

# Integrating Systems for Quality Improvement: Local, State, and Federal Policies

## A Panel Discussion

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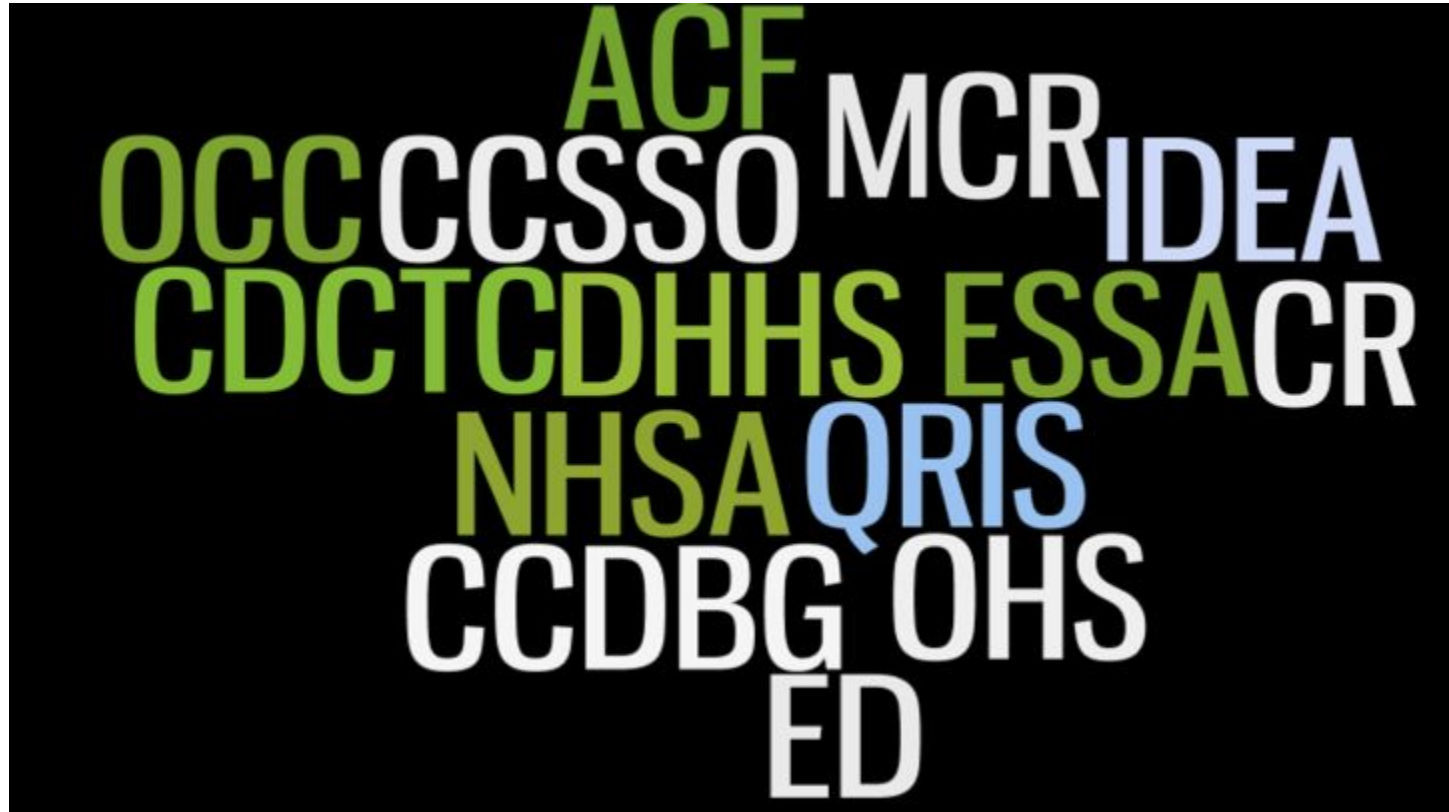
# Agenda

- Amy's intro:
  - Alphabet soup/patchwork quilt of a system
  - What is quality in ECE
  - The BIG 3 programs: all are intertwined at federal, state, local
    - Head Start, CCDBG, ESSA and PDG B-5
- Our Panelists
  - Jeff Capizzano, The Policy Equity Group
  - Chad Cantella, Texas Star Alliance
    - What does a quality improvement system look like in the age of coronavirus?
    - What does it look like as we reemerge, post-coronavirus? Will there be a more equitable system?
    - How can each level of government work to integrate programs/policies with others - federal, state, and local?

# What do you see?



# Alphabet Soup!



# An ECE System?




# What is quality in early childhood education?

- High-quality programs are grounded in positive relationships between children, their peers, and adults
- High-quality programs implement a data-driven approach to ensure continuous improvement for all students
- High-quality programs adhere to structural elements and best practices that are critical to producing positive child outcomes
- High-quality programs ensure school readiness and long-term success in career and life for all children

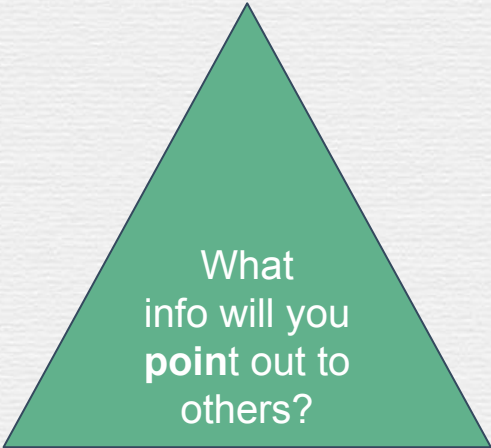
# Before we end...

Take a moment and commit to


- Create a vision
- Make a plan for the long term, and
- Move beyond the press of everyday responsibilities



What messages  
**squared** with you,  
what resonated?



What  
info will you  
**point** out to  
others?



What  
questions are  
still **circling** in  
your head?

# Thank you!

## For your time, attention, and participation!

