

# Entry 1: Formal Knowledge Source – Cover Sheet

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Applicant Name

I have attached the Formal Knowledge Source Competency Grid for Certification for Early Intervention Specialist. For each competency indicator that requires one, I have documented a knowledge source listing the type of course or offering, a brief description if appropriate, and the page number on which the supporting documentation can be found. Attached documentation consists of:

- Graduate and undergraduate college transcripts, and supporting documentation as needed
- Certificates issued by the Early Intervention Training Center

I **hereby certify** that the attached accurately represents my work, and that the attached are copies of official transcripts and Early Intervention Training Center certificates issued to me.

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Applicant Signature

Date

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1.1 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of typical and atypical infant and early childhood development, including major theories, domains and their interconnection; sequences; ranges; and variability.	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <input type="text"/>	
1.2 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of current research findings on brain development and identify factors that influence early brain development and learning.	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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<p>1.3 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of common factors impacting and influencing child development, including environment, culture, family, and caregiver relationships.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>
<p>1.4 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of origins and characteristics of developmental disabilities and disorders as well as their impact on early development and child/caregiver interactions.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>



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<p>1.5 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of the impact of biological risk factors, including but not limited to prematurity and other medical conditions, on child development and child/caregiver interactions.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"></div>
<p>1.6 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of how trauma and other sources of family and environmental stress influence early development and child/caregiver interactions.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"></div>





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<p>1.7 EI Specialists will identify how children learn through play within and across developmental domains, based on individual learning styles and temperament.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>
<p>1.8 EI Specialists will identify how children learn through relationships, and demonstrate knowledge of a relationship-based approach to interventions and outcomes.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>



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<b>AREA 2: EVALUATION AND ASSESSMENT</b>			
2.3 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge and skill in relation to a range of evaluation and assessment procedures in determining eligibility, such as standardized evaluation, criterion-referenced assessment, family assessment tools, and child/caregiver and peer interactions.	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript  <input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <input type="text"/> Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max). <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<b>AREA 3. FAMILY CENTERED SERVICES AND SUPPORTS</b>			
3.6 EI Specialists will demonstrate an understanding of family dynamics and the impact on a family of having a child with a developmental delay or disability.	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript  <input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <input type="text"/> Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max). <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>



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<b>AREA 4. INDIVIDUALIZED FAMILY SERVICE PLAN (IFSP)</b>			
4.1 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of federal and state components and requirements throughout the IFSP process, including procedural safeguards.	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript  <input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <input type="text"/> Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max). <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<b>AREA 5. SERVICE COORDINATION</b>			
5.4 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of and ability to network with public and private providers in order to assist the family in accessing a variety of individualized services and resources, including but not limited to financial, specialty service, health, social, and developmental services and resources.	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript  <input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <input type="text"/> Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max). <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>



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<p>5.7 EI Specialists will demonstrate knowledge of federal, state, and local LEA requirements and timelines to ensure smooth transitions for children transitioning to Part B services.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 150px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>
<b>AREA 7. TEAM COLLABORATION</b>			
<p>7.1 EI Specialists will demonstrate an understanding of the roles, functions, and dynamics of teams within Early Intervention.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate</p>	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 150px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin: 0 auto;"></div>





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<b>AREA 8. POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND PROFESSIONALISM</b>			
<p>8.1 EI Specialists will demonstrate a basic knowledge of relevant federal and state legislation, regulations and policies that impact services and supports to children and families (including IDEA, FERPA, Massachusetts EI Operational Standards, and state eligibility criteria).</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript  <input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"></div>
<p>8.2 EI Specialists will participate in opportunities for continued training and education for the purpose of ensuring personal and professional growth.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> College Transcript  <input type="checkbox"/> EI Training Center Certificate	<p><b>Name of college course or workshop</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 25px; width: 100%;"></div> <p>Attach a course description and/or syllabus for course cited, and refer to it here. If no course description or syllabus is available, provide a detailed description in your own words of how a course or up to three courses address this competency indicator (660 character max).</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 200px; width: 100%;"></div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 50px; height: 30px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"></div>