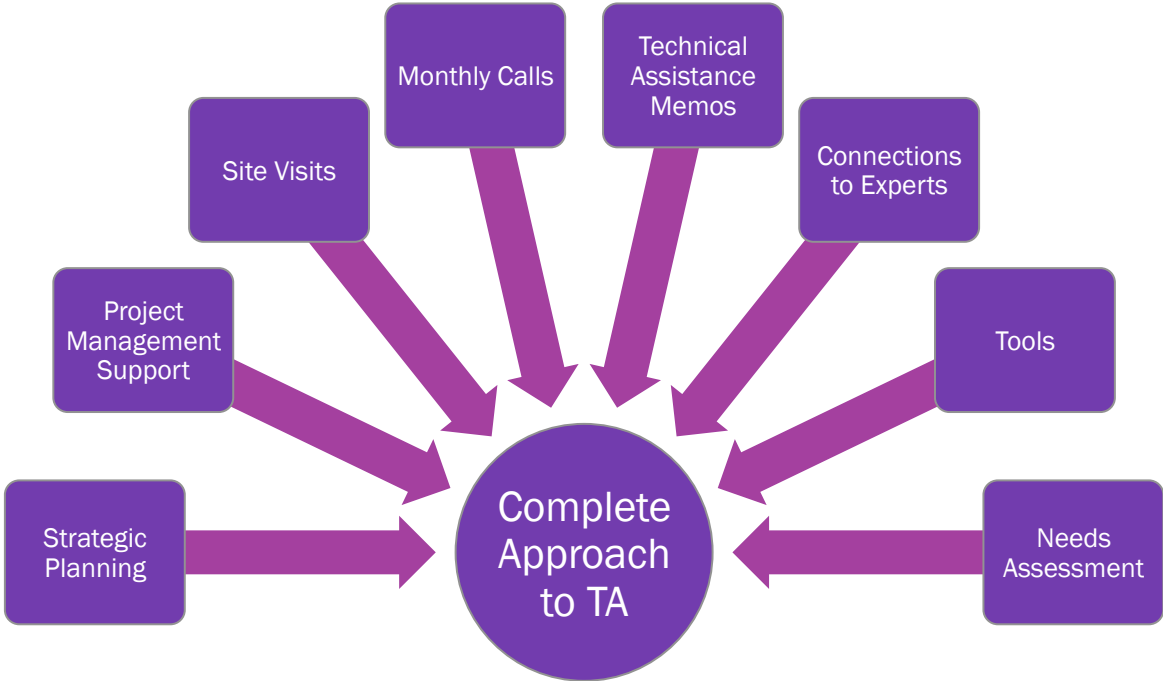


ECE Workforce Development Project

- **Description:** Technical assistance and grants to help states enhance the quality of early care and education (ECE) professionals by connecting states' workforce investment and strategies to the ECE field, including such strategies as revising career pathways, enhancing professional development supports, and developing data systems to track the workforce working with children ages birth through five.
- **States (Cohort 1):** Iowa, Minnesota, New Jersey, New York, Utah and Washington
- **States (Cohort 2):** Arkansas, Delaware, Hawaii, Illinois, Montana, North Carolina plus CCSSO states California, Maryland, Michigan and Pennsylvania

