

Early Childhood Development Structure Mapping

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Introduction

BRIDGE's National ECD Community of Practice, in collaboration with Ilifa Labantwana set out to map current ECD civil society sector networks and structures in South Africa. A structure is defined in this project as a grouping of people or organisations with a particular ECD focus – e.g. a network, forum, alliance, cluster, etc. This project mapped structures at national and provincial levels, but did not limit its scope and thus includes some district level structures.

This document presents a detailed explanation of the core activities, reach and contact details of national, provincial and district level structures.

The purpose of the mapping project is to improve communication, collaboration and the sharing of knowledge across the ECD sector at all levels.

Summary of findings

	Total number of individuals	Number of responses	Response Rate
Individual Questionnaire	750	60	8.5%
	Total number of structures	Number of responses	Response Rate
Detailed Structure Questionnaire (Total)	127	62	48%
National structures	25	19	76%
Provincial structures	15	11	73%
Local/district structures	87	32	43%
Government Structures (total)	9	6	67%
DSD	9	6	67%

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NATIONAL STRUCTURES



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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)

Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 – 40
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	Organisations must be children rights organisations
Method for recruiting of new members	Advocating and lobbying for play rights
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	Best Life for Every Child
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	• Play facilitation training • Advocacy and lobbying for play • Resources mobilisation
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • ECD Training • Joint Fundraising

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct), Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 – 40
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)

Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	The structure recruits members through local meetings, parent committees, community engagements etc.
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	• Badisa • Child Welfare SA
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	A quarterly engagement is held to discuss the challenges around ECD, the implementation of the Act, funding by Provincial DSD and new trends within the sector.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) Donors ECD sites/practitioners Government

	Individuals/parents Private Sector Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Through word of mouth, media, workshops and conferences
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	• ECDi • Department of Social Development Gauteng
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Attendance of meetings upon invitation. E-mail correspondence and private meetings.
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), Donors, ECD sites/ Practitioners, Government, Individuals / Parents, Private sector, Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)- multi-stakeholder

Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	On-going networking and word of mouth.
Frequency of meetings	Bi-monthly (5-6 times a year)
Collaborates with	ECD Institute ECD National Alliance Government Departments etc.
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Representatives of the various ECD structures attend each other's meetings & work together to ensure increased coordination and collaboration in ECD. They find ways to share working practice and resources in order to support each other, reduce duplication, maximise resources and link Policy with practice, to improve the delivery of quality ECD service provision.
Focus areas	• Creating a unified voice for ECD • Support Qualifications Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Mapping in ECD • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue • Quality in ECD • Linking Policy & Practice- producing collective responses on Policy documents

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	None

Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	ISASA (ECD SECTOR)
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	• Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet), • Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder • Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)

Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Do not recruit members, awareness
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	DEASSA
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	By invitation or general meetings.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Policy Development • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue • Growing Leadership

Informal HighScope Training of Trainer's network

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	60-80
Membership Type	HighScope Trainers
Criteria for membership	Members must have been trained in the HighScope Approach
Method for recruiting of new members	Each year the HighScope Trainers who complete the HighScope Training of Trainers programme are added

Frequency of meetings	Whenever there is a HighScope Conference or Provincial Workshop
Collaborates with	We do not engage with other structures
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure is purely to keep members up to date with HighScope developments
Focus areas	• ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Growing Leadership

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), ECD sites/ Practitioners, Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	Organisations and individual practitioners learning and working together

Method for recruiting of new members	None
Frequency of meetings	Regular meetings happen at provincial level
Collaborates with	South African ECD Congress
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Individuals and organisations attend the national conference of the South African ECD Congress
Focus areas	• Capacity building • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue • Growing Leadership

National ECD Alliance

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct), Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	80 - 100
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)

Criteria for membership	Members must have an NPO Registration
Method for recruiting of new members	Application
Frequency of meetings	Annually
Collaborates with	Most ECD Structures
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination • Collaboration and dialogue

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Donors

Criteria for membership	Terms of Reference can be requested from Secretariat
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth.
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)

Criteria for membership	Members must have an ETDP-SETA Accreditation, NPO Registration or Governance structure in place
Method for recruiting of new members	There is no recruitment process in place. Interested members apply directly to head office.
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	• National ECD Alliance • South African Congress for ECD
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Capacity building, joint tendering opportunities, information sharing and advocacy processes.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	60 - 80
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), Donors, ECD sites/ Practitioners, Individuals / Parents, Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)

