**CEEDAR Cross-State Convening 2021**

Atlanta Marriott Buckhead, Atlanta, GA

June 22nd-June 24th

**Goals**

* Increase alignment of policies and practices among IHE and SEA to support innovative preparation and practice happening at the LEA level to ensure personnel have the training they need to stay in the profession;
* Develop/refine/scale state TA blueprint goals including those on attracting, preparing, retaining effective personnel from previous convening;
* Further develop strong relationships and shared vision within state teams and cross-state learning group participants;
* Refine and update state TA blueprint goals to include emphasis areas of equity and access (including culturally relevant education and diversifying the workforce and inclusive leadership); and
* Increased state capacity to sustain and scale reform efforts within states with a focus on addressing those systems that impact teacher shortages.

**Brief Agenda**

**Day 1: Tuesday, June 22nd**

**3:00pm-4:30pm**: Opening Session/Speaker

**4:30pm-5:30pm**: State Team Time

**Day 2: Wednesday, June 23rd**

**8:30am-9:20am**: Morning Session

**9:30am-11:00am**: Morning Breakout sessions

* Theme: Partnerships related to…
  + Equity
  + Clinical Practice
  + Shortages (attraction, preparation, retention)
  + Policy to Support Partnerships
  + General Education/Special Education Leadership
  + Infrastructure

**11:30am-1:00pm**: State Team Time/Working Lunch

**1:15pm-2:45pm**: Afternoon Breakout sessions

* Theme: Professional Development/Resources to support…
  + Equity
  + Content areas (reading, math, classroom behavior management, UDL)
  + High Leverage Practices
  + Policy
  + Leaders
  + Partner Centers/Organizations

**2:45pm-3:30pm**: Break

**3:30pm-4:45pm**: State Team Time

**5:00pm-5:30pm**: Whole Group Session

**5:45pm-6:45pm**: Networking Social with State Poster Sessions

**Day 3: Thursday, June 24th**

**8:30am-11:00am**: Breakout Sessions and Cross State Learning Groups

**11:15am-12:45pm**: State Team Time

**1:15pm-2:00pm**: Closing Session/Working Lunch