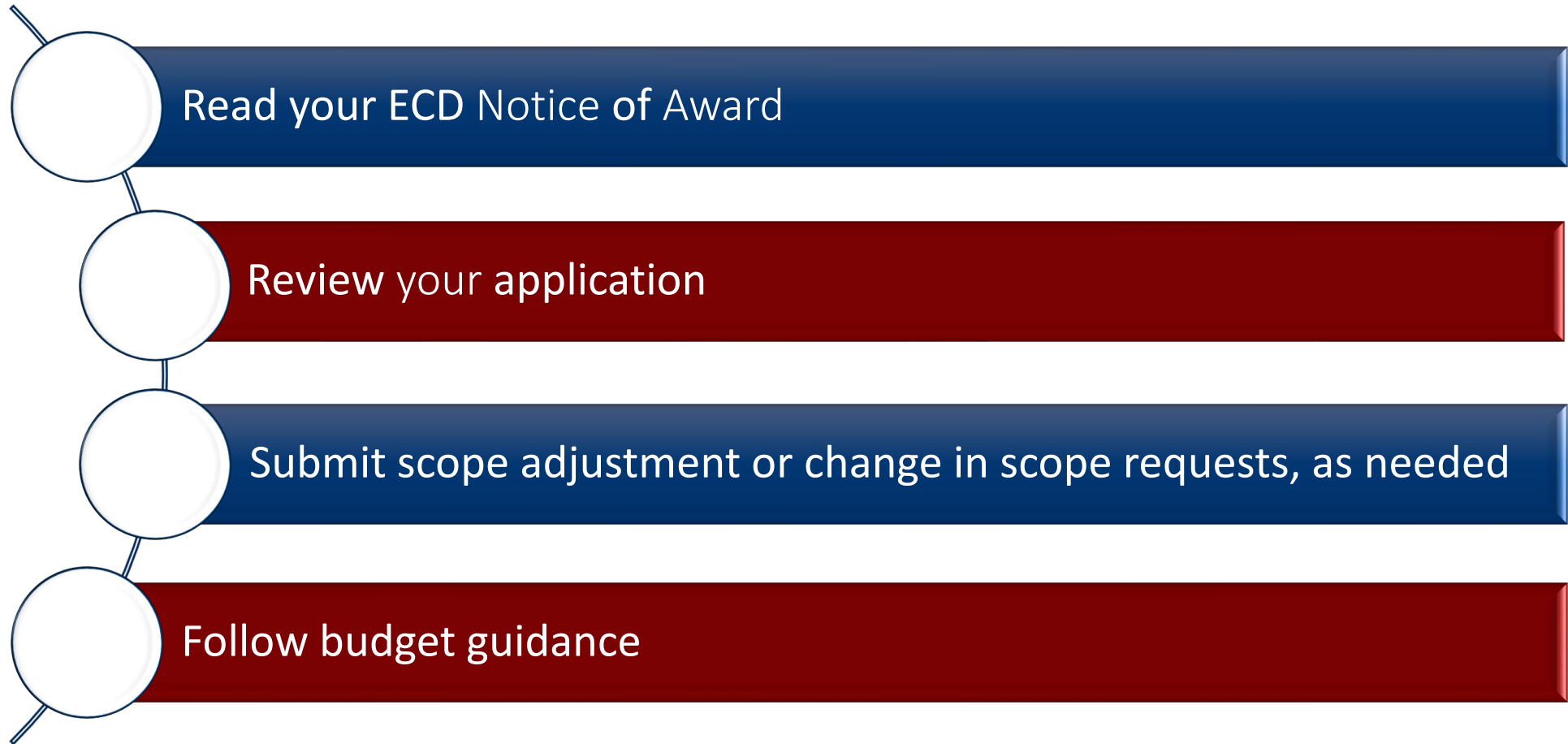
Population health and health-related social needs



