

October 2018 Professional Development Opportunities

★ All new trainings marked with a star.

To register contact Kristi at 1-800-886-3952 ext. 38

Session Date	Description	CDA Content Areas	Location
★ 10/02/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Quality Observations: A Practice That Improves Your Work - Observations can be used to build relationships with children of all ages, guide your lesson planning and assist in assessments. Learn how to identify and explore different types of observations and how they can deepen your practice. Discuss when and where observations are completed and practice skills needed for quality observations. This two-hour, in-person session is appropriate for professionals working with all ages.	CDA02 - 2.00hrs.	Bright Beginnings Daycare Ministry and Preschool (Greene)
★ 10/04/2018 6:30pm-8:30pm	School-Age Essentials: Make the Most of Homework Time - Explore best-practices for homework time in this two-hour in-person session. Discuss developmental stages and appropriate expectations. Participants leave with practices to implement within their programs. This session is appropriate for staff serving school-age children.	CDA02 - 2.00hrs.	BTWCC (Vigo)
★  10/10/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Healthy Foundations: Program Practices for Wellness - Learn about nurturing physical activity and healthy eating with young children. Through new research and best practice guidelines, discover the groundwork for healthy practices. Explore new information on how much children need to move and how important nutrition is to healthy development. Participants gain the skills to look at their own schedules and methods to see where there is room for healthier practices. Early childhood education professionals of all levels can benefit from this overview.	CDA01 - 2.00hrs.	BDLC (Monroe)
10/10/2018 5:30pm-8:30pm	Orientation II-A requirement for family child care providers to become licensed - Preparation for Home Child Care Licensure is the 2nd training in this two- part series designed to outline regulatory requirements, licensing steps and resources for providing licensed child care in a home environment. You will leave this training prepared to take the next steps to licensing your home and will receive the necessary paperwork.	CDA01 - 1.50hrs. CDA05 - 1.00hrs. CDA06 - 0.50hrs.	Martinsville Library (Morgan)
10/11/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Temperament: A Practical Approach in Meeting Individual Needs - Right from the start, babies are different from each other. An understanding of temperamental differences can help caregivers work more responsively and effectively with the individual infants and toddlers in their care. Participants will learn about the nine temperament traits, the three temperament types, and increasing the goodness of fit with infants and toddlers.	CDA03 - 1.00hrs. CDA04 - 0.50hrs. CDA08 - 0.50hrs.	CRADLES of Clay County (Clay)
★ 10/16/2018 6:30pm-8:30pm	Strategies to Spark Learning in Preschool and Pre-K - Balance a focus on learning outcomes and child-directed experiences in your practice. Join this two-hour, face-to-face session to examine strategies for teaching in preschool pre-K environments. Participants also outline how to implement those on a daily basis. This session is ideal for early childhood professionals working with children ages 3 to 5.	CDA02 - 2.00hrs.	BTWCC (Vigo)
★ 10/18/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Behaviors: What Children Communicate & How To Respond - Children's social-emotional development and children's behaviors go hand-in-hand. In this two-hour professional development session, participants learn how to identify what young children's behavior communicates, as well as how to respond. To reinforce desired behaviors, early childhood staff can focus on teaching new skills. This face-to-face introductory session is appropriate for those who want to use effective social-emotional strategies to support children's growth and positive behavior.	CDA03 - 2.00hrs.	Martinsville Library (Morgan)

★ 10/22/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Difficult or Just Different? Managing Diverse Staff and Family Personalities -Discuss how our own emotional intelligence and perceptions impact our ability to communicate with others. Get practical tips on engaging in constructive conflict. This intermediate, two-hour, in-person opportunity is appropriate for those who have some experience working with diverse personalities.	CDA06 - 2.00hrs.	Children's Village (Monroe)
★ 10/23/2018 6:30pm-8:30pm	Engaging Families: Activate Your Most Essential Partners - Collaborate with one another to gain a deeper understanding of family engagement. Examine multiple ways to expand family engagement practices and outcomes, which are critical to quality early childhood education. This introductory, two-hour, in-person session is appropriate for those who are new to family engagement or who want to improve or update their current practices in programs that serve children ages 0 to 8.	CDA04 - 2.00hrs.	Vigo County Public Library (Vigo)
10/24/2018 6:00pm-8:30pm	Safe Sleeping Practices and Reducing the Risk of SIDS in Child Care - Participants will increase their understanding of a safe sleeping environment for infants from newborn to twelve months of age. Focus will be on creating a safe and healthy sleeping area, risk reduction strategies for Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), and accidental death prevention. This training is a pre-service requirement that satisfies Public Law 162-205 for home licensure, as well as Provider Eligibility Standards Certified home providers (CCDF Voucher). Child care providers from all settings are encouraged to attend this free training.	CDA01 - 2.50hrs.	Artesian Child Care (Morgan)
10/29/2018 5:00pm-7:30pm	Safe Sleeping Practices and Reducing the Risk of SIDS in Child Care - Participants will increase their understanding of a safe sleeping environment for infants from newborn to twelve months of age. Focus will be on creating a safe and healthy sleeping area, risk reduction strategies for Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), and accidental death prevention. This training is a pre-service requirement that satisfies Public Law 162-205 for home licensure, as well as Provider Eligibility Standards Certified home providers (CCDF Voucher). Child care providers from all settings are encouraged to attend this free training.	CDA01 - 2.50hrs.	BTWCC (Vigo)
★ 10/29/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Introducing Rekenreks; aka a Number Rack: Rekenreks open doors for thinking about math in new and exciting ways. It is a tool for pk-3 that helps build skills such as one to one correspondence, counting forwards and backwards, addition and subtraction, and fluency. Join us to learn more about this amazing tool and how it can work for your program!	CDA 02 - 2.00hrs.	St. Marks's Nursery School and Kindergarten (Monroe)
★ 10/30/2018 6:00pm-8:00pm	Learning Centers for Preschool and Pre-K Settings: Create a Rich Learning Environment - Learning centers provide children with rich learning opportunities. Examine a range of centers and how to incorporate them in early childhood environments. As a result of this session, participants can articulate the importance of setting up learning centers properly for learning in preschool and pre-K settings. This two-hour, in-person session is appropriate for anyone working with children 3-5.	CDA02 - 2.00hrs.	CRADLES of Clay County Brazil

BTWCC – Booker T. Washington Community Center – 1101 S. 13th Street, Terre Haute, IN 47802



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