

**Logic Model for SECCS Grant Program:
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GRANTEE/ PROJECT CHARACTERISTICS (i.e., goals and description of the project, environment, description of population/case load and partner organizations):	TOTAL FUNDS REQUESTED (for the first year of the project): \$155,496 TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET (for the first year of the project): \$155,496	Infant Mental Health Association Workgroup Members			Updated Florida's statewide Infant Mental Health Strategic Plan.	Florida's statewide Infant Mental Health Strategic Plan is updated.		
Florida Department of Health (DOH) is the lead agency. The Florida DOH promotes and protects the health and safety of all people in Florida through the delivery of quality public health services and the promotion of health care standards.	PROJECT INPUTS (i.e., personnel and non-personnel)	Infant Mental Health Association Workgroup Members	Strategic Planning	Update Florida's statewide Infant Mental Health Strategic Plan.	By January 30, 2007, sponsored a statewide Infant Mental Health Association workgroup as measured by meeting minutes and participation roster.	A statewide Infant Mental Health Association workgroup as measured by meeting minutes and participation roster is sponsored.		
Florida Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems (ECCS) Project implements a comprehensive early childhood system that promotes the health and well being of young children. The project aims to enable children to enter school ready and able to learn.	Personnel:	Child Care Health Consultants			Increased the number of Child Care Health Consultants working with child care programs.	The number of Child Care Health Consultants working with child care programs has increased.		
Project Goals: 1) Health care services and systems meet families' needs; 2) Develop a comprehensive system to effectively prevent, identify, and treat emotional and behavioral disorders in families with children birth to age five. The system will include appropriate training, screening and assessment, interventions, funding, public awareness, and policies ; 3) All children have access to high quality and developmentally appropriate early care and education services; and 4) Children's basic needs are met by parents/caregivers who have support and resources to provide a nurturing family environment.	Project Director: 1.0 FTE	Child Care Health Consultants	Using Child Care Health Consultants	Increase the number of Child Care Health Consultants working with child care programs.	By June 30, 2007, provided child care health consultation in two counties (one urban and one rural) as measured by consultants' records/reports.	Child care health consultation in two counties (one urban and one rural) is provided as measured by consultants' records/reports.		
ENVIRONMENT:	Non-Personnel:	Pediatricians	Health Screening	Promote the Bright Future Screening tool.	Promoted the Bright Future Screening tool.	The Bright Future Screening tool is promoted.		
The state faces challenges due to its rapid growth, the diversity of its population, and the fact that 37 out of 67 counties are classified as rural.	Direct Costs: Sum of staff travel, contractual costs, and other (i.e., advertisement dollars).	Families	Educating Consumers	Families are informed consumers of health care.	Continued promotion of good nutrition in the home and strategies to prevent and avoid child obesity.	Promotion of good nutrition in the home and strategies is continued to prevent and avoid child obesity.		
Despite alarming statistics regarding the health, economic status, psychosocial status, and academic achievement of children, Florida does not have a system of care for the youngest children. Florida has hundreds of programs that have been established and implemented to address the health, social and educational needs of children and families. However, this creates a complex and fragmented patchwork of services and programs. Moreover, the duplication of existing services and supports, along with inadequate public awareness of the full range of early childhood needs and issues, are critical problems that need to be addressed in Florida.	OTHER INPUTS (contracts, other grant awards, matching funds):	Parents	Educating Parents	Provide technical assistance to parents with questions on the Whole Child Leon Project (assists Florida communities in building comprehensive, integrated, community-based systems to enable infants, young children and their parents to lead productive, rewarding lives) in Tallahassee County.	Provided technical assistance to parents with questions on the Whole Child Leon Project (assists Florida communities in building comprehensive, integrated, community-based systems to enable infants, young children and their parents to lead productive, rewarding lives) in Tallahassee County.	Technical assistance is provided to parents with questions on the Whole Child Leon Project (assists Florida communities in building comprehensive, integrated, community-based systems to enable infants, young children and their parents to lead productive, rewarding lives) in Tallahassee County.		