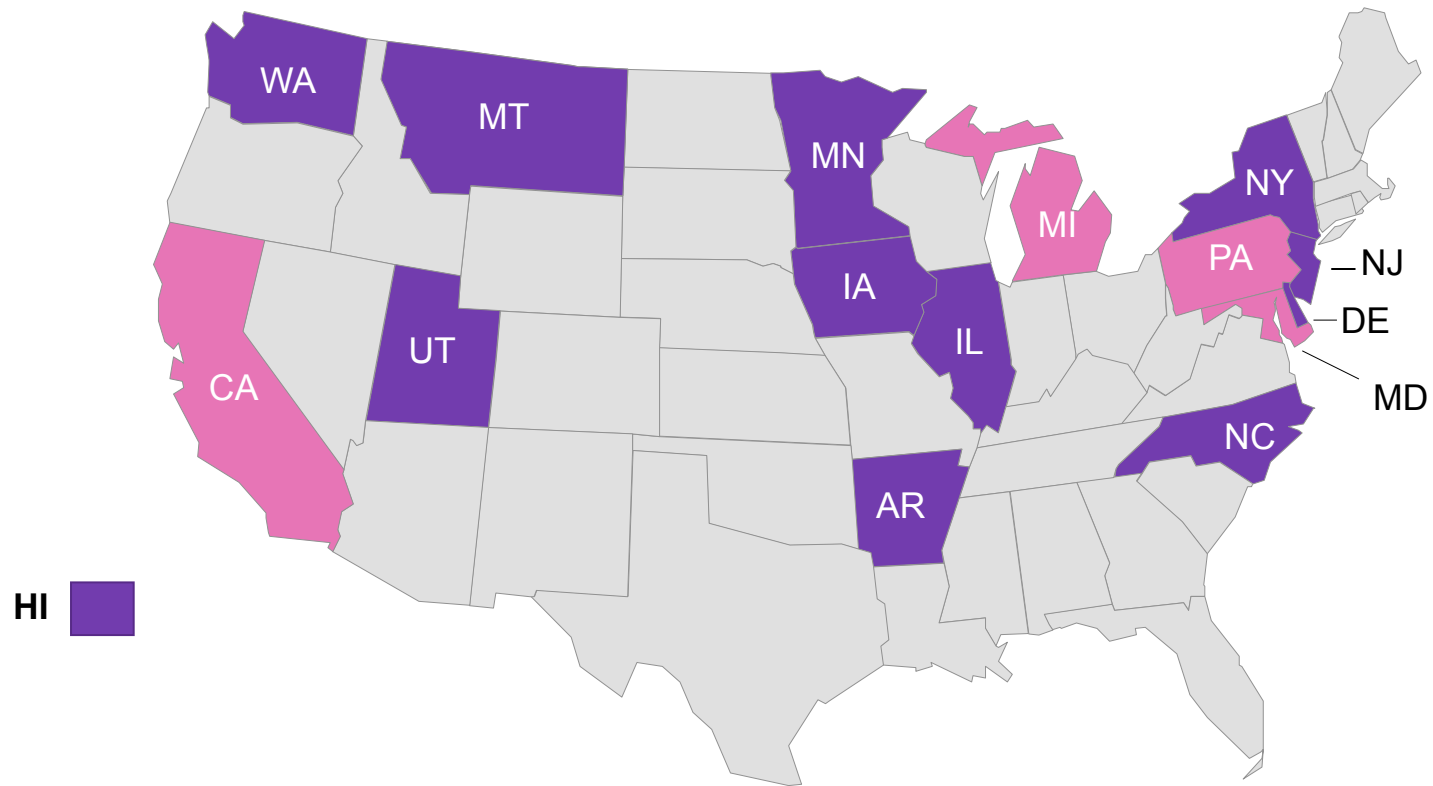
NGA Center TA Opportunities



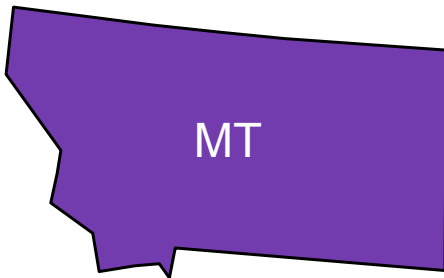
Cross-State TA:

- Experts
- Cross-State Convenings
- Peer Learning Calls
- All State Call
- Mentor States

NGA ECE Workforce States



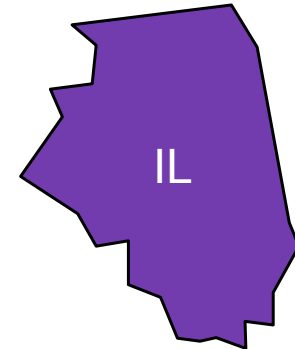
Compensation Strategies



Report on the effects of child care on the state economy

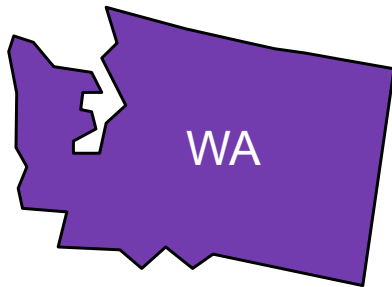


Menu of Options Presented to Children's Cabinet

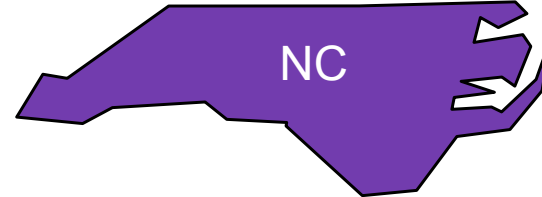


Developed Consensus Statement to Present to Children's Cabinet

Communication/Messaging



Compensation
Messages tailored to
specific audiences



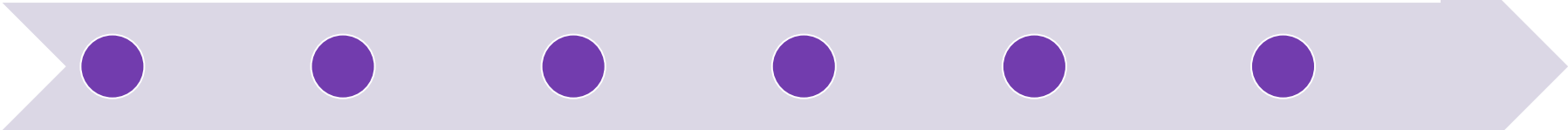
Communications
Strategy to raise
awareness around
compensation issues

Spotlight: Washington

2014-2016
Institute of
Medicine

2017-2018
Compensation
Technical
Workgroup

2019-2025
HB1344: WA Child
Care Access
Now Act



2000-2003
Career and
Wage
Ladder

2016-2017
National Governor's
Association
Compensation
Grant

2018-2019
Department of
Commerce Child Care
Collaborative
Taskforce

Spotlight: Illinois

April 2018:
Received Round
Two NGA Grant

**January – April
2019:**
Selected policies
for analysis
Funded policy
analysis in Illinois
context

August 2019:
Share with Early
Learning Council
Propose
recommendations
for action and next
steps

**May – November
2018:**
Completed review
of promising
practices
Drafted
Communications
Plan

**April – August
2019:**
Stakeholder
engagement
PDG B-5 funded
cost modeling
Begin revision of
QRIS standards