

## **Educator and Provider Support Partnership Grantees**

**Agenda: *March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at 9:30am to 1:30 pm***  
**Mass Bay Community College GYMNASIUM, Framingham, MA**

In the meeting we will take a deeper look at communication, outreach, and diversity. The value and strength of this exercise will be enhanced by your thoughtful preparation and presentation of the steps in the agenda.

**I. Welcome**

**II. Objectives**

**III. Review the Principles of our network**

**IV. Regional Success Stories**

**V. Regional Café set up**

**VI. Café Presentations**

Each rotation will be 20 minutes.

**VII. Synthesis**

**VIII. Evaluation and next step**

**IX. Meeting Closure**

**Notes:**

***Principles of Network:***

- Challenge to keep things transparent
- We need to figure out how to reflect on data we are collecting
- Feel we are leaving ELL professionals behind i.e. QRIS
- We don't intend to leave anyone behind but sometimes people chose to not move forward

***Success Stories:***

Region 1,

1 year ago EPS grant: strength is out of school time strength and presents: cohort model out of school time leaders stipend for them. These individuals are building a training model mentor program to train their staff- providing strategies to build mentoring and coaching skills. Difficulties are about compensations. More connection to the out of school time.

Region 2

Partnership: lead agency in a new area, with 2 huge college classes : leadership new resources – LEAP empowerment and diversity college class. Effort between Headstart and regional office. Spanish learners course also very popular 70 applicants for 20 slots

Region 3.

Made progress in higher ed- what do adult learners need to be successful: cohorts for f112, combined masters and bachelors, 2 private schools masters program 10k , community college credit cea. One 4 yr school was able to hold a course over 2 semesters, Online registration and apps systems: coaching, CEU, course registrations etc...Data collection efficiency.

Region 4.

Family day care provider- looking for support for training and mentoring to get assistants to training, staff went to college with learning disability took a tour, explained it and felt more confident. Then went back to the location to talk to all staff to get them the info they need about scholarships ect. and how to get into class

#### Region 5.

Partnerships working together now over 30 partners, within that coaching and mentoring group, information built from groups the readiness center is involved to send information to early out ect, to do CEU's

#### Region 6.

work with individual educators approaching them about professional development- success in opening up and responsive to suggestions, developing goals, a semester later meeting with the educator are now excited with the classes – love the interactions with peers and are looking forward to continuing.

#### SYNTHESIS:

Enjoyment in hearing other regions challenges & success of strategies. Can't wait to take these strategies back and apply them.

Presenting to the larger groups created awareness about points that need to be followed up on, evaluation/tweaking on forms and logo.

Thoughts to share these posters to extend the work from this meeting.