Running a small, independent child development center typically means:

Navigating an overwhelming system (licensing, quality ratings, child outcomes, small business ownership, child assessment systems.)

Nights and weekends spent on paperwork, budgets, recordkeeping.

Limited training opportunities.

Isolation.

No support.

But ECLC has a better way!

**Quality at Scale: The Early Connections Approach**

- Improved Health Benefits
- Lower Admin Costs
- Funding + Partnership Opportunities
- Improved Compensation Wages + Benefits
- Career Advancement Opportunities
- Higher + Consistent Enrollment
- Quality Work Life
- Embedded Classroom Coaching
- Teacher Stability
- Professional Development
- Paid Release Time
- Lower Bad Debt
- Stronger Job Satisfaction
- Better Classroom Mngmnt.
- Stronger Teacher Recruitment
- Better Family Engagement
- Teacher Stability
- Professional Development

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**PROVIDED SUPPORTED SERVICES:**

- Marketing
- Enrollment
- Personalized Site-based Training by Colorado-Approved and Credentialed Coaches
- Professional Learning Communities
- Curriculum Lending Library
- Curriculum Support
- Billing
- Fiscal Oversight / Tracking Trends
- Fundraising and Fund Reporting

**94%** of preschool children meet or exceed school readiness milestones.

**100%** of centers (open full-day, year-round) are NAEYC accredited and have the top quality Colorado Shines rating.

**100%** of families participate in a home visit or conference every year.

**100%** of infant, toddler and preschool children receive regular developmental screening and educational assessments.

**100%** of preschool children receive hearing and vision screening annually.