

Education Northwest (WA), in collaboration with the Washington Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI), the Community Center for Education Results (CCER), Roots of Inclusion, and the Washington State Family and Community Engagement Trust proposes to establish a statewide collaborative infrastructure for family engagement; build educator and family capacity for effective and equitable family-school-community partnerships; and develop district and school capacity to identify, implement, and sustain evidence-based family engagement practices. District and school capacity-building efforts will include online resources; opportunities to convene educators, families, and community partners; and intensive training and technical assistance. The proposed project outcomes include educators, families, and community members report (a) improved policy, structural, and resource support for family-school-community partnerships; (b) increased awareness of and connections to community-based organizations; (c) increased confidence and capacity to implement family-school-community partnerships; and (d) increased use of evidence-based family engagement practices within schools. Number of participants to be served: Approximately 1,094,330 students through statewide information and resources; and students within approximately 192 schools identified for comprehensive or targeted supports.