# Next Steps



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# Notice of Award

- Terms and Conditions
  - Your responsibilities with ECD funding
  - Must respond **within 30 days**, where applicable
- Reporting requirement(s)
  - Data
  - Budget
- Contact information
  - Investment team staff
  - Grants management specialist



# Review Application

- Work Plan
  - Activity Area
  - Activity
  - Timeframe
- Budget
  - Summary and categories
  - Narrative
- For approved equipment
  - Costs limited to year 1 only
  - Cannot exceed \$150,000 total



# Scope Adjustments and Changes in Scope

- If needed, submit a scope adjustment or change in scope to implement your project
- HRSA must approve all scope changes before implementation
- Guidance available on the [Scope of Project resource webpage](#)



# Consider Budgeting Guidance

- ECD funding falls under expanded authority
- Prior approval needed:
  - Significant rebudgeting of project costs
  - Equipment not previously approved
- Direct all questions to the GMS listed on your Notice of Award





# Ineligible Costs



*Mobile units are allowable purchases*



Costs already supported with H80 or supplemental funding



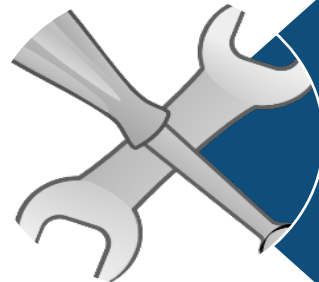
Facility or land purchases



Purchase and/or installation of trailers and pre-fabricated modular units



EHRs that are not ONC certified



Minor alterations and renovations; new construction



Costs not related to the ECD purpose

# Reporting Reminders



# Reporting Requirements

## Non-Competing Continuation (NCC)

- Year 1 progress on activities
- Year 2 budget and updated work plan
- Year 1 assistance with follow-up data measure
- All required to review/approve Year 2 funding

## Semi-Annual Progress Reports (SAPRs)

- Project Status
- Accomplishments and barriers

## Uniform Data System (UDS)

- Developmental screening measure
- Calendar-year data

## Assistance with Follow-Up Data Measure

- Year 2 collection as part of the semi-annual progress report

[Note: Final Uniform Data System Changes for Calendar Year 2023 \(hrsa.gov\)](https://www.hrsa.gov)



Important Note

The NCC and first SAPR will be a combined report

# Key Dates for Data Reporting

You will continue to submit annual UDS reports

Submission	Reporting period covered	Date when report will be accessible
Non-Competing Continuation, including Assistance with Follow-up Data	September 1, 2023-February 29, 2024	March 1, 2024
Semi-Annual Progress Report	March 1, 2024-August 31, 2024	September 1, 2024
Semi-Annual Progress Report, including Assistance with Follow-up Data	September 1, 2024-February 28, 2025	March 1, 2025
Semi-Annual Progress Report	March 1, 2025-August 31, 2025	September 1, 2025



# Funding Beyond 2-Year Period of Performance

## Possibility of ongoing funding beyond year 2, dependent on:

- Progress on screening objective measured through 2024 UDS data
- Progress on assisting with follow-up objective measured through Non-Competing Continuation (NCC) and Assistance with Follow-Up Data Report
- Availability of appropriated funds
- Decision that continued funding is in the best interest of the federal government

# Technical Assistance



# MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH BUREAU

## Mission

To improve the health and well-being of America's mothers, children, and families.

## Vision

Our vision is an America where all mothers, children, and families thrive and reach their full potential.

## MCHB Goals

### ACCESS

Assure access to high-quality and equitable health services to optimize health and well-being for all MCH populations.

### EQUITY

Achieve health equity for MCH populations.