Criteria for membership	Applicants must own a preschool or be a parent at a preschool
Method for recruiting of new members	Through a contact form on our website at www.playwithapurpose.co.za and through word of mouth. Our site trainers also recruit members.
Frequency of meetings	Bi-monthly (5-6 times a year)
Collaborates with	• JAM International • ACSI
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	JAM International provides ECD training for this structure as well as educational toys
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Infrastructure • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

Preferred Future

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Through Vision Casting and Advocacy Groups, building relationships and

	networking.
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Reading Association of South Africa

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct), Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association), Linked to the International Reading Association
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	40-60
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	This structure host annual conferences within the 4 branches, and in the

	local branches they have literacy workshops where new members join.
Frequency of meetings	Annually
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Inclusive Education • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • A strong focus on literacy from ECD to adult education

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners, Individuals / Parents, Private sector, Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)

Criteria for membership	Members must work in education or work with children with disabilities
Method for recruiting of new members	Membership drives 5 SAALED branches that drive membership through workshops and training
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	• Sunshine • ECDI
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Exchange of knowledge and joint work on projects
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct), Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder, Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	

	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Membership mobilization at local and branch level
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	Government Departments
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	• Meetings • Lobbying and Advocacy • Training and Skills Development
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue • International collaboration and representation

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct), Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	ECD, Individuals and service providers
Criteria for membership	Members must be compliant with the SAMA Principles, agree to abide by Code of Conduct, meet requirements of the Children's Act and related legislation, registration with relevant authorities

Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth, through existing members, schools and training institutions
Frequency of meetings	Each region quarterly and once a year annual conference
Collaborates with	• ECD Stakeholder's forum • NAISA
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	SAMA holds membership with NAISA
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

Toy Library Association of South Africa

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	E-newsletters, play conference, adding names of participants that have

	been trained to the database
Frequency of meetings	Three times a year
Collaborates with	• International Toy Library Association (ITLA) • National ECD Alliance
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Meetings and email communication
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

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Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct), Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), Donors, ECD sites/ Practitioners, Government, Individuals / Parents
Criteria for membership	None

Method for recruiting of new members	When Children's Rights Centre Staff is hosting workshops in different places they take the Yezingane Network Membership forms with them. They also recruit new members through word of mouth by existing members and via Facebook page. Others approach this network because of the work they do as a national structure.
Frequency of meetings	Teleconferences every 6 weeks
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Policy Development • Joint Fundraising • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue • Mostly involved in health issues for children, e.g. TB, HIV, STI's etc.

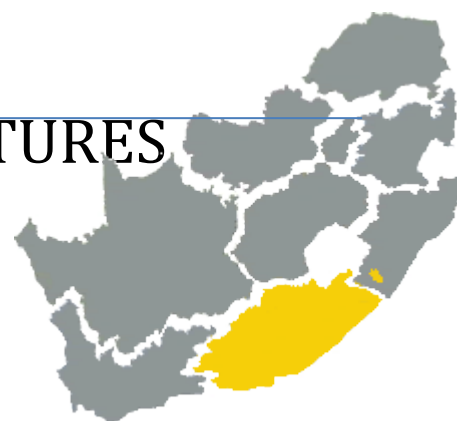
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- ISASA ECD Sector
- NACCA (National Action Committee for Children affected by HIV & Aids)
- NACCW (National Association of Child and Youth care workers)
- Policy Action Network: Children
- SA ECD Awards
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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Eastern Cape



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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members pay R50 yearly
Method for recruiting of new members	This structure recruit members itself. They make sure that their members are trained in ECD, they support them and make sure that they doing what is right for the children. They do events and workshops. Lastly Social Development refer trainers to this structure for more information (on training)
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	Eastern Cape ECD Forum
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	These structures meet to exchange their views
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

Eastern Cape Donor Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Office J1 - East London , IDZ , Sunnyridge, East London, 5201
Contact details for main person:	Rooks Moodley 087 373 1080 739094711
Email	rooksmoodley@ecngoc.co.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet), Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), Donors

Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	We send invitations for Provincial Platforms
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	Provincial CSI Task Team
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Publications and electronic communication.
Focus areas	• Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Eastern Cape ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Postnet Suite 346 Private Bag X9063 8 Park Avenue East London
Contact details for main person:	Michele Kay 043 743 8333
Email	michele@iteced.co.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	• Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet) • Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	• Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) • Donors • ECD sites/ Practitioners • Government, Private sector • Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)

