

**2022 EHDI Coordinator Meeting**  
**March 16 9:00am – 4:00pm MST**  
[ZOOM Link](#)

**Meeting Purpose**

The purpose of 2022 virtual EHDI Coordinator Meeting is to help EHDI Coordinators share information and experiences, learn about important updates from federal partners, and hear about new and revised tools geared to help EHDI Programs attain their program goals and objectives.

**Meeting Objectives**

1. Become better acquainted with other EHDI Coordinators and parent leaders.
2. Learn how to implement new or revised standardized tools/programs that assist with screening, diagnosis, and parent support.
3. Develop a draft work plan, in teams of coordinators and parent leaders, that supports parent engagement at the time of screening, diagnosis, and/or parent to parent support using the presented tools/programs.

**Meeting Attendance and Description**

All state/territory EHDI Coordinators (or designee) are invited to attend. Please invite a parent leader who has ongoing responsibilities for implementing shared EHDI family engagement and support activities. We anticipate two participants per state. All participants must [register](#) to attend the coordinator meeting.

The recent pandemic showed the strength that EHDI programs have to pivot and leverage resources while sustaining the focus on the families served within their state/territory. As an essential service, many programs were challenged to sustain a high-quality program that met pre-pandemic benchmarks with varying, and often diminished resources. Collaboratively, EHDI Coordinators, parent professionals, community-level stakeholders, and the NTRC and FL3 updated, refined, or developed four tools to support the foundation of EHDI and provide solutions for sustainability and quality improvement. Through educational presentations and robust round table discussions, attendees will have the opportunity to learn about and discuss implementation of the [Family EHDI](#) data project (FEHDI) development, [EHDI-PALS](#), the [Virtual Site Visit \(VSV\)](#) project and the [Newborn Hearing Screening Training Curriculum](#) (NHSTC). These tools are designed to reduce your workload and to help you meet your current grant objectives.

**Roundtable Assignments** (you will stay in the same roundtable throughout the meeting)

Room	Programs	Captioning link for roundtables
1	Vermont, Maine, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Massachusetts	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B1">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B1</a>
2	New York, New Jersey, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B2">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B2</a>
3	Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, DC	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B3">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B3</a>
4	Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Florida	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B4">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B4</a>
5	Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B5">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B5</a>
6	Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B6">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B6</a>
7	Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B7">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B7</a>
8	Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, Utah, Colorado	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B8">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B8</a>
9	Nevada, Arizona, California	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B9">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B9</a>
10	Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Alaska	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B10">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B10</a>
11	Hawaii, Guam, American Samoa, Northern Mariana Islands, Micronesia, Palau, Marshall Islands	<a href="https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B11">https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=EHDI2022-B11</a>

**Meeting Agenda** (in Mountain Standard Time)

All materials for this meeting are available [here](#)

9:00-9:05	Welcome and Meeting Orientation: Alyson Ward, NCHAM
9:05-9:30	Introductions and Icebreaker: Alyson Ward, NCHAM
9:30-9:45	HRSA/MCHB Welcome and Updates: MCHB EHDI Team
9:45-10:15	VSV Presentation: Randi Winston, NCHAM, Stacy Jordan, VT EHDI, and Ginger Mullin, Coordinator, IL Participant experience: Linda Hazard, Coordinator, VT Resource Links: <a href="#">2019 JCIH Position Statement</a> <a href="#">VSV Webpage</a>
10:15-10:25	Stretch break and transition
10:25-11:05	VSV Roundtables Questions to consider: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Who in your state would take the lead for the VSV?</li> <li>2. What is the best way to approach hospitals?</li> <li>3. When during the year or grant cycle would be optimal for implementation?</li> <li>4. What VSV materials are you most likely to use and how would you implement these materials?</li> <li>5. How would you measure and report success of the VSV in your program?</li> <li>6. What technical support would be required from the NTRC, for your state to implement the VSV?</li> </ol>
11:05-11:15	VSV Share Out Share out and send follow up high-level notes
11:15-11:30	FEHDI Presentation: Vicki Hunting, FL3 and Brandt Culpepper, Coordinator, GA Participant experience: Carrie Balian, IL, GBYS Resource Links: <a href="#">FEHDI Webinar and Resources</a>
11:30-12:00	FEHDI Roundtables Questions to consider: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. How did you establish baseline? How are you measuring success?</li> <li>2. What are your experiences with data sharing between EHDI and your family-based organization(s)?</li> <li>3. What opportunities or challenges have you experienced in tracking enrollment into family-to-family support?</li> <li>4. What capacity is needed in your EHDI Program and/or family-based organization(s) to fully implement FEHDI data tracking?</li> </ol>
12:00-12:10	FEHDI Share Out Verbal share out and send follow up high-level notes
12:10-12:30	CDC: Xidong Deng CDC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FEHDI Discussion</li> <li>• Workgroup and committee progress</li> <li>• EHDI EI outcomes updates</li> </ul>
12:30-12:40	EHDI Reauthorization Presentation: Josh Krantz, ASHA

