

Durham County Early Childhood Action Plan (ECAP) Scope of Work



		Deliverables	Responsible Party	Timeline
Partnerships &	1.	Identify ECAP Governing Body.	1. DCC & DCI	1. January 2020
Collaboration	2.	Conduct conversations with the leadership of Governing Body.	2. DCI	2. January/February 2020
	3.	Hire DCI Partner Coordinator/ECAP Project Manager.	3. DCI	3. February 2020
	4.	Convene Governing Body to confirm timeline, deliverables, identify shared outcomes/goals, ensure integration of other initiatives in the County, and assemble workgroups.	4. DCI & ECAP partners	4. February 2020
	5.	Develop ECAP charter, detailing roles/responsibilities of partners.	5. DCI	5. March 2020
	6.	Plan and carry out meetings of Governing Body and content- specific sub-committees.	6. DCI	6. On-going
	7.	Create structure by which organizations can sign on to ECAP and align to collective goals.	7. DCI & ECAP partners	7. April 2021
Needs Assessment &	1.	Complete capacity/needs assessment for the ECAP.		
Planning		 a. Conduct community and organizational surveys. 	1a. DCI & CCFP	1a. May 2020
		b. Identify the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats (SWOT) of Durham County's early childhood pipeline.	1b. DCI & ECAP partners	1b. May 2020
		c. Facilitate organizational and community focus groups, including community listening sessions.	1c. DCI & CCFP	1c. June 2020
		d. Complete ECAP Needs Assessment.	1d. DCI & CCFP	1d. August 2020
	2.	Develop recommendations/action steps and facilitate community listening session prior to release of the ECAP.	2. DCI & CCFP	2. January 2021
	3.	Identify and submit highest priority recommendations and action steps for consideration by Durham County for FY21-22 budget.	3. ECAP partners	3. January/February 2021
	4.	Complete <i>Grown in Durham: Durham County ECAP</i> report. Report will include strategies and recommendations, and organizations that are best positioned to lead implementation at scale.	4. DCI & ECAP partners	4. Draft: April 2021 Final draft: May 2021

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Evaluation & Reporting	Initiate conversations around an integrated data system to be utilized in Durham County.	1. DCI & ECAP partners	1. June 2020
	 Prioritize short-, intermediate-, and long-term outcomes related to the 10 ECAP goal areas, and additional areas if necessary. 	2. DCI & ECAP partners	2. August 2020
	3. Develop shared measures of success (goals and targets) for each recommended strategy.	3. DCI & ECAP partners	3. March 2021
	4. Provide in-person quarterly presentations to Durham County Commissioners with monthly check-ins with County staff.	4. DCI	4. On-going
Fundraising &	Develop communication and branding strategies.	1. DCI & ECAP partners	1. January 2021
Communication	2. Create engagement plan utilizing community voice.	2. DCI	2. January 2021
	3. Develop diversified funding strategy and plan to braid state, county, municipal, and philanthropic dollars to support the ECAP.	3. DCI & ECAP partners	3. March 2021
	4. Elected officials, partners, and community members release Durham County ECAP.	4. DCI & ECAP partners	4. June 2021