Criteria for membership	Members must have an interest in ECD
Method for recruiting of new members	Through existing networks, through advocacy programmes and through word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	• NECTA • Congress for ECD • EC NGO Coalition • Buffalo City Child Care and Development Association.
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure participates in the ECD Forum and are represented on the leadership structure of the Forum - 'the Task Team'.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue • Information sharing and knowledge building

Eastern Cape NGO Coalition

STRUCTURE DETAILS

Address:	Office J1 , Science & Technology Park , East London IDZ Sunnyridge East London 5201
Contact details for main person:	Rooks Moodley 087 373 1080 073 909 4711
Email	rooksmoodley@ecngoc.co.za
Website	http://www.ecngoc.co.za/

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ACTIVITIES

Type of structure/forum/body	• Fee-based membership • Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct) • Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	Members must be a registered NPO , annual reports and financial reports , constitution

Method for recruiting of new members	We allow for members to join on their own but currently we are in a process of appointing a membership officer to recruit member organisations.
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	• Welfare Forum • NADCAO
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure has a Provincial Secretariat as well as District Structures who meet quarterly using dialogue platforms to engage.
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Network of Early Childhood Training Agencies (NECTA)

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	We don't have a permanent secretariat but use the address of the current Chairperson, so currently: 23 Hill Street, Grahamstown, 6139 Eastern Cape
Contact details for main person:	Lucy O'Keeffe 046 6227896
Email	lucy@ubunyefoundation.co.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)

Criteria for membership	Membership of the association shall be limited to organisations which: • Are constituted as voluntary associations, NPOs, Section 21 companies or as trusts • Provide programmes and services which support adults in the early childhood development sector • Operate in the Eastern Cape Province • Supply audited financial statements • Are in good standing with the South African Revenue Service (SARS) • Pay annual NECTA membership fees as calculated based on their annual income
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Ad-hoc meetings for working groups on specific projects
Collaborates with	• Eastern Cape ECD Forum • National ECD Alliance
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through overlapping membership, attending meetings, sharing information and collaboration on specific initiatives
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development, • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue • Leadership

DSD: Eastern Cape

Eastern Cape Provincial ECD Strategy Committee

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Nolitha Mabanzula Senior manager 043-605 5150
Email	nolitha.mabanzula@ecdsd.gov.za
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	No
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)

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- Welfare Forum

PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Free State



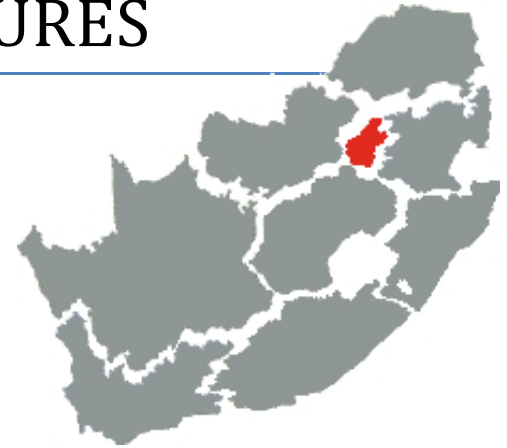
DSD: Free State ECD Provincial Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Willie Sapsford 051 409 0549 Provincial District DSD ECD contact to be confirmed Mrs. Johanna Letsholo 056 216 8000
Email	To be confirmed
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	

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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Gauteng



Africa Reggio Emilia Alliance NPC

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	c/o St Mary's School 55 Athol Street Waverley
Contact details for main person:	Tessa Browne 011 531 1874
Email	tessa.browne@stmary.co.za
Website	http://www.stmaryschool.co.za/littleSaintsReggioHistory.php

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)

Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) ECD sites/ Practitioners Individuals / Parents Private sector Private and ISASA preschools and schools
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Marketing at our conferences, workshops and study groups
Frequency of meetings	Board meets quarterly, members of Alliance members attend workshops conferences and study groups on an adhoc basis
Collaborates with	ISASA (ECD SECTOR)
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

ECD Stakeholder Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	None
Contact details for main person:	Sophia de Beer 011 7187540
Email	sophia.debeer@gauteng.gov.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) ECD sites/ Practitioners Government Individuals / Parents Private sector Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	

	None
Method for recruiting of new members	
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive Education • Infrastructure • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, Collaboration and dialogue