### CAPACITY

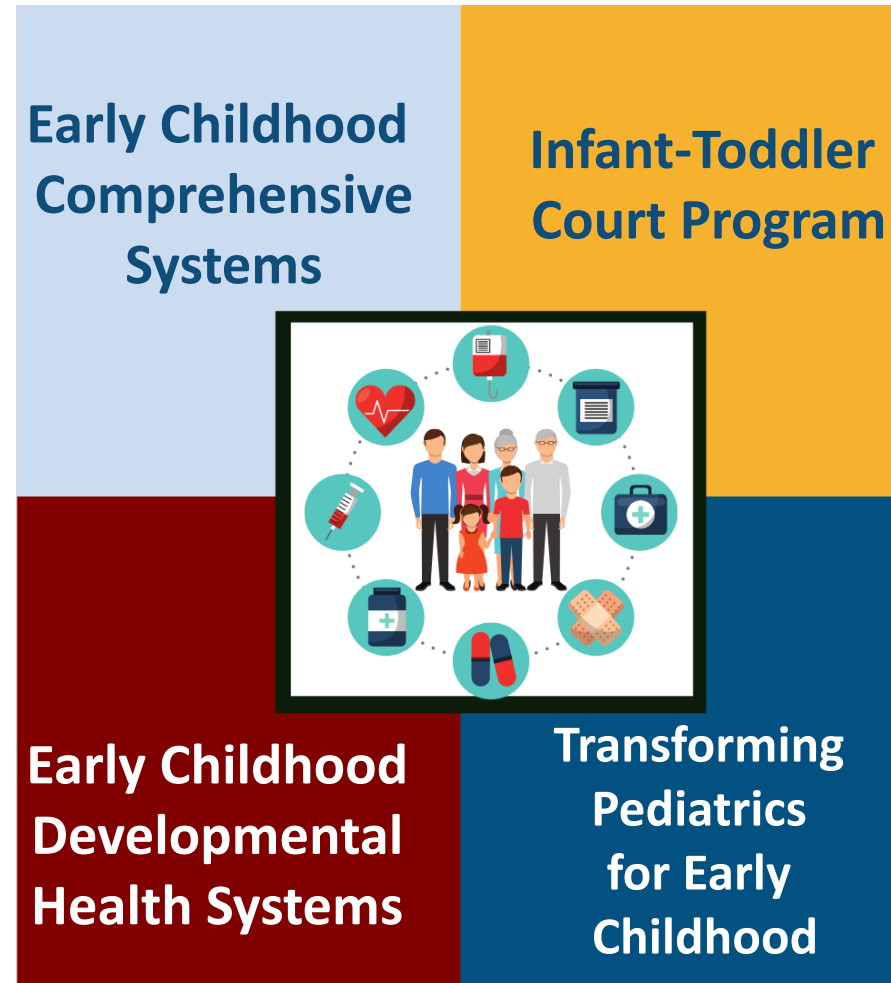
Strengthen public health capacity and workforce for MCH.

### IMPACT

Maximize impact through leadership, partnership, and stewardship.

# Early Childhood Systems Programming

The purpose of MCHB's early childhood systems portfolio of programs is to support states, tribes, and communities in building and sustaining coordinated systems of health and related services for families with young children.

