ECE Shared Resources
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CCA For Social Good®

Only ECE Shared Resources® is…

Practical Knowledge Hub

A Practical ECE Knowledge Hub

Everything needed to offer Early Childhood Education professionals in your state a branded, **web-based platform populated with pragmatic resources** including; regulations, procedures, policies, forms, toolkits, handbooks and more. CCA For Social Good develops, hosts, and maintains the online platform.

A Budget Stretcher

Group Purchasing for Cost Savings

Pre-negotiated **everyday discounts** on products and services used by Early Education programs and others throughout the US. Real savings add up to help child care centers *achieve more with their existing budgets.*

Holistic Resource

Flexible

Flexible & Customizable

Share tools and resources that support *your* mission. Simply **add your own content, create new pages,** or devote an entire section to Quality Rating Improvement Systems (QRIS) toolkits. Sample documents on the site are built to be downloaded and easily customized. *Saving hours of time!*

State Specific

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Each state has its own unique resources and challenges. Along with the included state regulations, organizations can **upload and publish** policies, handbooks, forms, and other materials to create their own state-specific knowledge hub.

Evolving

Continuously Evolving

A living, breathing platform informed by the brightest ECE Professionals. Facilitated by CCA For Social Good, Early Childhood Professionals from across the country contribute to and benefit from an **ever-growing knowledge hub of quality resources.** Leverage the efforts of other ECE Shared Resources states through conversations and collaborative content development.
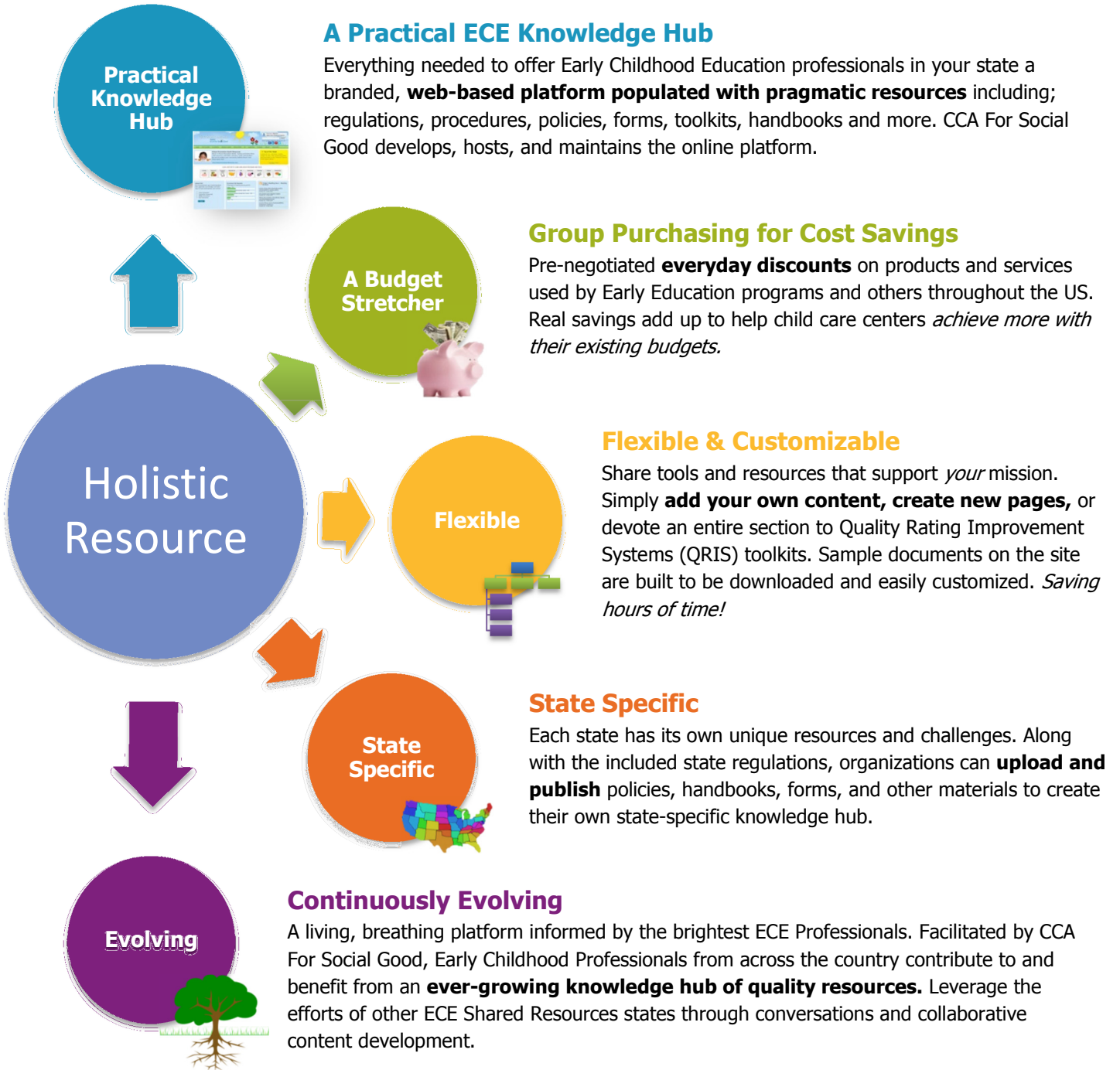
Access to ECE Shared Resources is through Membership

Associations, organizations or government agencies pay a fee to sponsor a branded version of the **ECE Shared Resources** platform. They in turn offer password access to their members for a fee or as a membership benefit of their organization. If you are interested in becoming a sponsoring organization, please visit **www.ECESharedResources.com**.

ECE Shared Resource Program Experiences

A Director of a very well-run center had an existing **Family Handbook** which was thought to be quite well put together; after reviewing the Family Handbook on ECE Shared Resources, the Director completely updated their existing handbook.

Several Directors reported that they are using the **Hand Washing training** as part of a new employee orientation and as a refresher during the year to help keep staff in the practice of proper hand washing protocol. Additional support materials (e.g. the FREE Hand Washing step by step posters) reinforce the proper process and remind employees as they wash their hands. One program indicated they were using the FREE posters to help teach children about germs and the importance of hand washing.

Several users reported that the **Field Trip Planning** documents in the site helped them really think through the management and tracking needed before, during, and upon conclusion of a field trip.

Numerous program directors reported that they were delighted to find free **Microsoft Office training.**

Several organizations reported that they now follow proper protocol for terminating an employee after reading the **Employee Discipline** and Termination Guide.

Several programs began giving **Performance Evaluations** because they now had access an evaluation form on the site. Previously, they did not have a method or a guide to conduct and document the evaluation.

A major AEYC affiliate was struggling to help programs put together **Risk Management plans** until they saw the Risk Management program on the site. Now they refer everyone to the Risk Management plan on the site as the starting point.

At least a dozen programs reported they started **marketing for the first time** because of the resources available in the Marketing section of the site.

Upon announcing that a **Social Media Policy** was developed and uploaded to the site – over 60% of users logged in within 30 minutes to get this policy. Four emails from Directors stated that were ecstatic because they were able to implement the policy that very day and get it off their "to do" lists.

HR/Employment required **Posters** are available for free through the site, two programs reported they had been paying $20 - $40 for them.