

# NPDCI State Work: Real World Applications – Virginia use of the Landscape survey

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The Virginia Cross-Sector Professional Development (VCPD) Leadership Team conducted an initial survey of early childhood professional development providers in Virginia using *The Landscape: A Statewide Survey for Providers of Professional Development in Early Childhood* in fall, 2009. Their purpose was to produce a descriptive landscape of early childhood professional development in Virginia. The team is preparing for a second Landscape survey to go out this winter. The results from the Landscape are being used to shape a cross-sector system of early childhood professional development in Virginia.

The Landscape is available free-of charge for state planning use. A web presentation about the Landscape, a copy of the Landscape, a FAQ sheet, and the Virginia results are available via the link below.

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- [The Landscape: A Statewide Survey for Providers of Professional Development in Early Childhood](#)

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This seems like a great study. I'm eager to see how the next one this winter goes and what the results look like for the development of early childhood.

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