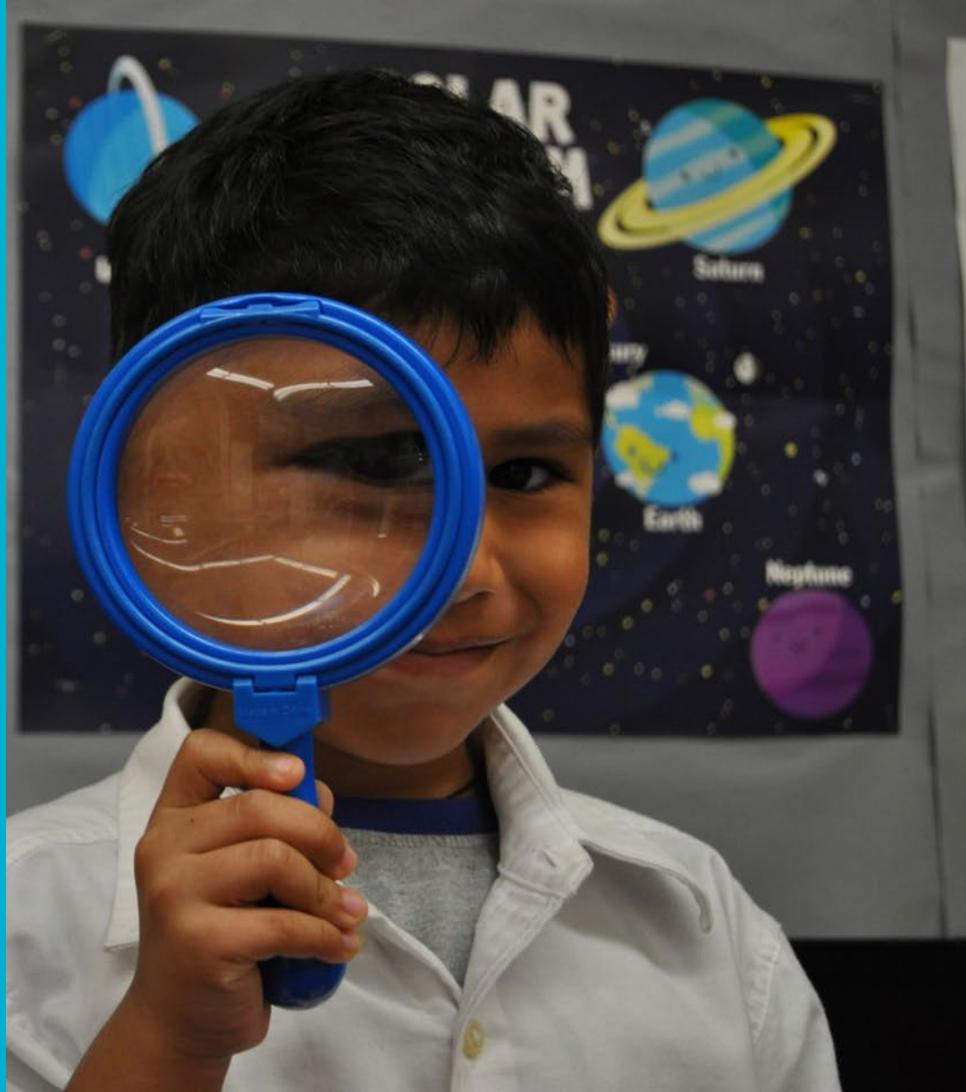


# Head Start Program Update

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# Briefing Items

- Head Start Program Model
- Program Governance Structure
- Impasse Procedure
- Program Highlights



# Head Start - Program Overview

	Head Start	Early Head Start	Early Head Start - Child Care Partnership
Funded Enrollment	3,020	128	216
Services Area	Edgewood ISD, San Antonio ISD	EISD Stafford Early Childhood Center & Home Base	(6) Partner Child Care Centers
Program Design	6.5 hours per day – 177 days per year	7 hours per day – 198 days per year	10 hours per day - 240 days per year
Child Age	3 – 4 years old	6 weeks – 36 months	6 weeks – 36 months
2022-2023 Federal Funding	\$23.3 million	\$2.8 million	\$3.1 million
Governance Structure	City Council, (2) Advisory Committees and Head Start Policy Council		
Funding Source	Federal Head Start, Child Care Services and State PreK Funding		
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Prioritize families with Special Education needs</li> <li>- Experiencing homelessness &amp; children in foster care</li> <li>- Under 130% federal poverty</li> </ul>		

