

ATCE features 7 sessions developed in partnership with the RIV Regional Office of Head Start (RO) – from general sessions to breakouts to community discussions – to promote knowledge, skills, abilities, and resources along several key areas to power our mission and workforce. These sessions focus on topics of importance to the regional Head Start/Early Head Start community.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Town Hall with the Regional Program Manager | This engaging forum will be an opportunity of participants to hear directly from the Regional Program Manager (RPM) on a wide range of issues focused on improving grantee performance including: regional priorities and funding, issues tracking, launch of the new *Blue Print* launch and Regional Office newsletter; RPM Forum, as well as the upcoming focus on Instructional Supervision. (90-Minute session)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Five-Year Planning for Impact | Annual applications serve a greater purpose than requesting the next year's funding. It is the blueprint for a successful Head Start program. This session will provide grantees with an overview of the Head Start application instructions, examination of the Head Start planning process, and strategies for creating B.R.O.A.D. goals resulting in a Five-Year plan with lasting community impact. (Full Day Session)

All Eyes on Me: Exploring the Positive Impacts of Active Supervision | Keeping children safe is a top priority for all early childhood education programs. Using the prominent nursery rhyme of Jack and Jill as a reflection, the trainer(s) will discuss how to implement the active supervision strategies in various contexts. Active supervision requires leadership, planning, tracking and on-going monitoring, and professional development. (90-Minute session)

4 Community Cafés | For the first time, ATCE offers a unique experience for staff and grantees to engage, explore and tackle RO priorities in open dialogue. Facilitated by RO staff, these sessions will provide insight, information and an opportunity for mutually beneficial discussion on top OHS and RO priorities: (1) Addressing Child Maltreatment; (2) Full Enrollment Initiative; (3) Fiscal and Facilities Management; (4) Homelessness Initiative. (90-Minute sessions)