# **DELA-WHERE?**

















### TAX FREE SHOPPING







### **Beautiful Beaches**







# Babies!!!!!!

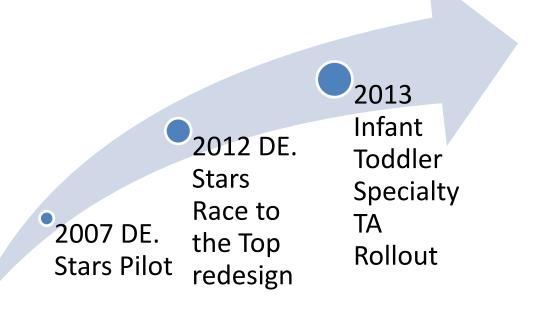








### **Delaware Stars Timeline**





## **Initial Outreach Strategy**

#### **ERS Support**

- Preparing for Assessment.
- Understanding the "Whys" behind the tool.

### Quality Improvement

- Understanding DAP
- Sharing Resources and Info
- Goal Setting

# Other Incentives

- Financial benefits
- Quality of life improvements





### Confinement





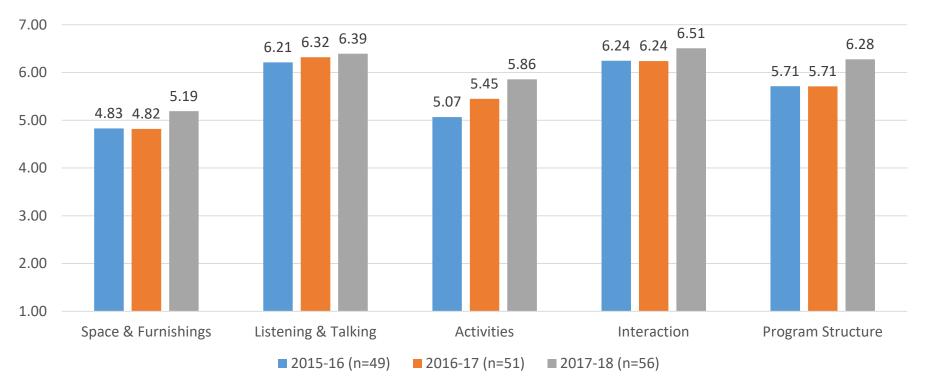
# Study of 2014 Infant classrooms in DE. Findings

- 22% (an average of just under one child per classroom observed) were confined for 30 Minutes or longer
- on Average, 3.24 confinement devices per classroom were found.

Hallam, R.A., 2018, The Use of Infant Confinement Equipment in Community-Based Child Care Centers: An Analysis of Centers Participating in a Statewide Quality Rating and Improvement System.



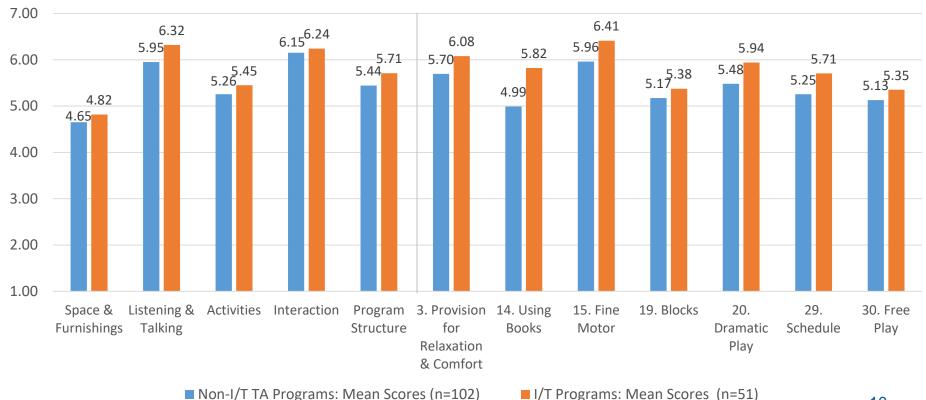
### **ITERS-R Subscale Scores for Select Programs**





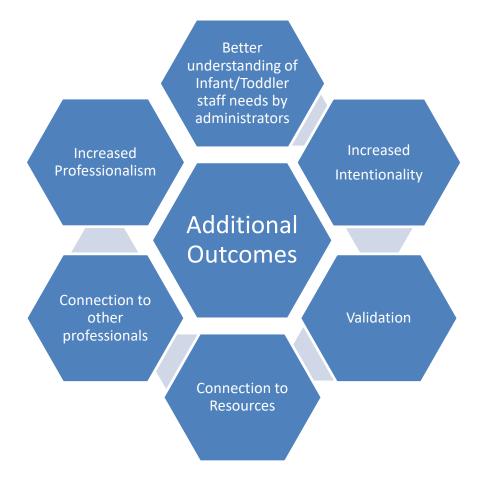


### 2016-17 ITERS-R Subscale and Item-level Scores















### What's Next?

### Increased Presence through the entire State.

Working with programs on how to talk about Infant and toddler developmental needs with families.

Helping understand the transitional needs from toddler to preschooler.



