



## Terminology

**Educators:** professionals with regular (daily or near-daily), direct responsibilities for the care and education of young children (this includes child care settings and centers, preschools, and elementary schools); included in this category are home visitors

**Leaders:** those in such leadership roles as center directors, principals, and administrators

**Coach:** provides coaching to educators in the implementation of evidence-based practices and strategies

**Leadership Team:** a group of people who will be responsible for guiding and monitoring the implementation of the evidence-based practice throughout the program or community

**Home-based:** services delivered primarily in family, home or owner home. Home visitors are placed in this category since their services are primarily delivered in family homes; their positions, however, may operate out of centers or schools

**Center-based:** services delivered primarily in centers, churches, public facilities (not schools)

**School-based:** services delivered primarily in schools

## Acronyms

**BoQ:** Benchmarks of Quality

**TPOT:** Teaching Pyramid Observation Tool

**TPITOS:** Teaching Pyramid Infant Toddler Observation Scale