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Efforts to strengthen early childhood development services at the state level are not as successful given the multiple and complex funding streams, competing priorities for child health and educational issues among agencies, and different federal program mandates. State funding limitations, particularly a mandate to reduce class sizes in the Florida public school system, impact funding available for services for all children, while also making it more difficult to meet the growing needs of this population.	Contractual costs include collaboration funding agreements with two universities (Florida State University and Georgetown University) to further the goals and objectives outlined in the ECCS Implementation Plan.	Healthy Start, Healthy Families, Early Head Start/Head Start, home visiting programs, health care providers, subsidized and other ECE programs, Voluntary Pre-K (VPK), teen parent programs, and other school programs			Integrated mental health into all programs serving children 0-5 including Healthy Start, Healthy Families, Early Head Start/Head Start, home visiting programs, health care providers, subsidized and other ECE programs, Voluntary Pre-K (VPK), teen parent programs, and other school programs.	Mental health is integrated into all programs serving children 0-5 including Healthy Start, Healthy Families, Early Head Start/Head Start, home visiting programs, health care providers, subsidized and other ECE programs, VPK, teen parent programs, and other school programs.		
Florida's Agency for Health Care Administration reports that 22% of children in Florida between the ages of two and four are uninsured.	Florida State University implements the state infant mental health strategic plan. The University also provides consultation to SECCS through their child development expert who is a nurse by training.	Florida State University Center for Prevention and Early Intervention Staff	Prevention of behavioral disorders	Develop a system to prevent children 0-5 from developing emotional and behavioral disorders.	Worked with the Florida State University Center for Prevention and Early Intervention to intensify their focus on social, emotional, and behavioral development programs for children 0-5.	The Florida State University Center for Prevention and Early Intervention worked to intensify their focus on social, emotional, and behavioral development programs for children 0-5.		
The 2000 U.S. census reports that 44.6% of Florida's children who live with families with "female householder, no husband present" live below the Federal Poverty Level.	Georgetown University provides trainings on infant mental health to parents.	Law enforcement, the judicial system, substance abuse, mental health and domestic violence programs			Improved the ability of law enforcement, the judicial system, substance abuse, mental health and domestic violence programs to identify and provide mental health and behavioral services for children 0-5.	The ability of law enforcement, the judicial system, substance abuse, mental health and domestic violence programs has improved to identify and provide mental health and behavioral services for children 0-5.		
The leading mortality threats for Florida preschoolers in 2003 were unintentional injuries from drowning and traffic related motor vehicle crashes. Deaths from drowning for children less than age five in Florida is more than double the national average.		Pediatricians, nurses, aides, and other health care providers			Encouraged pediatricians, nurses, aides, and other health care providers to intensify their focus on emotional, behavioral and social development and to incorporate relationship based principles into health care provided for families with children 5.	Pediatricians, nurses, aides, and other health care providers are encouraged to intensify their focus on emotional, behavioral and social development and to incorporate relationship based principles into health care provided for families with children 0-5.		
Asthma hospitalizations are indicators of a state's ability to control airborne pollutants; the rate of children hospitalized for asthma per 10,000 children less than five years of age in 2003 was 64.7. This is a 11.7% increase from the 55.44% in 2001.		Children 0 - 5			Recommended screening and assessment instruments and protocols designed to identify emotional, behavioral and social development issues in children 0-5.	Screening and assessment instruments and protocols designed to identify emotional, behavioral and social development issues in children 0-5 are recommended.		
The National Children with Special Health Care Needs Survey reported that in Florida, about 13% of children have a special need. However, as of March 2005, only 45,956 children were enrolled in the Children's Medical Services Network, which provides care coordination for primary, specialty, and ancillary care/services.		Programs, professionals and agencies that diagnose mental health conditions	Improve Mental Health Screening	Develop a coordinated system to screen and assess mental health needs of children 0-5.	Encouraged all programs, professionals and agencies that diagnose mental health conditions to adopt the National Center for Clinical Infant Program's Diagnostic Classification of Mental Health and Developmental Disorders of Infancy and Childhood and Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental disorders (DSM)-IV-PC, as the basis for defining medical necessity for infant mental health services.	All programs, professionals and agencies that diagnose mental health conditions are encouraged to adopt the National Center for Clinical Infant Program's Diagnostic Classification of Mental Health and Developmental Disorders of Infancy and Childhood and DSM-IV-PC, as the basis for defining medical necessity for infant mental health services.		
A total of 13 of the 67 counties in Florida are federally designated as underserved (having less than 33 doctors per 100,000 persons). Department of Children and Families reported that children less than five received the fewest mental health services.		Medicaid, Healthy Start, Healthy Families, Early Head Start/Head Start, home visiting programs, health care providers, schools, and other ECE program staff who use screening/assessment tools			Infused emotional, behavioral and social development items into the existing screening/assessment tools used by Medicaid, Healthy Start, Healthy Families, Early Head Start/Head Start, home visiting programs, health care providers, schools, and other ECE programs.	Emotional, behavioral and social development items are infused into the existing screening/assessment tools used by Medicaid, Healthy Start, Healthy Families, Early Head Start/Head Start, home visiting programs, health care providers, schools, and other ECE programs.		

