Appendix A: First 5 LA Theory of Change – Full Pathway

Goal Statements
- Children are born healthy. Decrease the percent of babies born at a low birth weight
- Children are safe from abuse and neglect. TBD, Number of substantiated cases of child abuse and neglect
- Children are ready for Kindergarten. Increase the percent of children reading at grade level at 3rd grade
- Children maintain a healthy weight. Decrease the percent of overweight children

Intermediate Outcome
- Children bond with parent/caregiver
- Parents/caregivers support their child’s learning
- Children have access to quality ECE
- Children have good dental health
- Children have adequate physical activity
- Parents/caregivers model healthy behaviors
- Infants and children have good nutrition
- Children are safe from abuse and neglect

Communities are supportive of families
- Policies that impact the P-5 population are improved
- The multiple systems that benefit the P-5 population are integrated and accessible
- Children have access to health insurance
- High quality workforce in all domains of early childhood development