



Quality Support Services: Technical Assistance & Coaching

HOW CAN WE SUPPORT YOU?

- Provide on-site consultation, including teacher coaching and classroom modeling
- Offer access to a wide range of early childhood resources
- Assist with lesson planning and implementation
- Support classroom design and enhancements, both indoors and outdoors
- Model engaging, meaningful interactions with children
- Observe routines and transitions and offer constructive feedback
- Support preparation for Environment Rating Scale (ERS) assessments

High-quality early care and education play a critical role in shaping a young child's social, emotional, physical, and cognitive development, ultimately influencing their success in school and beyond. Iredell County Partnership for Young Children (ICPYC) supports child care centers and family child care homes in Iredell County by providing technical assistance (TA) and Practice-Based Coaching (PBC) to help strengthen program practices and standards, with the goal of achieving or maintaining a higher star rating.

ICPYC recognizes that each child care program has its own unique goals and needs, and we tailor our services to reflect those differences. Our approach emphasizes partnership, building strong, collaborative relationships with early childhood educators to support meaningful program improvement.

What Is Technical Assistance?

Technical assistance is like having a dedicated support team working alongside you. Whether you're aiming to enhance classroom quality, meet licensing requirements, or simply need someone to brainstorm ideas with, we're here to support you every step of the way.

What Is Practice-Based Coaching (PBC)?

PBC is designed to support early education staff in implementing effective teaching practices. It involves collaborative partnerships, shared goal setting, focused observation, and reflection/feedback to improve outcomes. PBC ensures coaching is tailored, realistic, and directly impacts classroom practice.

What Can You Expect?

Observation & Assessment

We use tools to highlight your program's strengths and identify opportunities for growth.

Consultation & Coaching

We partner with you to create a plan tailored to your program's unique goals and needs.

Monitoring Visits

We collaborate with licensing agencies to support you in staying on track and meeting required standards and improvements.

For technical assistance/coaching, please contact Stephanie Clark at sclark@icpyc.org or 980-759-1517.