DSD: Gauteng ECD Provincial Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Ms Ntheki Kgukutli (011) 355 7846
Email	nthekik@gpg.gov.za
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	Only for ECD policy This forum doesn't meet very often. Issues are addressed through the regional stakeholder forums

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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

KwaZulu-Natal

KwaZulu-Natal ECD Technical Task Team (Part of KPACC)

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	19 Hopson Avenue Glenwood DURBAN 4001
Contact details for main person:	Mari van der Merwe 031 2029231
Email	mvandermerwe@savethechildren.org.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES

Type of structure/forum/body	Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20-40
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) Donors ECD sites/ Practitioners Government Individuals / Parents Private sector Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth. Referral/Identification/Invitation by existing members
Frequency of meetings	Bi-monthly (5-6 times a year)
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Missing Information:

- KZN ECD Alliance
- KZN Consortium for ECD training organisations

DSD: KwaZulu-Natal

No Formal Name

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Director for children leads the interdepartmental committee Buyisiwe Sopsazi
Email	Details to follow
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)

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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Limpopo



ALERT Association of Limpopo Early Learning Resource and Training NGO's

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Golang Kulani Early Learning Resource and Training centre House no 185, Tambo street Section A Nkowankowa Limpopo Province.
Contact details for main person:	Margaret Letsoalo 015 303 3258
Email	golangkulani@gmail.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	All the organisations are involved in supporting the holistic development and wellbeing of the young child within the communities in which they live
Method for recruiting of new members	Always speaking to other organisations involved in the ECD training and resource sector who may want to join.
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	ECD Learning community Provincial ECD forum
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure is part of the government initiated Provincial ECD forum as well as the inter-provincial privately initiated ECD learning community. They attend quarterly meetings with the provincial ECD forum and have attended many workshops and learning opportunities with the ECD Learning community including leadership training and other integrative initiatives. Members are also part of the ECD Alliance and Congress. Many of their members also belong to the Ntataise network.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Infrastructure • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

DSD: Limpopo

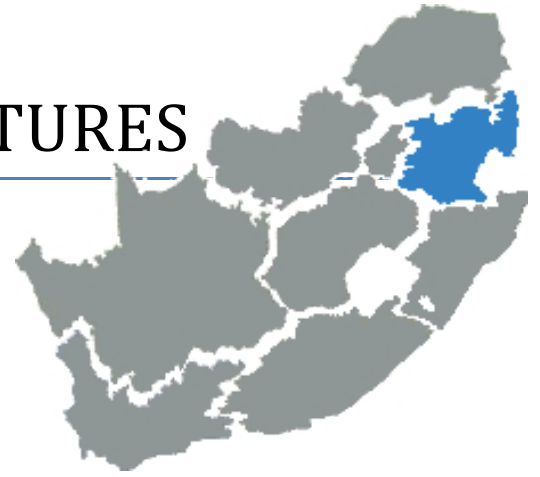
Limpopo ECD Interdepartmental Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Lerato Khwinana
Email	Email: Lerato.Khwinana@dhsd.limpopo.gov.za leratokhwinana@gmail.com
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)

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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Mpumalanga



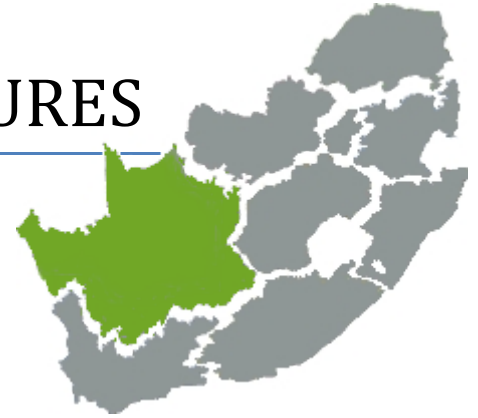
DSD: Mpumalanga

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Mpumalanga DSD ECD Provincial Manager Doreen Malinga
Email	DoreenM@dsdmpu.gov.za
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)

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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Northern Cape