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It is estimated that only 56% of the children enrolled in Medicaid under age 21 received a well child checkup. Families lack information about the availability of Medicaid coverage for this checkup. In addition, providers received low reimbursement for these checkups. Both of these factors contribute to the underutilization of this checkup. Missing a checkup results in the missed opportunity to identify needed mental health services.		Early Learning Coalition and other agencies that work with children and families	Improve Mental Health Screening	Develop a coordinated system to screen and assess mental health needs of children 0-5.	Encouraged each Early Learning Coalition and other agencies that work with children and families to develop a simple and consistent referral mechanism for mental health assessments for children 0-5.	Each Early Learning Coalition and other agencies that work with children and families is encouraged to develop a simple and consistent referral mechanism for mental health assessments for children 0-5.		
PARTNERING ORGANIZATIONS:		Children 0 - 5			Developed a coordinated system to screen and assess mental health needs of children 0-5.	A coordinated system to screen and assess mental health needs of children 0-5 is developed.		
Agency for Workforce Innovation, Office of Early Learning: focuses on creating early learning programs that are developmentally appropriate and research-based, involving parents as the child's first teacher, enhancing the educational readiness of eligible children, and supporting family education.		Children 0-5			Determined best practices for effective mental health treatment and interventions.	Best practices for effective mental health treatment and interventions are determined.		
Head Start: is a child-focused program and has the overall goal of increasing the school readiness of young children in low-income families.		Level 1 front-line caregivers,	Mental Health Training	Build a training infrastructure for infant mental health in Florida including Level 1 front-line caregivers, Level 2 early interventionists, and level 3 infant mental health therapists.	For Level 1: infused training on the emotional, behavioral and social development of children 0-5 and relationship based practices into all programs serving children 0-5.	For Level 1: training on the emotional, behavioral and social development of children 0-5 and relationship based practices is infused into all programs serving children 0-5.		
Florida Developmental Disabilities Council: encourages and advocates for opportunities for persons with developmental disabilities and their families to enhance their quality of life within their communities.		People involved in law enforcement and the judicial system			Provided in-service training on infant mental health issues to people involved in law enforcement and the judicial system.	In-service training on infant mental health issues is provided to people involved in law enforcement and the judicial system.		
Lawton and Rhea Chiles Center for Healthy Mothers and Babies: promotes and protects the health of pregnant women, their infants, and young children through research, education and service.		Level 2 early interventionists			Trained Level 2 staff to incorporate relationship based principles into care provided for families with children 0-5.	Level 2 staff are trained to incorporate relationship based principles into care provided for families with children 0-5.		
Department of Health, Children's Medical Services: provides children with special health care needs with a family-centered, managed system of care.		Staff and Foster Parents			Provided training for staff and foster parents on emotional, behavioral and social development and mental health services for children 0-5 in the child protection system.	Training for staff and foster parents on emotional, behavioral and social development and mental health services for children 0-5 in the child protection system is provided.		
Florida Ounce of Prevention: is a private, non-profit corporation whose mission is to identify, fund, support and evaluate innovative prevention and early intervention programs that improve the health, education and life outcomes of Florida's at-risk children and families.		Department of Education			Worked with the DOE to improve the funding for mental health services in the Part B and early intervention programs that provide services to children 0-5.	Worked with the DOE to improve the funding for mental health services in the Part B and early intervention programs that provide services to children 0-5.		
United Way, Whole Child Project: assists Florida's communities in building comprehensive, and integrated community-based systems to enable infants, young children and their parents to lead productive and rewarding lives.		Medicaid			Encouraged Medicaid to review and modify the service description and medical necessity criteria for mental health services for children 0-5.	Medicaid is encouraged to review and modify the service description and medical necessity criteria for mental health services for children 0-5.		
Florida Children's Forum: enhances and improves the quality, affordability, and availability of child care and early education through a broad array of programs, services, and publications.		Children 0-5 and their families			Explored the potential use of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) monies to provide mental health services to children 0-5.	The potential use of TANF monies is explored to provide mental health services to children 0-5.		

