



STANLY COUNTY PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN

CHILD CARE SERVICES

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

FOR

CHILD CARE PROVIDERS

Fall 2023

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Fall 2023 Workshops/Stanly County Partnership For Children

September 7th Using and Understanding the ECERS-R (Part 1) 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Gay Huneycutt, Technical Assistant Specialist with SCPC

During this hands-on class, we will discuss each item and specific indicators of the Early Childhood Environmental Rating Scale (R) for children 2 ½ through 5 years of age. Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and gain information on the ECERS-R. **(2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00).**

September 12th How Are You? How Am I? 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Jessica McQuillen, Healthy Social Behavior Specialist, CCRI, Inc.

Most teachers work hard to teach their students a variety of literature and pre-literacy activities. But emotional literacy-the ability to identify, understand, and respond to emotions in yourself and others in a healthy manner is just as important (if not more) for school readiness. We will discuss the many benefits to children who gain a strong foundation in emotional literacy, explore simple ways you can foster emotional literacy in your classroom and share some excellent resources for tools and activities teachers can include in their daily classroom curriculum to make intentional teaching of emotions fun and easy. **(2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)**

September 20th ITS/SIDS Training 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Melissa Jones, R.N., Child Health Care Consultant

Developed by the NC Healthy Start Foundation's ITS-SIDS Project, this session meets state requirements for ITS-SIDS training. Participants will learn to reduce the risk of SIDS through safe sleep practices for infants. Participants will also review Safe Sleep Policy guidelines, NC Division of Child Development and Early Education licensing rules, and maintenance of the proper forms. **(2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)**

September 26th Using and Understanding the ECERS-R (Part 2) 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Gay Huneycutt, Technical Assistant Specialist with SCPC

During this hands-on class, we will discuss each item and specific indicators of the Early Childhood Environmental Rating Scale (R) for children 2 ½ through 5 years of age. Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and gain information on the ECERS-R. **(2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)**

October 11th ITS/SIDS Training 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Melissa Jones, R.N., Child Health Care Consultant

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**October 19th Temperament: A Practical Approach to Meeting
Individual Needs 6:30-8:30 pm**

Instructor: Priscilla Hayes, Lead Infant-Toddler Specialist, CCRI Inc.

Why is understanding temperament important for infant care teachers/providers? How an adult responds to individual differences in temperament influences children's experiences in group care and affects their developing sense of self and ability to regulate their temperament tendencies. During this session we will define temperament and discuss temperament tendencies and care teacher strategies. **(2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)**

October 13th Playground Safety Training 11:00 am- 3:00 pm

Instructor: Nickie Sightler, Social Behavior Specialist with SCPC

This 4-hour introductory level training event is for early child care professionals who will be responsible for monthly playground inspections as required by NC Child Care Regulations. This session is designed to promote safe outdoor play areas for children in child care. Participants will learn about potential hazards on the playground and will gain hands-on experience by completing an actual playground safety check. **Training will consist of 3 hours of classroom time and a 1 hour “field trip” (personal transport required) to a local park to complete a safety check. Please bring a bag lunch to eat during this training.* (4.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$25.00)

October 26th The Impact of Traumatic Stress on Young Children 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Stephanie Dreyer, Healthy Social Behavior Specialist, CCRI Inc.

Trauma is a word that we hear often these days. This training will offer providers a better understanding of the ways trauma can impact children and bring a greater understanding of some of the behaviors we see in young children. The five kinds of trauma that children can experience will be introduced, and insights on how to recognize these behaviors in the classroom will be provide. This session will also present Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES) and suggest ways these experiences can affect children. (2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)

November 2nd Using and Understanding the ITERS-R (Part 1) 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Gay Huneycutt, Technical Assistant Specialist with SCPC

During this hands-on class, we will discuss each item and specific indicators of the Infant-Toddler Environmental Rating Scale (R) for children ages infant through 2 ½ years of age. Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and gain information on the ITERS-R. (2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)

November 8th ITS/SIDS Training 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Melissa Jones, R.N., Child Health Care Consultant

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November 9th Using and Understanding the ITERS-R (Part 2) 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Gay Huneycutt, Technical Assistant Specialist with SCPC

During this hands-on class, we will discuss each item and specific indicators of the Infant-Toddler Environmental Rating Scale (R) for children ages infant through 2 ½ years of age. Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and gain information on the ITERS-R. (2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)

November 14th Biting! Handling this Behavioral Issue in Child Care 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Nickie Sightler, Social Behavior Specialist with SCPC

Most biting occurs in children between the ages of one and a-half and three years of age. Biting is not “abnormal,” but can be upsetting for teachers and parents and of course the “biter” and the “victim of the biter.” Come and explore the relationship between child development, aggressive behavior and biting. You will learn about the different types of biters, strategies to use with each, and how to develop both an action plan and strategies for effective parent communication around this common behavior. (2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)

December 6th ITS/SIDS Training 6:30-8:30 pm

Instructor: Melissa Jones, R.N., Child Health Care Consultant

Developed by the NC Healthy Start Foundation’s ITS-SIDS Project, this session meets state requirements for ITS-SIDS training. Participants will learn to reduce the risk of SIDS through safe sleep practices for infants. Participants will also review Safe Sleep Policy guidelines, NC Division of Child Development and Early Education licensing rules, and maintenance of the proper forms. (2.0 DCDEE contact hours/\$7.00)

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Albemarle, NC 28001

Registration Form for Stanly County Partnership For Children Classes

Name: _____ Child Care Facility: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Check the workshops you plan to attend:

_____	Thurs. Sept. 7 th	Using & Understanding the ECERS-R (Part 1)	\$7.00
_____	Tues. Sept. 12 th	How Are You? How Am I?	\$7.00
_____	Wed. Sept. 20 th	ITS/SIDS Training	\$7.00
_____	Tues. Sept. 26 th	Using & Understanding the ECERS-R (Part 2)	\$7.00
_____	Wed. Oct. 11 th	ITS/SIDS Training	\$7.00
_____	Thurs. Oct. 19 th	Temperament: A Practical Approach to Meeting Individual Needs	\$7.00
_____	Fri. Oct. 13 th	Playground Safety Training	\$25.00
_____	Thurs. Oct. 26 th	The Impact of Traumatic Stress on Young Children	\$7.00
_____	Thurs. Nov. 2 nd	Using & Understanding the ITERS-R (Part 1)	\$7.00
_____	Wed. Nov. 8 th	ITS/SIDS Training	\$7.00
_____	Thurs. Nov. 9 th	Using & Understanding the ITERS-R (Part 2)	\$7.00
_____	Tues. Nov. 14 th	Biting! Handling This Behavioral Issue in Child Care	\$7.00
_____	Wed. Dec. 6 th	ITS/SIDS Training	\$7.00

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID \$ _____

For above classes, send checks or cash with registration form and make check payable to:

Stanly County Partnership For Children
Attn: Linda Solomon, Child Care Services
PO Box 2165, Albemarle, NC 28002

**Fees for the workshops are non-refundable. Participants need to pre-register and pre-pay for the trainings either by mail or in-person at the Partnership Offices (1000 North 1st. St., Suite 8)
Please call Linda Solomon at 704-982-2038 ext. 221 if questions.**