DSD: Northern Cape No formal structure as yet

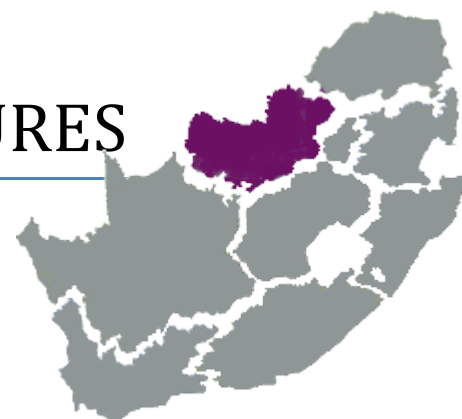
STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Mrs Martha Louw Programme Manager MarthaLouw@ncpg.gov.za (053) 874 9276 Arne Ludike Policy Developer for ECD aludike@ncpg.gov.za
Email	MarthaLouw@ncpg.gov.za aludike@ncpg.gov.za
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	No formal structure

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- Northern Cape NGO Coalition

PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

North West



DSD: North West ECD Interdepartmental Committee

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Motlatsi Ramarumo (018) 388 1646 Ms Motlatsi Ramarumo (018) 388 1646 Details to be confirmed for primary contact person
Email	mramarumo@nwpg.gov.za
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)

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PROVINCIAL STRUCTURES

Western Cape



Round Table Metro ECD group

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Early Learning Centre, Springbok street, Athlone, Cape town
Contact details for main person:	Riedewhaan
Email	Riedewhaan@scw.co.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Inter-sectoral / Multi-stakeholder

Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	Government, Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth, General feedback
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	ECD stake holder group department of social development
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through board meetings and round table discussions
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

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- Western Cape ECD Service Provider Forum
- Western Cape ECD Forum

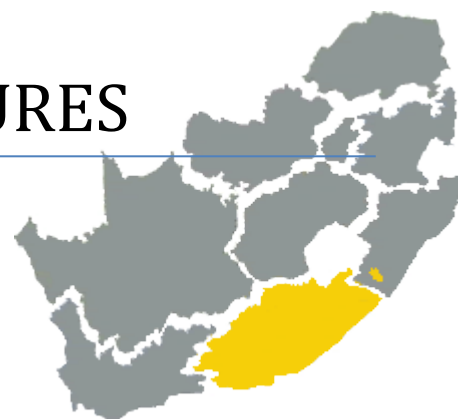
DSD: Western Cape Provincial ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Contact details for main person:	Julinda Kruger (021) 483 4489
Email	jkruger@pgwc.gov.za
Do you have a database of active forums & networks in ECD in your province?	Yes
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)

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DISTRICT STRUCTURES

Eastern Cape



Mthatha ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Falakhe Pre-School Gubela Street Mandela Park Mthatha
Contact details for main person:	Zola Mpemvane
Email	jnoziphiwo@yahoo.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)

Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	40 - 60
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members must be registered ECD Centres/ in the process of registration and/ with the intention to register as NPOs
Method for recruiting of new members	This forum recruit members through the Department of Social Development & Special Programmes, and the members of the forum.
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	Eastern Cape Pre-school Council
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	By attending meetings
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Missing information:

- Mqanduli ECD forum

DISTRICT STRUCTURES

Gauteng



Diepsloot ECD Forum, Oratile ECD

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	7161, Dastile Mschiceli Street Diepsloot Ext 10, 2198
Contact details for main person:	Abram or Evodia 011 074 4355
Email	kakgari@yahoo.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+

Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), ECD sites/ Practitioners, Individuals / Parents
Criteria for membership	Fixed monthly meetings where issues and participations are discussed
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth from those who have seen the advantages of being our members
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	Social department, Donors and other government structures ECD Congress
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	By holding regular meetings to discuss the needs of ECD
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development, • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Ekurhuleni North Region ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Meetings are held at the municipality chamber in Tembisa
Contact details for main person:	Charlene Zwane 765245714
Email	charlenezwane@gmail.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	80 - 100
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners, Government, Individuals / Parents, Service Providers (Training, Materials, Support)
Criteria for membership	Members must be members of the Subforums
Method for recruiting of new members	Sub-forum members recruit more members
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	Ekurhuleni East Region

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Together these form the Ekurhuleni District ECD Forum. They meet in Alberton twice a year.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Ekurhuleni One Voice ECD Association

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	3030 Mhlanga Street, Everest, Thokoza
Contact details for main person:	Glanda Pinky Thobejane 083 532 7784
Email	No email
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	40 - 60
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners, Government
Criteria for membership	Members must be principals
Method for recruiting of new members	They call community meetings, through word of mouth and through referrals
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)