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Florida's Association for Infant Mental Health: works on defining the need, investigating what interventions are most effective, and translating these research findings into public policy. The association also focuses on integrating infant mental health services into current programs throughout the state, building a cadre of infant mental health specialists, and establishing training opportunities for these specialists. The association also works on securing adequate and on-going funding to evaluate the long-term impacts of mental health in the community.		Children 0-5 and their families			Wrote grants to government sources and private foundations for funding to develop and provide infant mental health training.	Grants to government sources and private foundations are written for funding to develop and provide infant mental health training.		
Florida State University Center for Prevention and Early Intervention: focuses on maternal and child health and early childhood issues. Specifically, the center emphasizes infants and toddlers in the areas of school readiness, infant mental health, home visiting and quality childcare.		Children 0-5 and their families	Mental Health Training	Secure funding for training and mental health services for children 0-5 and their families.	Developed partnerships with the business community, children's services councils, county governments, and other community agencies to provide infant mental health training and services.	Partnerships are developed with the business community, children's services councils, county governments, and other community agencies to provide infant mental health training and services.		
Department of Health, Office of Infant, Maternal, and Reproductive Health: assists maternal and child health service providers by furnishing information and guidance on a number of maternal and child health issues.		Children 0-5 and their families			Secured funding for training and mental health services for children 0-5 and their families.	Funding for training and mental health services for children 0-5 and their families is secured.		
Department of Children and Families, Children's Mental Health Unit: offers services for children with emotional problems and mental illness. Florida's public-funded children's mental health system serves eligible children with serious emotional disturbances, children with emotional disturbances, and children at risk of emotional disturbances, within the amount of funds appropriated for these services.		Early care and education providers	Linking Early Care and Education Providers and Agencies to Resources	Early care and education providers and programs are linked to the statewide service system and community resources related to health and safety.	Educated Early Learning Coalitions, Agency for Workforce Innovation (AWI), Department of Education, Head Start, and other partners about medical home model and potential role of Early Childhood Education.	Early Learning Coalitions, Agency for Workforce Innovation (AWI), Department of Education, Head Start, and other partners are educated about medical home model and potential role of Early Childhood Education.		
Georgetown University Bright Futures: is a national health promotion initiative dedicated to the principle that every child deserves to be healthy and that optimal health involves a trusting relationship between the health professional, the child, the family, and the community as partners in health practice.		Early care and education providers			Early care and education providers and programs were linked to the statewide service system and community resources related to health and safety.	Early care and education providers and programs were linked to the statewide service system and community resources related to health and safety.		
Department of Education, Office of Early Learning: implements Florida's Voluntary Pre-kindergarten (VPK) Education Program.		Children 0 - 5	Availability of Early Care and Education	State policies support the availability of high quality early care and education.	Included National Health and Safety Performance Standards in early care and education program licensing requirements.	National Health and Safety Performance Standards are included in early care and education program licensing requirements.		
		Pregnant Women			Continued efforts to reduce the percent of women reporting tobacco use during and after pregnancy.	Efforts to reduce the percent of women reporting tobacco use during and after pregnancy are continued.		
		Families	Improving Access to Resources for Families	Families have access to the training and resources they need to support their child's overall development.	Promoted family awareness of healthy social emotional development in young children.	Family awareness of healthy social emotional development in young children is promoted.		
		Families			Families had access to the training and resources they needed to support their child's overall development.	Families had access to the training and resources they needed to support their child's overall development.		

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		Families	Improving Access to Services for Families	Develop community preventive and intervention services that are accessible and meet a range of family needs.	Implemented the Family Planning waiver program particularly focusing on teens.	The Family Planning waiver program is implemented, particularly focusing on teens.		
		Pregnant Women			Implemented HIV testing in labor and delivery settings.	HIV testing in labor and delivery settings is implemented.		
		Providers			Increased provider awareness of HIV testing offered at first prenatal visit.	Provider awareness of HIV testing offered at first prenatal visit is increased.		
		Families			Developed community preventive and intervention services that are accessible and meet a range of family needs.	Community preventive and intervention services that were accessible and met a range of family needs are developed.		
			Sustainability	Fund the update of the Infant Mental Health strategic plan.	Funded the update of the Infant Mental Health strategic plan.	The update of the Infant Mental Health strategic plan is funded.		
			Evaluation	Evaluate the effectiveness of the Bright Futures Screening Tool.	Evaluated the effectiveness of the Bright Futures Screening Tool.	The effectiveness of the Bright Futures Screening Tool is evaluated.		