

**ISBE ECAG and EMAG Meeting**  
April 11, 2012  
10:00 am – 3:00 pm  
ISBE Board Room, Springfield, Illinois

Agenda

- 10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Welcome and Introductions (Linda Tomlinson, ISBE)
- Overview of the work to date
  - Purpose of April 11 meeting
    - Charge to the group
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Defining the Problem: Overview of Results of Survey (Lisa Hood, CSEP)
- Elephants in the room
  - Group Discussion
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Addressing the Infant/Toddler Age Span (Lisa Hood and Erika Hunt, CSEP)
- What level of depth on the birth to age 2 span should be covered in an early childhood endorsement program?
    - Small Group Discussion and Reporting Out
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Early Childhood Career Ladder (Lisa Hood and Erika Hunt, CSEP)
- How do we envision partners working together (e.g., Gateways to Opportunity, AA degree programs, Early Childhood Endorsement programs (Type 04), Family and Consumer Science Programs, community based organizations and providers) to provide an early childhood career ladder?
    - Small Group Discussion and Reporting Out
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m. Deciding on a Recommendation for Serving Infant/Toddler Age Span (Lisa Hood and Erika Hunt, CSEP)
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Wrap Up and Next Steps (Vicki Phillips, ISBE)
- Change of meeting date: May 8<sup>th</sup> meeting