

Professional Development System Overview: Oregon



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National Center on Child Care Professional
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State		Oregon
Professional Development (PD) System	<p>Title: Oregon Center for Career Development in Childhood Care and Education</p> <p>Web site: http://www.pdx.edu/occd/occd/</p>	
Infrastructure/ PD System Governance	<p>Type of Governance: Higher education institution under contract with State agency Located within the Portland State University Graduate School of Education, funded by State contracts.</p> <p>Key contact: Pam Deardorff, Director, deardops@pdx.edu</p>	
Head Start (HS)/Early Head Start (EHS)	<p>State HS Collaboration Director: Christa Rude, christa.rude@state.or.us</p> <p>State HS Early Childhood Manager: Lillian R. Carrillo, lcarrillo@icfi.com</p>	
Target Population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child Care, preschool, HS/EHS, school-age, and other programs that serve children and families <p>Oregon is working to increase participation in quality rating and improvement systems and the PD system for child care programs that serve children with high needs. The initial focus is identifying and engaging non-English speaking child care providers.</p>	
Early Learning Guidelines (ELGs)	Ages Included in ELGs and Alignment with K–12	Notes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Birth–5 years 	<p>Title: Oregon Early Childhood Foundations OR's Early Childhood Foundations are learning guidelines that support school readiness by promoting healthy child development, early learning, and effective teaching strategies.</p> <p>Web site: http://www.ode.state.or.us/superintendent/priorities/ready4school/3to5foundations.pdf</p> <p>Information on State ELGs references to dual language learners is available at http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/tta-system/cultural-linguistic/center/state-guidelines/dll_guidelines.html</p>

Core Knowledge and Competencies (CKCs)	Roles	Notes
Approval Systems	Trainer/Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Voluntary Trainer Approval ▪ Training Approval—required for Set Two or Three community-based training ▪ Online training calendar 	Notes <p>Title: Oregon Registry Trainer Program The OR Registry Trainer Program includes three types of certified trainers: (1) Standardized, (2) Community, and (3) Master. Qualifications are based on training experience, experience in the field, and education in the field. Web site: http://www.pdx.edu/occd/oregon-registry-trainer-program-6</p> <p>Title: Community-based Training Approval Community-based training (not for college credit), which yields clock hours in any of the core knowledge categories, can be approved as OR Registry Training Sessions. This includes standardized training as well as independently developed Set One, Set Two, and Set Three sessions developed by certified trainers or registered sponsoring organizations. These training opportunities may be offered in face-to-face classrooms or distance learning formats. Web site: http://www.pdx.edu/occd/independent-training-sessions</p> <p>Title: Oregon Registry Online Training Calendar Web site: http://oregonregistry.org/calendar/</p>
Workforce Registry/Data System and Career Pathways	System(s) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mandatory recording and tracking of PD for licensing purposes ▪ Voluntary advancement on the career pathway ▪ Career pathways (lattice/ladder) 	Notes <p>Title: Oregon Registry: Pathways to Professional Recognition in Childhood Care and Education The OR Registry: Pathways for Professional Recognition in Childhood Care and Education is a statewide program that records and recognizes the PD growth and achievement of people who work with and for children and families. Web site: http://www.pdx.edu/occd/oregon-registry-2 (English); http://www.pdx.edu/occd/registro-de-oregon-senderos-para-el-reconocimiento-profesional-en-el-cuidado-y-educaci-n-infantil (Spanish)</p> <p>Title: Oregon Registry Steps Web site: http://www.pdx.edu/occd/sites/www.pdx.edu.occd/files/Oregon%20Registry%20Steps%20-%20English.pdf</p>