EI/ECSE Standard 1 Component 1.4 Overview & Speaker Notes

Intended Audience:

Overview for Facilitators:

ECPC has developed an anchor presentation for each of the Initial Practice-Based Professional Preparation Standards for Early Interventionists/Early Childhood Special Educators (EI/ECSE). The components under each standard are presented separately. The materials are designed for an in-service professional development (PD) program but can be used in a pre-service teacher preparation course. This resource will increase professionals' ability to address each of the EI/ECSE standard and components. Additional materials for each standard can be found on the ECPC Website: <u>Curriculum Module | The Early Childhood Personnel Center (ecpcta.org)</u>

Speaker Notes

The speaker notes provide a narrative and activities for each slide. You will see speaker notes for most of the slides within the slide deck. The notes provide additional details about the information on a particular slide, including the context for the information and key points. The notes are a guide, and speakers should feel free to modify these as needed. Please note the following:

• The narrative is a sample script for the presenter. Although you may read it verbatim, speaker notes are intended as a guide for the presenter, and you may modify them as needed.

Materials Required for face to face

- 1. Share the outline with timelines for the training (build in breaks)
- 2. Conduct an opening activity (introductions/ice breaker)
- 3. Computers or tablets with internet access for participants (if possible)
- 4. Handouts
- 5. Projector with audio capable for playing video with speakers
- 6. Presentation slides with speaker notes
- 7. Develop an evaluation tool for all attendees (e.g., continuous improvement activity)

Materials Required for virtual

- 1. Distribute the link to the online platform in advance
- 2. Share the outline with timelines for the training (build in breaks)
- 3. Conduct an opening activity (introductions/ice breaker)
- 4. Determine how participants will receive handouts and materials, on the cloud, using a storage platform (e.g., dropbox, google, etc.)
- 5. Platform to share presentation (e.g., zoom, teams, etc.) with polling questions prepared in advance and breakout room capability
- 6. Upload or send handouts in advance or through platform (insert through chat)
- 7. Download videos ahead of time to prepare for low bandwidth from slide deck

- 8. Share screen capability (be sure to enable sound for videos)
- 9. Develop an evaluation tool for all attendees (e.g., continuous improvement activity)

Objectives for Standard 1, Component 1.4:

After participating in this professional learning opportunity, participants will be able to:

- Identify characteristics and etiologies of conditions that may cause developmental delays and/or disabilities
- Describe individual differences within and across the range of conditions likely to cause developmental delays and/or disabilities
- Describe the impact of developmental delays and/or disabilities on learning and development
- Describe the impact of developmental delays and/or disabilities on: assessment, curriculum, intervention and/or instruction

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	Early Learning & Development Theory	
	& Philosophy	
	Initial Practice Based Professional Standards for Early	
	Interventionists/Early Childhood Special Educators	
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	Candidates understand the impact of different theories and philosophies	
	of early learning and development on assessment, curriculum, instruction,	
	and intervention decisions. Candidates apply knowledge of normative	
	developmental sequences and variations, individual differences within and	
	across the range of abilities, including developmental delays and	
	disabilities, and other direct and indirect contextual features that support	
	or constrain children's development and learning. These contextual factors	
	as well as social, cultural, and linguistic diversity are considered when	
	facilitating meaningful learning experiences and individualizing intervention and instruction across contexts.	
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	 Candidates demonstrate an understanding of 	
	characteristics, etiologies, and individual differences	
	within and across the range of abilities, including	
	developmental delays and disabilities, their potential	
	impact on children's early development and learning,	
	and implications for assessment, curriculum,	
	instruction, and intervention.	
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	cause developmental delays and/or disabilities	
	 Describe individual differences within and across the range of 	
	conditions likely to cause developmental delays and/or disabilities	
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	on learning and development	
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	on: assessment, curriculum, intervention and/or instruction	
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Slide 5	Discussing Etiologies and Conditions That Impact Learning and Development • Children across abilities must be seen as fundamentally competent rather than flawed or deficient • Value is not defined by a set of skills but by who they are • Intervention provided not to erase an essential "deficiency" but to promote optimal participation in all aspects of home, school, and community	We will be talking today about etiologies and conditions that can pose barriers to a child's access to learning opportunities and full participation. As we speak, we always want to be mindful that a category or a diagnosis never represents who a child is, or describes his essential value as a human being in his own context.
Slide 6	 Early Learning Babies are born learning Young children learn through play, exploration of their environment Interactions with adults and peers are important to development Children benefit from a rich learning environment in their homes and communities 	We know that babies of abilities are born ready to learn, even when they have significant disabilities. They use the unique abilities they possess to pay attention to and explore the world. One of the most important ways all children learn are through interactions with their primary caregivers, as well as other adults, siblings, and peers. Children of all abilities need interactions with others to learn about the social world and acquire social gestures and language – powerful tools that they will need as they grow.
Slide 7	 Factors That Influence Learning and Development Many factors influence how children develop Genetics Environmental influences Prenatal and antenatal influences Early experiences 	 Many factors can influence how children develop Delays may be influences by genetic conditions (fragile X, down syndrome) or due to complications during pregnancy and birth Many conditions that constrain learning and development are a result of many factors, including environmental toxins, maternal substance use, in utero exposure to infectious agents, maternal malnutrition, and maternal exposure to toxic levels of stress. Science is still finding out about how many conditions that can constrain learning and development develop, for example cerebral palsy, or autism spectrum disorder We also know that highly adverse experiences in the first months and years of life can dramatically impact developmental outcomes.

