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## SUMMIT UPDATE

The 2015 Child Health, Education, and Care Summit will be held at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel in Sacramento on February 10-12, 2015.

First 5 California is the lead agency for this Summit in partnership with the following state departments or agencies:

- California Department of Education
- California Health and Human Services Agency
- California Department of Public Health
- California Department of Social Services
- California Department of Developmental Services
- California Department of Veteran's Affairs
- California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

The Summit, which includes a Pre-Summit, will consist of three full days. The one-day Pre-Summit will have pre-determined workshops and training sessions, whereas the main Summit will consist of keynote speakers, sessions, and workshops based on submitted and approved presentation proposals.

## BACKGROUND

In 1998, the California Children and Families Act (Act) was enacted to promote, support, and improve the early development of children from the prenatal stage to five years of age. It is the intent of the Act to facilitate the creation and implementation of an integrated, comprehensive, and collaborative system of information and services to enhance optimal early childhood development and to ensure children are ready to enter school.

In the administration of the Act, Health and Safety Code Section 130125(f) requires First 5 California to provide technical assistance to county commissions in adopting and implementing county strategic plans related to early childhood development.

The content and focus of the Summit is aligned with First 5 California's Strategic Plan, *Objective 2.2, Resource Exchange and Stewardship*: "Strategically fund and co-fund, align resources, facilitate the exchange of information and best practices, and seek new opportunities to maximize positive impact for children prenatal through age 5 and their families."

We anticipate approximately 800 participants at the Summit, representing preschool, infant/toddler child care, social workers, foster care, military families, higher education, administrators, parents, advocates, philanthropists, and elected officials. The intent is for counties to send county-level teams to the Summit who will represent as many of these local groups as possible. In doing so, both county- and state-level networking will be enhanced, and services to our common target audiences will be better focused and less duplicative.

The Summit organizers and supporters represent a broad coalition of State agencies or statewide organizations that support young children's health, learning, and care in California. These groups have come together to find common ground on best practices and policies that will prepare our youngest children to be healthy, well educated, and successful. We are further committed to energizing and coordinating our mutual efforts to maximize children's outcomes.

### **PRESENTATION PROPOSALS**

First 5 California received 80 presentation proposals for sessions and workshops. First 5 California partner agencies staff are currently evaluating session proposals to serve the three focus areas of the Summit: Poverty, the Impact of Trauma, and Brain Science.

### **KEYNOTES AND SPEAKERS**

Neera Tanden, President of the Center for American Progress in Washington, D.C., and a frequent panelist on CNN newscasts; and Dr. Nadine Burke Harris, CEO and Founder of the Center for Youth Wellness in San Francisco have been confirmed as keynote speakers. Invitations have also been extended to additional speakers that are pending a response.

### **HOTEL GUESTROOMS**

Sacramento's DoubleTree by Hilton and the Hilton Arden Way on-line reservations system was opened last week for Summit participants. Web links to the hotels' Summit webpages are accessible through the First 5 California Summit webpage.

### **SUMMIT REGISTRATION**

The target date for opening registration is mid-November. Attendees may register for the Pre-Summit only, the Summit only, or both.

The following table shows the registration categories and rates:

<b>Summit Registration – February 10-12, 2015</b>	<b>Rate</b>
Pre-Summit Only	\$100
Pre-Summit and Summit – Early Bird	\$300
Pre-Summit and Summit – Standard	\$350
Summit Only – Early Bird	\$200
Summit Only – Standard	\$250
Summit Only – On-Site	\$275

**TENTATIVE SUMMIT SCHEDULE**

<b>Pre-Summit Schedule</b>	
Tuesday, February 10	
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Workshop or Training Sessions
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Break
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Workshop or Training Sessions
2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Break
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Workshop or Training Sessions

<b>Summit Schedule – Day 1</b>	
Wednesday, February 11	
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Opening Keynote Address
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Session 1
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Session 2
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Break
2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Session 3
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Break
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Afternoon Keynote Address
5:45 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.	<i>Reception-contingent upon sponsorship commitment</i>

<b>Summit Schedule – Day 2</b>	
Thursday, February 12	
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Morning Keynote Address
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Plenary Session – City Panel
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Session 4
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Break
2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Plenary Session – Closing Panel
3:45 p.m.	Adjourn