

OVERVIEW

LEADERSHIP

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FOCUS

OVERALL DESCRIPTION	TOPICS ADDRESSED
The Center's purpose is to provide technical assistance to support states and districts in the implementation of social and emotional learning evidence-based programs and practices. The Center will enhance the capacities of (1) state educational agencies (SEAs) to support their local educational agencies (LEAs) and (2) LEAs to support their schools.	Social and emotional learning; related whole child initiatives, such as trauma-informed practices; school climate and culture; preventative aspects of school safety, such as mental health issues

TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE (T/TA)

T/TA RECIPIENTS	TYPES OF TA PROVIDED	TYPES OF TRAINING PROVIDED	MEETINGS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discretionary grantees (TBD) Contact: selcenter@wested.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One-on-one support Small group support Large group support <p>Major Initiatives in FY 2020: Two peer-to-peer collaboratives for state educational agencies</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Webinars or virtual meetings In-person 	Two in-person meetings for the SEA participants in each of our collaboratives

PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

TYPES OF PRODUCTS CENTER DEVELOPS	SEMINAL PRODUCTS CENTER HAS DEVELOPED	PRODUCTS CENTER IS CURRENTLY DEVELOPING
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Webinars Protocols Videos 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> State data profiles Companion data discussion guide Webinar on integrating SEL with other aspects of academic teaching and learning, school climate and culture, etc. Brief on our areas of focus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Video and companion infographic on SEL Trauma-informed practices, and SEL Brief on mindfulness and SEL Video interview on adult SEL

INFORMATION AND RESOURCE DISSEMINATION

WEBSITE	OTHER DISSEMINATION CHANNELS	PROCESS TO DISSEMINATE
<p>selcenter@wested.org</p> <p>Website is intended for a broad, general audience; primarily practitioners at every level of the system. Primary content includes the state data profiles and data discussion guide, updated annually, and a curated set of practical tools, resources, briefs, and online professional learning opportunities related SEL and other whole child initiatives. External briefs are vetted by our external evaluator for evidence base, practicality, relevance, and other measures of quality.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • List serves • Email blasts • Connections with colleagues in other content centers, the regional comprehensive centers, and dissemination avenues at WestEd 	<p>When Center products are completed (Tier 1 TA developed, announcements regarding new artifacts on the website)</p> <p>Coherent dissemination and visibility strategy is currently being developed.</p>

ENGAGEMENT WITH SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS (SMES)

TYPES OF ACTIVITIES CENTER ENGAGES SMES	TOPICAL EXPERTISE OF SMES	PROCESS TO IDENTIFY SMES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop products • Review projects • Provide TA 	<p>Equity; integration; alignment & coherence; data-driven practices; sustainable implementation; strategic communications; educator practice; safety; special education; SEL measures</p>	<p>Identify as needed</p>