



**EARLY LEARNING
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Program Committee
Friday, April 14, 2023
9:00 – 11:00 am

Purpose: The purpose of the Program Committee is to provide professional supports and leadership to advance the quality of early learning programs in Collier, Glades, Hendry, and Lee Counties

Committee Members: Michele King (Golisano, ELC Board); Angela Anderson (Guadalupe Center); Damaris Boone (RCMA); Danna Breeden (Collier County Health Department and ELC Nurse); Rita Dellatore (Kid City – Board Member); Patricia Dominguez (Challenged Minds); Yara Duchesne (RCMA); JoAnne Fuciu (Lee Memorial Hospitals); Rodrigo Gamboa-Dominguez (Challenged Minds Learning Center); Ashley Houk (First Presbyterian Church Naples); Marie Liebensohn Morales (Lee Memorial Hospital); Ana Neuhauser (RCMA); Stephanie Rode (St. Andrew Catholic School); Shay Smith (Florida Dept. of Health); Kendra Stamp (EduCare); Michelle Starr (Collier County Public Schools).

Staff Members: Susan Block (CEO); Leona Adkins (CQO) Gilda Duran (COO); Cheryl Carpenter (Director Early Childhood); Bronwyn Gogia (Director of Screening and Assessment); Amanda Devariste (Managing Director – Naples office); Brenda Griffin (Director of Professional Development)

Agenda Items	Facilitator/Presenter	Suggested Time Frames
Welcome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michele King 	9:00
ELC Report Introduction of new CEO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Susan Block Melanie Stefanowicz 	9:00 – 9:15
Approval of Meeting Minutes for December 16, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michele King 	9:15 – 9:20
Grants Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leona Adkins 	9:20 - 9:35
Enrollments and Waitlist; Program updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gilda Duran 	9:35 – 9:55
Norovirus, COVID and other health concerns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Danna Breeden 	9:55 – 10:05
CLASS Assessment SR and VPK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cheryl Carpenter 	10:05 – 10:15
Child Assessment and ASQ updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bronwyn Gogia 	10:15 – 10:25
Literacy Buddies, Training updates, Provider Profiles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brenda Griffin 	10:25 – 10:40
Open Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michele King 	10:40 – 11:00
Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michele King 	11:00
Next Meeting	June 02, 2023	9:00 – 11:00

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