

# EDUCARE NEW ORLEANS

Kingsley House



## Early Head Start - Child Care Partnerships

**150**   
**CHILDREN**  
directly served

**9**   
**PARTNERS**

 **1,500**  
**CHILDREN**  
indirectly served

 **50%**  
**DHS**  
subsidy

### FUNDING SOURCES

- EHS
- State CCAP

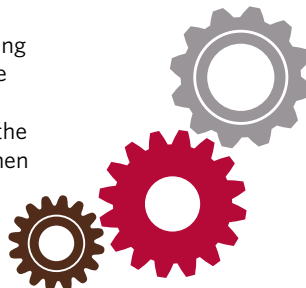


### BIGGEST SUCCESS

Professional development across the CC partners' EHS and non-EHS classes; increased parent engagement across all sites; facility enhancements and improvements to the CCP sites; increased staff credentialing across the CCP sites; continually improving CLASS scores across all sites; and positive outcomes for children and families across all sites.

### BIGGEST CHALLENGE

Initial challenges at the CCP sites included major need for facility improvements, equipment upgrades and classroom supplies/furnishing replacement. CC partners also wanted more money per child to come directly from the grantee (they didn't fully understand that with the combination of federal and state CCAP funding, they were receiving the full rate and, instead, wanted the grantee to pay them the total and then the grantee would pull down the CCAP funds). Were also challenges initially with disability enrollments and the non-federal match. Currently, the biggest challenge is that some CC partners have high teacher turnover (at least 2 partner sites).



### LOCATION



New Orleans  
Louisiana

Urban  
Suburban

### GRANT AWARD ROUNDS

**1**

### PROGRAM STRUCTURE

Kingsley House, the management partner for Educare New Orleans, is an EHS/CC Partnerships grantee for 150 infants and toddlers in Orleans and Jefferson parishes. The children are placed in 9 private child care partner sites throughout both parishes.