12:40-1:35	Lunch (sign off ZOOM)
1:35-1:55	EHDI-PALS Presentation: Randi Winston, NCHAM and Vicki Hunting, FL3 Participant experience: Tammy O’Hollearn, Coordinator, IA and Brian Shakespeare, Coordinator, ID Resources Links: <a href="#">EHDI-PALS Home Page</a> <a href="#">Family Resources Home Page</a>
1:55-2:35	EHDI-PALS Roundtables Questions to consider: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Are you using EHDI-PALS in your state?</li> <li>2. What are some strategies to increase awareness and use of EHDI-PALS among audiologists, EHDI-related professionals, and other stakeholders?</li> <li>3. Should we consider ways for state EHDI Program’s to recognize pediatric audiology facilities that adhere to best practice?</li> <li>4. How might you utilize the family resource sections in your state?</li> <li>5. How will you measure the success of using EHDI-PALS in your program?</li> </ol>
2:35 -2:45	EHDI PALS Share Out Verbal share out and send follow up high-level notes
2:45-2:55	Stretch break and transition
2:55-3:15	NHSTC Presentation: Randi Winston, NCHAM, Stacy Jordan, VT EHDI, and Ginger Mullin, Coordinator, IL Participant experience: Stephanie McVicar, Coordinator, UT Resource Links: <a href="#">NHSTC Webpage</a> <a href="#">Scripts and FAQs when communicating with families</a>
3:15-3:45	NHSTC Roundtables Question to consider: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. How are other states using the NHSTC?</li> <li>2. How would using the NHSTC benefit my EHDI Program?</li> <li>3. What are some strategies to encourage hospitals to use the NHSTC?</li> <li>4. What challenges have you experienced with hospitals or screening programs implementing the NHSTC? How have you addressed those challenges?</li> <li>5. How will you measure success of using the NHSTC in your program?</li> </ol>
3:45-3:55	NHSTC Share Out Share out and send follow up high-level notes
3:55-4:00	Wrap up and Evaluation

### **Additional TA for Projects**

NTRC staff recognize that some of these resources may be new to you. Therefore, the NTRC has worked with the resource developers in holding topic-specific Q&A sessions that will be held in the months after the EHDI Conference.

Topic	Date	ZOOM Link
VSV Q&A	April 20, 3ET	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89909352760?pwd=SUZsKzczQnNnTkdlIdDF1YjNzNlRyUT09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89909352760?pwd=SUZsKzczQnNnTkdlIdDF1YjNzNlRyUT09</a>
FEHDI Q&A	May 18, 3ET	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81316335056?pwd=VzVCYzB6TXdzSnIxQ0lUWzhScVdFZz09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81316335056?pwd=VzVCYzB6TXdzSnIxQ0lUWzhScVdFZz09</a>
EHDI-PALS Q&A	June 15, 3ET	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89570393714?pwd=MlB4UjNPQytDTGRLUEk3MUtiUjhyQT09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89570393714?pwd=MlB4UjNPQytDTGRLUEk3MUtiUjhyQT09</a>
NHSTC Q&A	July 20, 3ET	<a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89300193778?pwd=V2FndnRkNHcxZDh6cS8lOU4rSWF4UT09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89300193778?pwd=V2FndnRkNHcxZDh6cS8lOU4rSWF4UT09</a>

### **HRSA EHDI Project Officer Office Hours at the 2022 EHDI Annual Meeting**

HRSA Project Officers will be available to meet with their grantees on Monday, March 14 from 11am-1pm MT/1-3pm ET and Tuesday, March 15 from 9-11am MT/11am-1pm ET. Schedule a meeting with your project officers by clicking on the links below. A zoom link for these meetings will be sent to you prior to the EHDI Conference.

[Sandra Battiste](#)

[Shelby Graves](#)

[Hannah Kotz](#)

### **Open EHDI Program Discussions**

These informal discussion sessions are designed to facilitate peer-to-peer conversation about salient topics in EHDI Programs (e.g., deaf mentorships, DHH adult to family support, early childhood screening, diversity and inclusions plans, IS systems). These discussions will take place:

- Tuesday, March 15 10:15-10:40
- Tuesday, March 15 2:20-2:45

If you have any questions about the coordinators meeting, please contact Alyson Ward ([alyson.ward@usu.edu](mailto:alyson.ward@usu.edu)).