

## New York State Pyramid Model Work **Groups**

The State Leadership Team has several work groups focused on various factors that improve access to and the quality of the supports provided throughout the state. If you or your organization is interested in participating, email us at: PyramidModel@ccf.ny.gov

## **Data & Evaluation**

This work group focuses on conducting a mixed methods study that combines both qualitative and quantitative methodologies to examine the efficacy of the implementation of Pyramid Model training in New York State.

## Policy, Advocacy & Fiscals

This work group strives to reduce and eventually eliminate suspensions and expulsions of children in early childhood settings (child care, Head Start programs, pre-K) and establish coordinated standards for responding to challenging behaviors. The group is also working on developing financial strategies to support the implementation and sustainability of the Pyramid Model.

## Communication & Marketing

The purpose of this work group is to generate acceptance of and exposure to the Pyramid Model to support New York State's goal of developing and achieving the social-emotional competencies that are the foundation for a healthy life for New York's children and families.