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Silue 8	Genetics and Environment: Epigenetic Factors	
	 Environmental factors can influence the way genes are expressed 	
	 Inherited vulnerabilities can be informed by multiple genes, then influenced by environment before/after birth 	
	May be a variable in conditions of unknown etiologies, e.g., autism, autoimmune diseases, mental health conditions E C 2 C	
Slide 9	- Congenital Abnormalities	Let's begin by thinking about congenital disorders. The word <i>congenital</i> refers to that
	 Characteristics present at birth that affect appearance, development, or function 	fact that the condition developed before birth.
	 Caused by issues during the fetus's development before birth 	
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Slide 10	Causes of Congenital Abnormalities	
	Chromosome abnormalities	
	Chromosomes are missing or duplicated	
	Single-gene abnormalities	
	Autosomal dominant inheritance	
	Autosomal recessive inheritance	
	X-linked conditions	
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Silue II	Causes of Congenital Abnormalities	
	Conditions during pregnancy	
	Certain maternal illnesses	
	Chronic maternal conditions	
	Maternal alcohol or substance use	
	Eating raw or uncooked foods	
	Certain medications	
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Slide 12	Examples: Inherited Congenital Abnormalities • Down Syndrome • Fragile X Syndrome	
Slide 13	 Condition caused by having extra copies of genes on the 21st chromosome Extra gene change development during pregnancy and continue to have effects throughout an individual's lifetime 	Down Syndrome is an example of a condition that is genetically determined
Slide 14	 Down Syndrome Continued Increased risk of medical conditions: congenital heart defects, respiratory and hearing problems, childhood leukemia, thyroid conditions All people with Down syndrome experience cognitive delays, but the effect ranges from mild to moderate 	Quality educational programs, stimulating home environment, good health care and positive support enable people with Down syndrome to lead fulfilling and productive lives
Slide 15	Common cause of intellectual disability Changes occur in the genetic material in each cell of the body	Another example of a genetically determined congenital condition is Fragile X Syndrome.

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Slide 16	Characteristics of Fragile X Syndrome	
	characteristics of Fragile X Syndrome	
	Delays in walking, talking, or toilet training	
	Learning disabilities	
	Ear infections	
	Trouble sleeping	
	Seizures	
	Symptoms of autism	
	Sensory difficulties	
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Slide 17		Have groups meet and review their assigned
Shuc 17	Activity	websites, and formulate ideas about how
	Break into 2 groups	each of these conditions would inform plans
	One group will review the facts about <u>Down</u>	for assessment, curriculum, instruction and
	Syndrome_and the other Fragile X Syndrome	intervention depending on the population
	 Identify specific implications for assessment, 	they serve (e.g., Part C, Part B, early
	curriculum, instruction, and intervention for young	elementary school age) – and report out to
	children with these conditions in EI/ECSE practice	the larger group when they are done.
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		x/fragile-x-101/
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Silue 18	Conditions of Unknown Etiology	
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	 Many conditions that impact development appear 	
	to be multiply-determined	
	Research continues to explore the etiology of many	
	developmental disorders, including autism	
	spectrum disorder and other neurodevelopmental	
	conditions, Cerebral Palsy, and many others	
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Slide 19	-	An example of a common condition of
	Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)	unknown etiology is Autism Spectrum
	Core differences in:	Disorder (ASD).
	Social communication/interaction	
	Restrictive, repetitive patterns of behavior	ASD is a common neurodovalonmental
	• Almost half of the children with ASD have	ASD is a common neurodevelopmental
	average/above average intellectual ability	disorder that is present from birth with
		reported prevalence in the United States of
	 Early intervention improves long-term outcomes for all levels of severity 	1 in 59 children (approximately 1.7%). Core
		deficits are identified in 2 domains: social
	inty Ordered Provent Gater www.apple.org	communication/interaction and restrictive,
		repetitive patterns of behavior.
		Symptoms are always present in the early
		developmental period (but may not become

