

Tammy Wetjen-Kestersen –
Utilized with great success – more than 90%+ success
Parents as Teachers – ASQ – Ages and Stages Questionnaire
ASQ – SE - Ages and Stages Questionnaire --- Social Emotional
Early Access throughout AEA can provide Services
Children in Early Childhood Special Ed – 3+

Chris Kivett-Berry –
CART programs – Linn and Benton /Iowa - Evidence based – support for Childcare providers - can
implement environmental changes, assistance with transitions.
Preschool expulsion rate reduction program.

Infant and EC Mental Health Endorsement
<http://promotingmentalhealthiowa.org/imh-endorsement/>

Head Start –

First Five – HACAP – Dept of Public Health

PBIS – 60 people getting trained on Positive Behavioral Interventions Supports
Available through HACAP – PACES program

PCIT is Parent Child Interaction Therapy

TIES program – **Teaching Interventions to Empower and Strengthen Families (TIES)**

TIES is a FREE early intervention program targeting children 18 months to five years of age.

https://clas.uiowa.edu/nrcfcp/iowa-project-launch?fbclid=IwAR00I1q0iZhcHCYaqFvlu6C3TRzqely0ZCpJn_nKWpeO4g2ULeDOTISMZu4

From Melissa Paulsen - Life Connections to Everyone: 10:18 AM
Theraplay is also an excellent parent-child treatment model that is attachment based.

Linda Duffy –
Diagnosis is hard to get – referring to CDD at the U of I – lengthy wait and can be expensive. AEA's are
not doing the psychologicals.
GAP – Access to Psychological evaluations – quality can vary by funding stream – private insurance vs
medicaid

Funding of guardianships for children – legal fees for the attorneys. This can be a barrier when the
caregivers are seeking healthcare or psychiatric services.

Maternal, Child and Adolescent Health – Title 5 services --- through IDPH --- Johnson County Public Health – Debbie Ackerman

Pregnant women, children and adolescents (new)

Tasked to take an assessment of the community and find out what unmet needs might be.

From Chris K-B ECI Linn to Everyone: 10:42 AM

Summit partner ideas: 1st Five, MCAH providers, AEA/Early Access, CCR&R, ECI, Decat, CPPC, Rhonda Rairden-Nelson (IDPH) re: Project Launch, Craig Meskimen @ TIEs/UnityPoint. Feel free to reach out to me directly for contact info: chris.kivett-berry@linncounty.org

Next meeting – A Wednesday in June will be identified and sent out.

From Tammy Wetjen-Kesterson to Everyone: 10:46 AM

Only the 1st or 4th