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QRIS Revision Updates

In April the OEL team held meetings with the Advisory Council and State Leadership Team. Much of the focus of these meetings was to review the current standards across all settings and, for each one, answer the following questions:

- Does it align with our goals?;
- Is it equitable (for children and for programs)?;
- Is it repetitive (in the Office of Child Care licensing or other regulations)?; and
- Is it easily verifiable?

The answers to the questions informed the decisions about whether standards should be kept as is, revised, or removed. As a result of this work the State Leadership Team modified elements of the proposed revised structure of the Stars and shared it with the Advisory Council for review. OEL is incorporating the Advisory Council's feedback into a new version that will be shared with stakeholders in the coming month. Stay tuned for opportunities to provide your input! Starting in May, the Advisory Council will meet monthly to provide iterative feedback on the revision process as it moves forward.