



IOWA COUNCIL FOR EARLY ACCESS

February 07, 2025

9 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Iowa Department of Education

Grimes State Office Building, Room B50

400 E. 14th Street

Des Moines, IA 50319

Join Zoom Meeting

Zoom Link: <https://aea1.zoom.us/j/3192405619>

Meeting ID: 3192405619

2024-2025 Meeting Dates: 9/27/2024; 12/06/2024; 2/7/2025; 5/2/2025

Time	Item	Topic	Lead
9:00	Action	Call to Order and Welcome Members and Guests ICEA Members 2024-2025	Annette Hyde, Chair
9:05	Action	Approval of Minutes: 12/06/2024 ICEA Minutes	Annette Hyde, Chair
9:10	Discussion	Family Story - Katie Steffensmeier	Keystone AEA family
9:40	Action	Executive Committee Report: ICEA By-laws Second Reading of By-law Changes	Membership Committee
10:00		BREAK	
10:15		Early ACCESS APR & Data Review	EA State Team Members
11:15	Discussion	One Agency’s Efforts - connecting with the community	Central River AEA
11:45	Discussion	Signatory Agency Updates: Department of Education (DOE) Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Child Health Specialty Clinics (CHSC)	Signatory Agency Members
12:00	Discussion	Additional Announcements and updates	Chair
12:10	Action	Adjournment of ICEA Meeting	Chair
12:15		Executive Committee Meeting Bylaws; Future business	Executive Committee

Overview: The Iowa Council for Early ACCESS (ICEA) has been established as the council to support the state interagency coordination of Early ACCESS [[IAC 281-120.600-605](tel:319-281-120.600-605)].



Purpose: The ICEA is to advise and assist the lead agency, *Iowa Department of Education*, working collaboratively with signatory agencies in the coordination, development, and implementation of policies that constitute the statewide system of early intervention services. Signatory agencies are the *Iowa Department of Health and Human Services and Child Health Specialty Clinics*.

Early ACCESS Vision: Every infant and toddler with or likely to have a developmental delay and their families will be supported and included in their communities so they will be healthy and successful.

ICEA Members	Agency or Affiliation	ICEA Representation
Annette Hyde, Chair	Keystone Area Education Agency	Early ACCESS grantee administrators
Eric Locke, Vice Chair	Family	Parents
McKaylee Heuton, Parent	Family	Parents
Rozanne Warder, Member at Large	Early Childhood Iowa Board (ECI)	Early Childhood Iowa
Karen Lauer	Family	Parents
Sarah Haberl	Family	Parents
Jessica Burger	Grant Wood Area Education Agency	Early ACCESS grantee administrators
Karen Thompson	ASK Resource Center	Parent Training & Information Center
Julie Jones	Saint Ambrose University	Personnel Preparation
Gayle Murray	Compass Clinical Associates	Child Mental Health Services
Tonya Weber	New Opportunities, Inc., Head Start	Early Head Start & Head Start
Julie Watts	Iowa Insurance Division	Agency for health insurance
Michael Bergan	Iowa House of Representatives	State Legislature
Kimberly Villotti	Iowa Department of Education	Early ACCESS Lead Agency; Early Childhood Special Education, Part B Sec. 619
Marguerite Macek	Iowa Child Health Specialty Clinics	Early ACCESS Signatory Agency

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Shelley Horak	Iowa Department of Health and Human Services	Early ACCESS Signatory Agency
Mykala Beard	Iowa Department of Health and Human Services	Early ACCESS Signatory Agency

Early ACCESS State Team and Staff to ICEA	Dee Waddell, Department of Education	Tonya Krueger, Child Health Specialty Clinics	Meghan Miller, Department of Health and Human Services	Abby Patterson, Department of Health and Human Services
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