		fully manifest until social demands create a barrier to full participation in relationships, routines, activities, instruction). Symptoms cause clinically significant impairment in social, occupational, or other important areas of current functioning. These disturbances are not better explained by intellectual disability (intellectual developmental delay. Intellectual disability and ASD frequently co-occur; to make comorbid diagnoses of ASD and intellectual disability, social communication should be below that expected for the general developmental level. Many autistic people—especially those who have intact language and no learning difficulties such that they can self- advocate—have adopted the neurodiversity framework, coining the term "neurotypical" to describe the majority brain and seeing autism as an example of diversity in the set of all possible diverse brains, none of which is "normal" and all of which are simply different. Many adults with autism prefer to be
		Many adults with autism prefer to be referred to as "an autistic adult" vs people first language such as "an adult with autism"
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	ASD: Identification and Prevalence	
	• 1 in 54 children	
	4X more boys than girls identified	
	 Although ASD can be identified as early as 18 months or earlier, the average age of diagnosis is ~ 	
	4 years of age	
	Most parents/caregivers notice a problem by 36	
	months of age	

Slide 21	Signs and Symptoms of ASD Early signs of ASD can include but are not limited to: • Reduced eye contact/does not prefer to look at faces • Rarely or does not point/show to share focus of interest • Delayed onset of verbal language	(Facilitator may choose to visit the Autism Navigator website link in the slide to look at video examples of typically developing toddlers vs. those who have ASD, and review their many resources for families).
	 Unusual ways of moving hands, fingers, body Develops rituals such as lining things up, repeating 	https://autismnavigator.com/what-is-autism/
	things	
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Slide 22	Intervention Targets: ASD	
	Nonverbal communication/joint attention	
	 Social engagement – increased interactions 	
	 Social initiations and responses 	
	Verbal language	
	Challenging behaviors	
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	Interventions and Supports	
	Behavioral therapy For young children: Naturalistic Developmental Behavioral Interventions (NDBis) such as the Early Start Derver Model	
	Speech-language Therapy	
	Occupational Therapy Early Childhood Special Educator	
	 Supports for the family and children at home and in inclusive childcare/school settings 	
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Slide 24	Conditions of Unknown Etiology: Cerebral Palsy (CP) Most common disability affecting motor control Caused by abnormal brain development or injury Can be mild, moderate, or severe	Another condition of uncertain etiology is Cerebral Palsy (CP). Cerebral palsy is caused by abnormal development of the brain or damage to the developing brain that affects a child's ability to control his or her muscles.
	• A lifelong condition	There are several possible causes of the abnormal development or damage. People used to think that CP was mainly caused by lack of oxygen during the birth process. Now, scientists think that this causes only a small number of CP cases.
		The brain damage that leads to CP can happen before birth, during birth, within a

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		month after birth, or during the first years of
		a child's life, while the brain is still
		developing.
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		(CDC: 11 Things to Know About Cerebral
		Palsy)
		https://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/cp/features/cer
		ebral-palsy-11-things.html
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	Risk factors for CP	
	Low birthweight/prematurity/multiple births	
	 Infections during pregnancy 	
	• Jaundice	
	Maternal medical conditions	
	Birth complications	
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Slide 20	Cerebral Palsy, Continued	
	Every child is different and ongoing screening and	
	care is important	
	Learning difficulties	
	Seizures/epilepsy	
	Vision difficulties	
	Hearing loss	
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	Visit the CDC Website: 11 Things to Know about	https://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/cp/index.html
	Cerebral Palsy	https://www.cdc.gov/hebddd/ep/hidex.hthii
	 Explore each tab and identify information you think will 	
	be helpful to know in your work with young children	
	with CP.	
	What accommodations/adaptations might be needed	
	to support full access to learning at home? At school?	
	www.ccpit.org	

