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| **Early Childhood Domain Meeting Minutes**: **May 26th, 2020 from 10am-11:00am**Zoom | **Next Early Childhood Domain Meeting:****June 23rd from 10am-11:30am** TBD |
| **Attendees:** Kathryn Goldberg, Laura Niksch, Jake McGough, Penny Adler, Blanca Melendrez, Josh Bariuan, Jamie Moody, Ketty Swenson, Kim Elkins, Nidia Croce, Mariela Martinez, Lizzy Cooper, Deborah Zaragoza.**Recorder**: Mariela Martinez  |

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| **Topic/Issue** | **Discussion** | **Action** |
| **Welcome/ Introductions** | Jake McGough led introductions.  |  |
| **Announcements**  | **Kathryn Goldberg:** **Resource:** Pandemic EBT. Families may be eligible to receive $365 per eligible child for groceries: https://www.sandiegohungercoalition.org/p-ebt**Resource:** 2 UCSD webinars on food assistance programs during COVID-191. English Webinar: **Thursday May 28 10am.**  2.) Spanish webinar is **June 2nd at 5:30pm**.

See attachment for details**Jake McGough:** YMCA Childcare Resource Service distributed 750 kits of cleaning and supplies to childcare providers. Applications now open to receive a kit: <https://ymcasandiego.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8eHZhS2vtQX9Qih?mkt_tok=eyJpIjoiTm1Fd05XVTNORFpsTldabSIsInQiOiJuWW1qSUZJZzhmWUxhQ0dEZ3hpRitvMVIwWFpweUVNVzdSZjNhYjFHbDA1SFZ6MlByNlZ1QjVyYnBCUGVST0ZRMU82ZklKQWVwSEF3N2lKSGkyMlhmUnBCakZHcWZmZnZ4M0psM2J4SkZub1RwR1lSU1BybGR0YWZaWFYxbko5MSJ9>**Penny Adler:**Through the San Diego County Office of Education, the Childcare and Development Planning Council has provided a reopening childcare toolkit. Website Details: <https://www.sdcoe.net/student-services/early-education/Pages/san-diego-county-child-care-and-development-planning-council.aspx>Toolkit:<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1YZVnUNuiuv_PkTpvYEIVpyugiX54Yaqm>**Jamie Moody:****Share the Care** is offering free zoom video on oral health education with parents of children 0-5 in Spanish and English. 20-minute min consultation can be scheduled with registered dental hygienists. Please contact Jamie at: jsmoody@ucsd.edu. Individual or group consultations, and oral health consultations for pregnant women and child care providers are also available.**Kim Elkins:**Local virtual breastfeeding support groups are listed at [www.breastfeeding.org/resourceguide](http://www.breastfeeding.org/resourceguide) |  |
| **Breast Feeding Friendly Grant,** Lizzy Cooper | **Breastfeeding Friendly San Diego** provides free training, materials, and resources to family childcare homes, childcare centers, and organizations that engage childcare providers.<https://ucsdcommunityhealth.org/work/breastfeeding/child-care/>* The San Diego County Breastfeeding coalition will lead this program after UCSD’s grant ends June 30, 2020.
* Training, resources and organizational information will continue to be available on the UCSD’s Center for Community Health website in English and Spanish.
* In June, UCSD will formally announce the new leadership for the Breastfeeding Friendly San Diego program

**Ways to Support:** * Focus on telling partner organizations that there are resources available and continue informing families and providers of this resource opportunity.
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| **Child and Adult Care Food Program**Ketty Swenson  | **Ketty Swenson, Nutritionist at Child Development Associates (CDA) presented on CACFP Updates** * New waivers have been approved/extended: nationwide mealtime waiver, nationwide non-congregate feeding waiver, and the nationwide parent/guardian meal pick up waiver (grab & go)
* COVID-19 impact on food insecurity has been substantial
* **HEROES ACT (Health and Economic Recovery Omnibus Emergency Solutions):**
	+ Provides emergency funding for CACFP operators, sponsors, homes, centers, and after school programs
	+ Boosts funding for SNAP and will provide reimbursement funding lost for claiming months
	+ This act needs advocacy support. For a letter template: <https://national-cacfp-sponsors-association.rallycongress.com/ctas/vote-yes-to-support-child-adult-care-food-program>
* National CACFP Forum’s top priorities:
	+ Extension for claim deadlines
	+ Extension for meal times and meal patterns
	+ Extend desk review monitoring etc.
	+ Extend non-congregate models to non-enrolled children
* Agency Updates:
	+ Overall agencies are reopening, and have been working remotely to support providers during this time.
	+ KinderCare (multi-state) -have childcare centers all over U.S.
		- 30% of centers stayed open for the first seven weeks for care for children of essential workers.
		- 450 closed, but 250 opened back up on May 18. More centers keep opening. 60% of families they serve are subsidized.
	+ Cocokids (Bay Area)
		- Claims dropped in April, but have hopes that waivers are extended and claims will be back up soon.
	+ CDA (SD based)
		- Staff are working remotely
		- Food program monitors are calling all providers and families to make sure they know about resources.
		- 241 less providers claimed in April, but some are opening back up this month.

For more information, contact Ketty Swenson: kswenson@cdasd.orgSee attached power-point | Support for HEROES Act |
| **Re-Opening Guidelines,**Laura Niksch  | San Diego Childcare Disaster Council released an Emergency childcare plan in response to COVID-19.See attachment |  |
| **Early Childhood Domain Work-plan**Kathryn Goldberg | **Early Childhood Domain Work-plan Strategic Planning Update*** In the following week, a 30-minute call will be scheduled with the COI Domain Co-chairs and UCSD’s Design Lab to discuss current status of work and recommendations for work-group member and/or other leader/expert participation to participate in domain work-plan development.
* Thereafter, UCSD Design lab will support an interactive working session/summit with all recommended colleagues to draft final domain work-plans that incorporate COI’s 2020 priorities and strategies.
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| **Next Meeting**  | **Our** **next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 23rd from 10am-11:00am** **Location: TBD**  |  |