# Head Start - Program Model

DHS Grant Recipient

Program Governance & Parent Leadership

Family & Community Services, Family Wellness Support

Quality Assurance & Professional Development

Service Providers

Early Childhood Education

Health Services

Dental Services

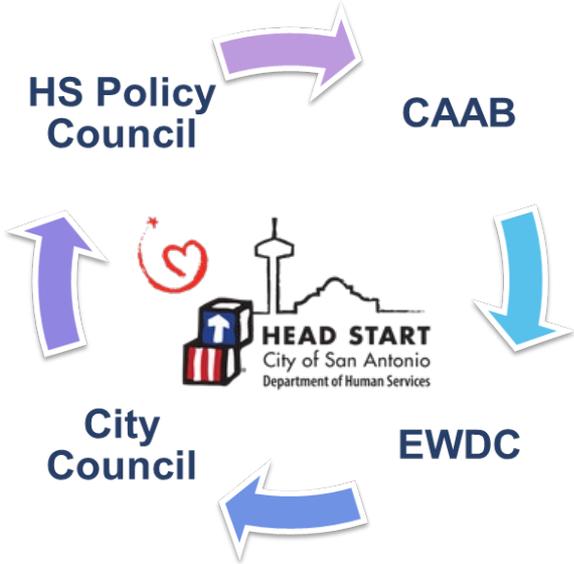
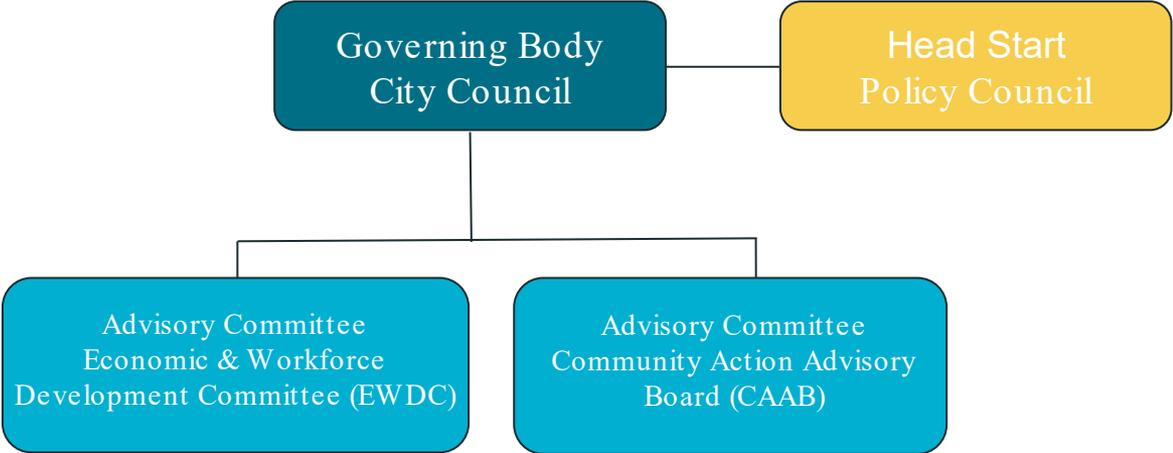
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# Governance Structure



# Impasse Procedure

## 1301.6 Impasse Procedures

To facilitate meaningful consultation and collaboration about decisions of the governing body and policy council, we have written procedures for resolving internal disputes in a timely manner that include impasse procedures.

## Process

These procedures must:

- Demonstrate that the governing body considers proposed decisions from the policy council and that the policy council considers proposed decisions from the governing body;
- If there is a disagreement, require the governing body and the policy council to notify the other in writing why it does not accept a decision; and
- Describe a decision-making process and a timeline to resolve disputes and reach decisions that are not arbitrary, capricious, or illegal.

# Program Highlights



## Families Establish

- Medical & Dental Homes

## Screenings

- Developmental
- Social/Emotional
- Lead
- Dental

## Family Goal Setting

- Family Life Practices
- Support for Children
- Family Self-Sufficiency
- Support of Families
- Leadership Roles

## Parent Leadership

- Program Governance through Policy Council
- Parent Leaders
- Platicas
- PASEO

## Rigorous Health & Safety Regulations at Centers & Sites

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