Collaborates with	• SA ECD Congress • Bafana Hlope
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through invitations to meetings
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Ever Palm Lake ECD Association

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	9086 Section B, Palm Springs
Contact details for main person:	Florah 788 164 209
Email	No email
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members must be principals of ECD schools
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	Ekurhuleni One Voice ECD Association

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure's chair is invited to meetings to represent her structure
Focus areas	• Capacity building • ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation

Fruitful Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	No 1 Pottasium Street Creswell Park Roodepoort 1724
Contact details for main person:	Susan 110249754
Email	susansesiyabo@gmail.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	word of mouth and at church meetings
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	

	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

Good Performance ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	8996/67 Protea Glen Soweto Johannesburg
Contact details for main person:	Lorraine Mthembu 782048073
Email	No email
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members must be principals
Method for recruiting of new members	Fruitful ECD Forum was full, so Good Performance was started to catch overflow. Works specifically with new ECD.
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)

Collaborates with	Fruitful ECD Forum
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure attend workshops with the structures it collaborates with
Focus areas	• ECD Training • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

Inner City Pre-school Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	50 Vosstreet Sunnyside Pretoria
Contact details for main person:	Rieneke Schutte 012 3434961
Email	rieneke@pen.org.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	

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Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Standards of care and education

SA ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	10662 Cidwillview, Lenasia, ext 13
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Email	n.ntsizwana@gmail.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members must be principals
Method for recruiting of new members	Through Word of mouth, and through affiliation with sub-forums
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	SA ECD Congress

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through invitations to meetings and special workshops
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

Tswelopele ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Doesn't have one, makes use of community centres. Last place of meetings was Tswelopele Clinic
Contact details for main person:	Gloria Mbekwa
Email	No email
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members are principals of ECD schools
Method for recruiting of new members	Go door to door to principals and work on referrals
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	Tswelopele-Clayville ECD Forum

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	These structures are located close to each other and collaborate through invitations to meetings. They also go to larger national meetings together.
Focus areas	• Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation

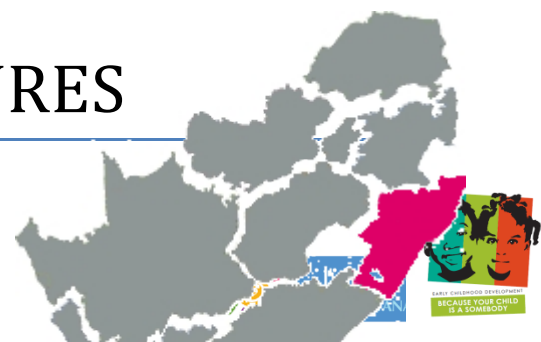
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- Are Rataneng Forum Region F
- Alexandra
- Buhlebuzile
- Bopanang ECD Forum
- Daveyton/Etswatwa
- Diepsloot
- Dobsonville
- East Rand
- ECD Southern Suburb Forum Region F
- Edenpark/Parmridge
- Ekurhuleni East district ECD Forum
- Ekurhuleni Southern District ECD Forum
- Ekurhuleni District ECD Forum
- Faranani Region C (CoJ)
- Hlanganani Ngo Mntwana Region C (CoJ)
- Johannesburg
- Jozi ECD Forum
- Region F
- Kagiso
- Malvern Forum Region F
- Meadowlands ECD Forum Region D
- Orange Farm
- Orlando West ECD Forum Region D
- Phomolong ECD Forum
- Protea
- Randfontein
- Rainbow ECD Forum
- Reggio Interest group Johannesburg

- Region A Johannesburg(COJ)
- SA Congress Inner City Region F
- Sakhisizwe Region C (CoJ)
- Sisonke Midvaal ECD Forum
- Together We Can Forum (Region C)
- Tshebedisano Forum Region F
- Uzizo Labantwana
- Vosloorus
- Wadeville
- Westonaria
- Yeoville Region F
- Zandspruit

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Chest PMB ECD Group

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
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Contact details for main person:	Michael Deegan 333941031
Email	director@communitychest.org.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	

	None
Method for recruiting of new members	None
Frequency of meetings	Twice a week
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue • Issues with DSD

Ithemba Projects: ECD intervention and support

STRUCTURE DETAILS

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Website	http://www.ithembaprojects.org.za/our-blog.html