Slide 28	Conditions Associated with Maternal Substance Use	https://pediatrics.aappublications.org/conten t/pediatrics/146/5/e2020029074.full.pdf
	 Infants chronically exposed to opioids in utero are often born with <u>Neonatal Opioid Withdrawal</u> <u>Syndrome</u> (NOWS) 	
	 Long-term opioid use has also been linked to preterm birth, stillbirth, and specific birth defects 	
Slide 29	Neonatal Opioid Withdrawal Syndrome • Central nervous system irritability • High pitched continuous crying • Decreased sleep • Tremors, sneezing, sweating • Increased muscle tone • Seizures • Feeding difficulties • Increased respiratory rate	Babies who are born withdrawing from opioids are not easy to care for (read list). These symptoms are often present at birth and are often treated pharmacologically. Most recently, evidence suggests that infants withdrawing from opioids at birth do best when they are cared for, fed, and comforted by their mothers in a rooming-in context, and have a much lower need for pharmacological intervention.
		Mothers, who are often not feeling well themselves, need a lot of support in order to care for a child – if she remains in custody. Support for mothers in this situation needs to be intentionally planned for in the hospital, and continued well after discharge.
Slide 30	Neonatal Opioid Withdrawal Syndrome	https://www.chcf.org/blog/opioid- dependent-newborns-get-new-treatment/
	 Mom is medicine: Eat, Sleep Console Breastfeeding encouraged when mothers are stable for > 90 days Early bonding improves outcomes for both Mothers do better when stigma is removed Early intervention mitigates risk for developmental delays and disability 	Infants with opioid exposure are at increased risk for developmental delay and disability. In addition to developmental, behavioral, and mental health screenings by the primary care pediatrician, infants with substance exposure should be referred to early intervention services, and developmental screenings in a NICU developmental assessment clinic or equivalent should be considered. Early intervention services are often available in areas of the United States as part C of the
		Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. (Facilitator may choose to have attendees watch Dr. Matthew Grossman of the Yale

		Medical School talk in the link about the
		use of the Eat, Sleep, Console approach to
		supporting infants withdrawing from
		opioids, and report out on how this
		information may inform their work with
		families.
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	Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Disorders	
	 Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD): variety of 	
	disorders that can occur when a pregnant woman	
	drinks alcohol	
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	Signs/Symptoms of FASD	
	May demonstrate:	
	Abnormal facial features	
	 Vision or hearing problems 	
	Hyperactive behavior	
	 Difficulty with attention 	
	Learning disabilities	
	Speech and language delays	
	Poor coordination	
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Slide 33	FASD: Intervention and Protective	
	Factors	
	• Early diagnosis and intervention to support healthy	
	self-regulation and attention skills, social-	
	communication, and cognitive development	
	 Individualized curriculum and instruction geared 	
	toward functional and inclusive outcomes	
	Stable home environments	
	Supportive communities	
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	www.copids.org	

Slide 34	Activity Watch Alex's Success Story on the next slide before discussing the following questions; • What adaptations and accommodations were developed by Alex's team to optimize his participation and learning in school? • How did these support his ability to self-regulate and remain engaged in learning routines? • How did his teachers include Alex's family in everyday educational planning?	Facilitator can ask the group how these strategies might be generalized to the populations they work with.
Slide 35	Watch <u>Alex's Success Story</u>	Facilitator can ask the group how these strategies might be generalized to the populations they work with. <u>https://www.fasdoutreach.ca/resources/all/a/</u> <u>alexs-success-story</u>
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Slide S7	Signs of ID in Young Children	
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	Meet global milestones later than other children	
	Difficulty in acquiring communications skills	
	Difficulty interpreting and applying new	
	information	
	Difficulty with adaptive skills/tasks of daily living	
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Silue So	ID: Risk Factors	Risk factors include genetic syndromes like Down Syndrome, brain malformations,
		environmental influences like alcohol or
	 Intellectual disabilities can have a variety of causes 	toxins, labor and delivery-related issues,
	Hereditary disorders (phenylketonuria (PKU)	traumatic brain injury, infections, seizure
	 Early alterations in the embryo's development 	disorders, social deprivation, and more.
	Exposure to toxic substances or infections in utero	disorders, social deprivation, and more.
	 Low oxygen at birth, traumatic brain injury Early social deprivation 	See:
		https://childmind.org/guide/intellectual-
	E C P C	development-disorder/
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Shuc 55	Supporting Children with ID	
	Support family stability	
	Promote adult and peer responsiveness and warm	
	nurturing relationships	
	 Implement intentional sequencing of learning activities 	
	Create an individualized and supportive environmental	
	structure to ensure inclusion in everyday environments	
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	<u>National Fragile X Foundation</u>	<u>x/fragile-x-101/</u>
	Autism Navigator: Early Signs of Autism	
	<u>Centers for Disease Control: 11 Things to Know about</u>	https://autismnavigator.com/what-is-autism/
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	California Health Care Foundation: <u>Opioid-</u> <u>Dependent Newborns Get New Treatment: Mom</u> <u>Instead of Morphine</u> , 2019	
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