

**Early Learning Florida – SR974
Professional Development System**

The University of Florida will assist Florida's Office of Early Learning by accomplishing the following:

- Provide early learning coalitions and early care and education providers with professional development opportunities that will significantly improve child care and instructor quality by increasing the knowledge and skills of early childhood professionals.
- Develop certified communities of practice facilitators that can implement communities of practice cohorts as part of the implementation of the professional development system.
- Develop certified technical assistance coaches capable of providing individual technical assistance coaching as part of the implementation of the professional development system.