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ACTIVITIES

Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) Donors ECD sites/ Practitioners Individuals / Parents Private sector
Criteria for membership	Yes: Dependent on the participant.
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth.
Frequency of meetings	Weekly
Collaborates with	- DG Murray Trust - LETEE

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through training and support.
Focus areas	• Capacity building • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

Letee

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
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	3250
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Email	mary@letee.org
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Private sector
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	Funding proposals
Frequency of meetings	Weekly
Collaborates with	KZN ECD National Alliance
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Meetings

Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training
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Mtubatuba ECD Association

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Nkodibe Reserue Mtubatuba

	3935 Kwazulu-Natal
Contact details for main person:	Mvimbeleni C Nxumalo
Email	mvimbeleniN@gmail.com
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet), Professional body (i.e. institute, board, council, association)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners, Private sector
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	None
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	Does not engage with any other structures, they are fully independent
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None

Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Standards of care and education
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PMB ECD Group

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	12 Stranack Street

	Pietermaritzburg KwaZulu- Natal
Contact details for main person:	Michael Deegan 333941031
Email	director@communitychest.org.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Informal (on voluntary basis as and when members can meet)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	None
Method for recruiting of new members	None
Frequency of meetings	Weekly
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None

Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue
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Wentworth ECD Forum & the Lamontville ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
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Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20-40
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Membership is area based
Method for recruiting of new members	Restricted to area and community it serves
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	KZN ECD Technical Committee
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through chairing of meetings

Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • ECD Training, Inclusive education • Joint Fundraising • Policy Development • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue
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- Khanya ECD Association
- Lamontville ECD Association
- Pietermaritzburg Chamber of Commerce ECD Forum
- Pinetown and Highway
- Thembelani ECD Association
- Umngeni Valley ECD Association

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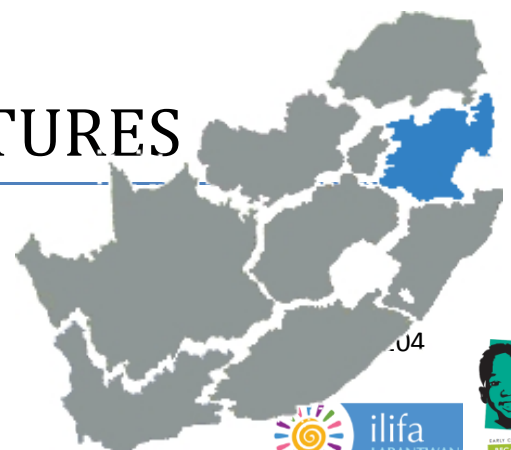
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- Bushbuckridge ECD Association
- Mutale ECD Forum
- Pfukani ECD Forum

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Mpumalanga



Hazyview ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Social Development centre by Tent River, Hayview
Contact details for main person:	Prudence Dladla 791173392
Email	No email
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	40 – 60
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners, Government, Individuals / Parents
Criteria for membership	Members must be teachers and principals

Method for recruiting of new members	Go door to door asking ECD centres to join, sometimes people are referred to us.
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)
Collaborates with	None
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	None
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Joint Fundraising • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

Mpumalanga Early Childhood Development Resource & Training Organisations Forum (MERTOF)

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
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Contact details for main person:	Grace Thanjekwayo 829504668
Email	thanjekwayo.grace@gmail.com
Website	None

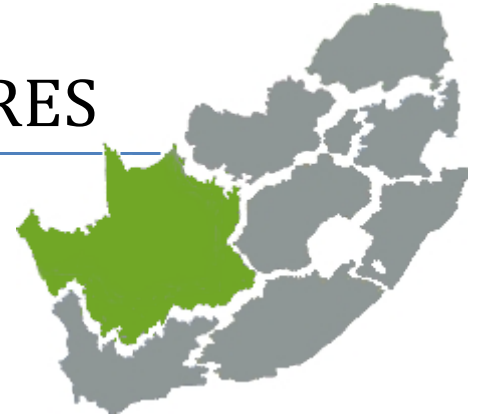
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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO) ECD sites/ Practitioners Government Private sector
Criteria for membership	None

Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Quarterly (3-4 times a year)
Collaborates with	NDA - National Development Agency
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Through invites to meetings
Focus areas	• Joint Fundraising • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

DISTRICT STRUCTURES

Northern Cape



NAPE (Namaqualand Association for Pre-school Education)

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	Tolweg, Springbok, Namaqualand, 8240
Contact details for main person:	Nancy Clarke 721396817
Email	None
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+

Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners, Individuals / Parents
Criteria for membership	Members must belong to one of the NAPE ECD centres
Method for recruiting of new members	Association has been in existence for over 20 years. Most ECD practitioners and centres know about them
Frequency of meetings	Bi-monthly (5-6 times a year)
Collaborates with	CUSTODA Trust
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	These structures work together, invite collaborators to their meetings, workshops etc.
Focus areas	• Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

DISTRICT STRUCTURES

Western Cape



Connect Network

STRUCTURE DETAILS	
Address:	First floor Alexander Building 147 Main Road Somerset West 7130
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Email	dee@connectnetwork.org.za
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES	
Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	100+
Membership Type	

	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO)
Criteria for membership	Members are Christian Faith based, children at risk,
Method for recruiting of new members	By word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Bi-monthly (5-6 times a year)
Collaborates with	Violence Against women network Viva network
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	1. Violence against women network : this structure attends meetings, distribute relevant information and participate in 16 days of activism 2. Viva Network : links with other similar networks worldwide and deliver the quality improvement system for non-profits and churches working with children at risk 3. SANGOCO: attends meetings and distributes relevant information
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • ECD Training • Joint Fundraising • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Inkhanyezi ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS

Address:	Lukhanya Educare Centre
Contact details for main person:	Victoria Mncedi 729036563
Email	None
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES

Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	20 - 40
Membership Type	ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	Members must be principals of ECD schools
Method for recruiting of new members	Word of mouth
Frequency of meetings	Weekly
Collaborates with	• Khayalistha ECD Forum • Ikamva ECD Forum

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	This structure is a part of the Khayalitha ECD Forum. Ikamva is a sister branch
Focus areas	• Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education

SAEP

STRUCTURE DETAILS

Address:	The SAEP Offices B14 Waverly Court Mowbray Cape Town
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Email	sandra@saep.org
Website	None

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ACTIVITIES

Type of structure/forum/body	Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	Less than 20
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), ECD sites/ Practitioners
Criteria for membership	The basic criteria for ECD centres to benefit from our programme is location - Philippi Township, not yet registered, and motivated. There are criteria that have to be agreed upon but these are the three that we look at first.
Method for recruiting of new members	Applications for assistance are collective even when there is no space available in the cluster. Often new recruits are on recommendations by the community or other ECD centres in the current cluster.
Frequency of meetings	Monthly (10-12 times a year)

Collaborates with	• Chaeli Campaign • Inclusive Education
Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	Inclusive education runs weekly workshops for our principals and practitioners and are running parent workshops for our 10 educarees. They are also involved in training our staff to do follow up support on-site. The Chaeli Campaign work with in some of our educarees with their O.T's offering support to the practitioners and parents. They have also offered us support when we identify learners with delays and barriers to learning by conducting a primary assessment and assisting with the correct referral system.
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Capacity building • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

Philippi West ECD Forum

STRUCTURE DETAILS

Address:	4926 Chris Hani St, Philippi, Western Cape
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Website	None

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ACTIVITIES

Type of structure/forum/body	Fee-based membership, Formal (e.g. with a constitution, terms of reference, code of conduct)
Number of organisations participating in the structure/forum/body	40-60
Membership Type	Civil society (NGO, NPO, CBO, FBO), ECD sites/ Practitioners, Individuals / Parents
Criteria for membership	Any ECD principal operating in Philippi West
Method for recruiting of new members	By word of mouth and through community meetings
Frequency of meetings	Weekly
Collaborates with	- Claremont Rotary Club - SAEP

Method of engagement with or participation in these other structures	We are partners and beneficiaries of their projects
Focus areas	• Access to ECD services • Advocacy and awareness-raising • Capacity building • Creating a unified voice for ECD • Curriculum Development • ECD Training • Inclusive education • Infrastructure • Sharing of resources, models of best practice and innovation • Standards of care and education • Strengthening coordination, collaboration and dialogue

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- ECD Forum
- Grapevine ECD Forum
- Ikamva ECD Forum
- Khayelitsha ECD Forum.
- Klein Karoo ECD Forum
- Kraaifontein ECD Forum
- Paarl ECD Forum
- ScaleShift
- Simelela Partnership
- Sir Lowry's Pass ECD Forum
- Violence Prevention through Urban Upgrading (in Khayalitsha)
- VPUU Social Crime Prevention partners
- WallaceDene ECD Forum

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