



Hidalgo County Head Start Program

Policy Council Regular Agenda

DATE: March 23, 2016

SUBJECT: Presentation of the Blue Ribbon Centers

RATIONALE/NEED: The purpose of selecting ten (10) Blue Ribbon Centers is to recognize excellence in performance. Each year during the Self-Assessment process a set of criteria is used to rate each center and identify those with outstanding performance.

RECOMMENDATION: None

COST:

RELATED INFORMATION INCLUDES: List of the Blue Ribbon Centers and Rating Criteria

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Hidalgo County Head Start Program

2016 Blue Ribbon Centers

Weslaco - I Head Start Center

McAllen - V Head Start Center

San Carlos Head Start Center

Progreso Head Start Center

La Estancia Head Start Center

La Herencia Head Start Center

Mercedes - I Head Start Center

Edinburg - II Head Start Center

U.T.R. G. V. Head Start Center

McAllen - VI Head Start Center



Hidalgo County Head Start Program
2016 Annual Self-Assessment

Blue Ribbon Centers

Rating Criteria

Center: _____ Team: _____ Date: _____

I. Is the Center in full compliance with all Federal Performance Standards? **Rating:** _____

II. The environment is welcoming, inviting and clean. **Rating:** _____

III. Are volunteers present? YES or NO if NO **Rating:** _____

Is there documentation reflecting the involvement of volunteers? How is the participation during the monthly parent meetings?

IV. The children's records are well organized, complete and accurate. **Rating:** _____

V. The staff is knowledgeable of policies & procedures for _____ Dept. **Rating:** _____

VI. Did the center meet the 10% disability quota? **Rating:** _____

VII. How is staff attendance? (Education) **Rating:** _____

How is children's attendance? (Family Services) **Rating:** _____

VIII. How is the overall performance of children as per assessments? (Education) **Rating:** _____

IX. When was the last visit by Child Care Licensing? **Rating:** _____

Were there any non-compliance?

Overall Comments: _____

Note: Please rate each category between 1 and 10, 1 being the lowest and 10 being the highest.