

**Wake County Technical Assistance Collaborative (TAC)
2016-17 Child Care Center Technical Assistance Interest Form**

Please Print

Facility name _____

Mailing address _____

City, St., Zip _____

Physical location if different from mailing address _____

Facility phone # _____ Facility fax # _____

Director's name _____

Director's email _____

License Information:

1. License level (please check)
 Temporary Religious Sponsored 1 Star 2 Stars 3 Stars 4 Stars 5 Stars
2. License Points _____ Education _____ Program Standards _____ Quality Point _____
3. Date license issued _____ Licensing Consultant _____
4. Is any action pending against the facility that could lead to a change in the status of your license (such as a pending administrative action)? Yes No
If yes, please explain _____
5. What do you hope to achieve through Technical Assistance?
(such as increase star licensure, increase overall quality, improve health and safety, improve literacy practices of teachers, assistance with behavior management, improve leadership and administrative skills, improve infant/toddler practices, higher quality beyond 5 stars)

Program Information:

- Facility's licensed capacity _____ Total number of children ages birth to five **enrolled** _____
- # of infant rooms _____ # of toddler rooms _____ # of preschool rooms _____
- Does the facility currently serve children on subsidy? Yes No
- If so, how many children on subsidy are birth to five years? _____
- Signature _____ Date _____

Technical Assistance Activities (You may check any program(s) of interest)

- Accreditation Technical Assistance
Child Care Services Association**
On-site technical assistance designed to assist providers with NAEYC accreditation process. Services include assistance with self-assessment, staff portfolios, improvement planning, demonstration, support groups, and professional development planning.
- Child Care Health Consultant Quality Improvement Program
Wake County Human Services Child Care Health Consultation**
Child Care Health Consultants (CCHC) focus on health, safety, and nutritional issues that occur in child care. The Quality Improvement program focuses on the personal care routines section of the Environmental Rating Scale. There are also three other intensive programs that focus on improving policies and practices around Breastfeeding, Nutrition and Physical Activity, and Managing Chronic Conditions/Emergency Medication.
- Directors Leadership Academy
Child Care Services Association**
A 10-month academy for center directors that provides training on the Program Administrators Scale and the Business Side of Child Care. Center directors receive on-site technical assistance related to administrative duties.
- Healthy Social Behaviors Initiative
Child Care Services Association**
Provides technical assistance to teachers and directors in child care centers serving children who display challenging behaviors and/or those who wish to further develop prosocial behaviors in all children served. Services include specialized consultation, technical assistance and training to promote social and emotional competencies in all children.
- Improving and Sustaining Quality Child Care
Wake County SmartStart**
Provides weekly on-site consultation and coaching for licensed three- or four-star facilities in Wake County who serve children receiving subsidy and who are willing to improve their star rating and program quality. Non-cash grants, based on the material needs identified through Environmental Rating Scale assessments, may be available to these centers.
- Infant Toddler Quality Enhancement Initiative
Child Care Services Association**
On-site technical assistance regarding infants & toddlers. Services include both in-depth and short-term options, workshops on the Infant Toddler Environment Rating Scale (ITERS), Positive Guidance for Infants & Toddlers and Ages & Stages.
- Literacy Invites and Nurtures Kids' Success (LINKS)
Motherhead**
Teachers enhance their own literacy skills and learn effective teaching strategies to use in their classrooms as well as how to involve parents in literacy activities at home through training and follow-up mentoring visits. As part of the project, teachers also receive a curriculum, curriculum-linked picture books, and other literacy materials to enhance literacy practice and the classroom. Using this multi-faceted approach, early childhood educators show significant improvement in their read-aloud strategies and literacy development activities.
- Quality Improvement Initiative
Child Care Services Association**
On-site technical assistance designed to assist programs with improving their current star-rating. Services include mock assessments, improvement planning, demonstration, and professional development planning.

Are you currently or have you worked with any of these programs before? _____
If yes, which program(s) and when?

Please make sure the form is complete before returning.

Completed TA Interest Forms can be mailed, faxed, or scanned and e-mailed.

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