

FPG updates

- Data sets on SharePoint - last updated date
 - **Attendance** - 2/7/25
 - Spring Parent Surveys - 11/4/24
 - **Classroom observations** - 2/7/25
 - **Key demographic data** - 2/7/25
 - **Child assessment data** - 2/7/25
 - Spring Staff Surveys - 6/17/24, Teacher - 11/4/24
 - **Fall Parent Interview 2024-25** - 3/14/25
 - Includes the \$AllSites and your own site's data
- Fall Parent Interview reports available on SharePoint
- FPG's ELN site has been updated - take a look around!
 - There is a new resource explaining websites for Educare researchers that explains what tasks or resources are available through each website

Key upcoming dates

- **April 15** - Spring Parent Survey launch date
- **April 21** - Staff Survey collection due date
- **April 30** - 10% sample check due
- **May 6** - Pre-Network meeting with LEPs, EDs, and NEPs
- **May 7-9** - Network Meeting in Flint, MI

Helpful Links

Team Member Dashboard

Link: <https://eln.fpg.unc.edu>

Log in and navigate to Team Member Dashboard to find:

- National Evaluation Manual
- Video Queue
- Study Tools and Forms (formerly “team resources”)
- Memos, Data Slides, and Paper Lists

EREDS

Review function

Conference presentations, papers, and proposed studies must be reviewed by the Educare Research Evaluation and Data Strategy Work Group. Papers should be reviewed before submission; conference presentations can be reviewed after they are accepted but at least two weeks prior to the presentation. The review form and list of EREDS members can be found on the Study Tools and Forms page of eln.fpg.unc.edu

Recent updates

In their last meeting, EREDS reviewed the changes to the spring staff and parent surveys, discussed the future of the CARES group, and engaged in a data dialogue about fidelity to the Educare requirements.

EREDS next meeting is May 1 at 12pm eastern.

Reminders

2024-25 Staff Surveys

All surveys should be completed online or shipped to FPG by April 21.

If staff are completing paper surveys, be sure there is an ID on the survey, provide an envelope for confidentiality, and mail the survey to FPG for data entry. Updated paper forms are available on the Study Tools and Forms page.

If you have any questions about staff surveys, reach out to Kalen and/or Keil.

Shortened Parent Interview for Spring

Shortened versions of the interview (based on your site's selections) are available for use with families who did not already complete the interview in the fall semester. See Gisele's email from 2/14 for more information.

Spring Parent Survey

Spring parent surveys will be launching on April 15. These can be completed by families either on paper or via e-survey. Instructions on the preload process were sent from Keil via email on 3/25 or visit chapter 10 of the LEP manual.

Parent survey responses from paper forms or other e-surveys, like qualtrics, are entered to the FPG survey site by the LEP team.

Classroom Observation Coversheet

ITERS-3 and CLASS data collection is underway; remember to collect (and obtain) Classroom Observation Coversheets, to capture important information about class composition and the use of English and other languages. LEP Manual chapter 9 has been updated to show the data entry process.

At our last meeting...

LEP-NEP CoP - April 11, 2025

Dr. Kara Ahmed, President of the Educare Network, and Mike Burke, Vice President of the Buffett Early Childhood Fund, spoke to the group regarding the current federal context and how the network is moving forward. With updated community guidelines that the CoP will no longer be recorded nor allow AI notetakers, Allison De Marco engaged the group in a conversation about needed supports going forward.

Amanda Stein provided updates about Network meeting shuttle transportation. More information will be sent next week via email.

The NEP team provided information about spring surveys, including deadlines and instructions. If your LEP team or site has any questions about the spring staff survey, spring parent survey, or shortened spring parent interview, please reach out to the National Evaluation team at FPG.

There will not be a May CoP due to the Network Meeting in Flint, MI from May 7-9.