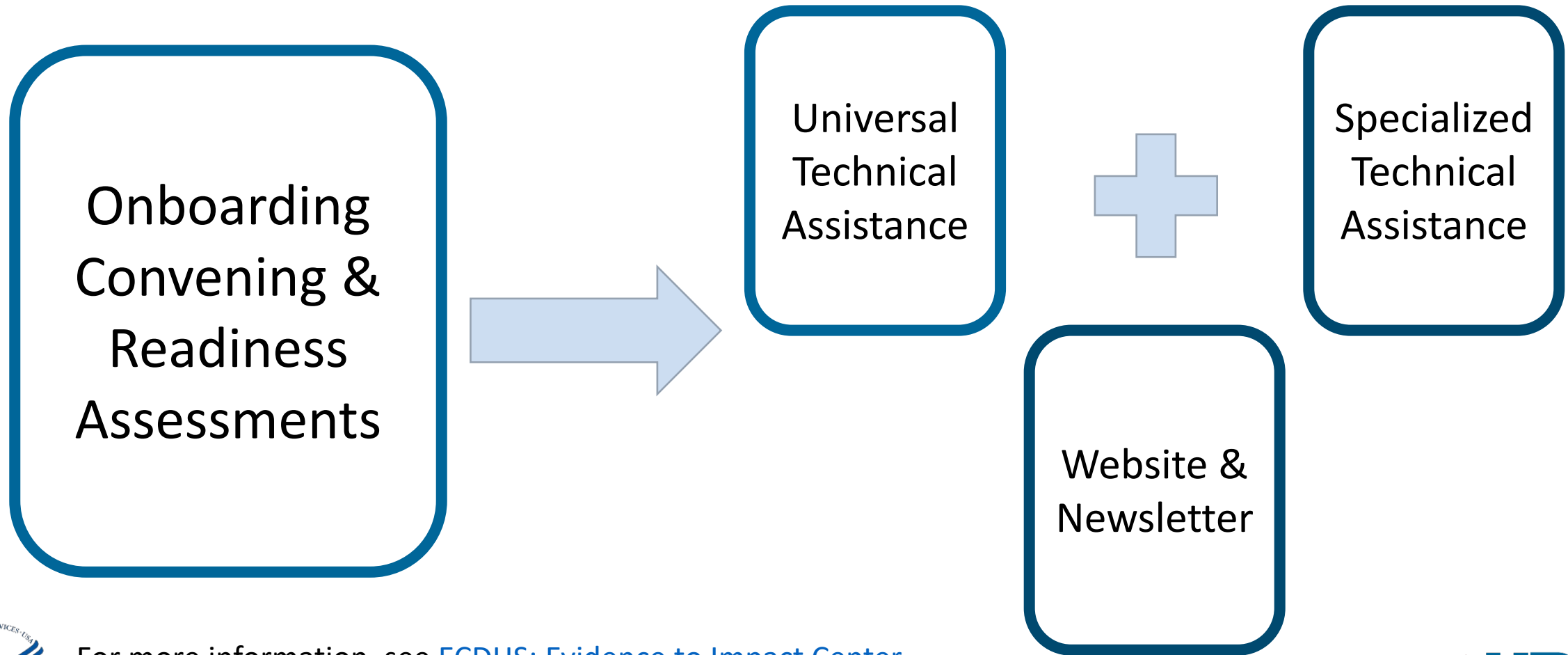




# ECDHS: Evidence to Impact Center



# Planned Technical Assistance Offerings



For more information, see [ECDHS: Evidence to Impact Center](#)



# Technical Assistance Webpage

<https://bphc.hrsa.gov/funding/funding-opportunities/fy-2023-early-childhood-development>

**Award recipients**

**Frequently asked questions**

**Technical Assistance Resources**

**Contact information**



[BPHC Contact Form](#)



# Additional Assistance

Connect with HRSA to get your questions answered!

## FY 2023 ECD Office Hour

- [Date: TBD]
- [Time: TBD]
- [[Register](#)]

Visit the [ECD TA webpage](#) to register and join a session.



# Contact Information

Topic	Contact
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Implementation challenges</li><li>Changes to health center ECD staff</li><li>TA questions (before 9/30/23)</li></ul>	Contact the ECD Investment Team via the <a href="#">BPHC Contact Form</a> . <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Under <i>Funding</i>, select <i>Supplemental Grant Award</i></li><li>Select <i>Early Childhood Development (ECD)</i></li></ul>
Budget conditions, budgeting, carryover requests	GMS listed on the Notice of Award
EHBs support	877-464-4772 (select option 1) or via the <a href="#">BPHC Contact Form</a>
ECD technical assistance webpage	<a href="#">FY 2023 Early Childhood Development   Bureau of Primary Health Care (hrsa.gov)</a>





# Thank You!

## ECD Support Team

Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC)

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)



[BPHC Contact Form](#)

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