

**Webb County Head Start/Early Head Start/Early Head Start Child Care Partnership
&
Yolanda Rodriguez, MS. ED.**

Educational Services Agreement

Yolanda Rodriguez Educational Consultant agrees to be available as a professional resource to the Webb County Commissioners' Court to assure that the delivery of educational services to Head Start/Early Head Start children and families is in compliance with federal, state, and local laws and regulations. Through training and technical assistance and other forms of support, **Yolanda Rodriguez**, Educational Consultant will assist with the design, implementation, and coordination of educational activities, the improvement of instructional operations and performance, and the development and realization of educational priorities and improvement initiatives.

It is the intent of this agreement to enable Webb County Commissioners' court to maintain the Head Start/Early Head Start Core Values (related to education component) in governance activities. The term of this agreement shall be from September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2018. The Head Start/Early Head Start Core Values related to the education component include commitments to:

- Establish and maintain a supportive learning environment for children, parents, and staff, in which the process of enhancing awareness, refining skills, and increasing understanding are valued and promoted.
- Recognize that the Head Start/Early Head Start community-children, families, and staff-have roots in many cultures. Head Start/Early Head Start families and staff working together as a team can effectively promote respectful, sensitive, and proactive approaches to diversity issues.
- Understand that the empowerment of families occurs when program governance is a responsibility shared by families, governing bodies, and staff, and when ideas and opinions of families are heard and respected.
- Respect the importance of all aspects of an individual's development including social, emotional, cognitive, and physical growth.
- Build a community in which each child and adult is treated as an individual while at the same time, a sense of belonging to the group is reinforced.
- Develop a continuum of care, education, and services that provide stable, uninterrupted support to families and children during and after their Head Start experience.

AGREED:

Educational Consultant

Date

Aliza F. Oliveros, Executive Head Start Director

Date

COUNTY OF WEBB

Hon. Tano E. Tijerina
Webb County Judge

Date

ATTEST:

Margie Ramirez Ibarra
Webb County Clerk

Date

Marco Montemayor
Webb County Attorney

Date

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