

ReadyKidSA Coalition Meeting

October 4, 2016 | 1:00 to 4:00 PM

Head Start Office

Purpose

This meeting convenes ReadyKidSA Coalition members to: 1) review the timeline for the Coalition's development of a **community-wide agenda** and scorecard for very young children (age birth to 8) of San Antonio and Bexar County; 2) utilizing the Coalition's existing work (building blocks, etc.) to draft a vision statement that gives focus to the agenda's implementation; and, 3) review key accomplishments in the area of very young children that can be shared with a wider audience.

Desired Meeting Results

Participants will:

- Understand the concept and context for the development of a community-wide agenda and scorecard for the very young children of San Antonio and Bexar County
- Clarify the coalition's role in the implementation of the agenda
- Draft a vision statement for the ReadyKidSA Coalition
- Identify San Antonio/Bexar County key successes for children birth to 8 that can be shared with a wider audience

TOPICS, CONVERSATIONS, AND SESSION RESULTS

Welcome and Introductions

Review June Meeting Work

Setting the Stage for An Agenda for Children of San Antonio and Bexar County

- Why now? How will this help implement the Coalition's purpose?

Result: Participants are informed about the plan and the role the coalition will play

A Vision Statement for the ReadyKidSA Coalition

- What will the coalition seek to achieve, for what population by when?

Result: Participants draft a vision statement that is clear and representative of the coalition's purpose

Highlighting Accomplishments in Very Young Children age birth to 8

- Great work is underway for very young children in San Antonio
 - What are we most proud of?
 - What has gone well?

Result: Partners elevate highlights in early childhood that can be shared with a wider audience.

Partner Updates

- News, events, etc.

Result: Partners are informed about one another's work in the community

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