



Our mission is to coalesce, inspire, and support the Head Start field as a leader in early childhood development and education.

We Need You!
Speak Up for Head Start



Why Is Advocacy Important?

Head Start exists because parents and staff have fought as advocates for Head Start.

What Is Head Start Advocacy?

- ✓ Expressing pride in your Head Start program. Sharing stories about how Head Start helps children and families thrive now and in the future with friends, neighbors, and community leaders.
- ✓ Talking about your program as the place parents want their children to attend, and teachers want to work.
- ✓ Signing and sending emails or letters of support for Head Start to political leaders.

**JOIN THE HEAD START
ADVOCACY NETWORK:**



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NHSA and State Associations Working Together

The National Head Start Association (NHSA) works with your State Association to get better funding and policies for Head Start programs. When you sign up for the Advocacy Network, you will be the first to hear from us about how you can help us do this and be an advocate for Head Start.