

19th Annual Child Care Council

Early Childhood Educators' Fall Conference



“Reaching for QUALITY”

Saturday, November 5, 2011

8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Hotel Utica, 102 Lafayette St, Utica NY

Just 5 minutes from NYS Thruway exit 31 –

*Head towards N Genesee St, turn right onto N Genesee St,
going south , turn right onto Lafayette (4th traffic light).*



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“Reaching for Quality, Reaching for the Stars”



Update / Overview

1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Join Ola Friday from the New York City Early Childhood Professional Development Institute as she presents up to date information on the NYS Quality Rating System called QualitystarsNY. Ola will provide an overview of the project, project goals, field test results and future directions. Come prepared with your questions as we will wrap up the update / overview with a question and answer period.

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Our gift to attending participants



Participants will be able to choose from a selection of gently used books donated to the Child Care Council courtesy of the **Mid-York Library** and customers of **Adirondack Bank**.

2011 Fall Conference Schedule

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.	Registration ~ Continental Breakfast
8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.	Welcome
8:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Workshop Session 1
9:30 a.m. - 9:40 a.m.	Break ~ Break ~ Break ~ Break ~ Break
9:40 a.m. - 10:55 a.m.	Workshop Session 2
11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Workshop Session 3
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch ~ Lakeshore Presentation ~ Door Prizes ~
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Update / Overview: "Reaching for QUALITY"
2:35 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Wrap Up ~ Grand Prize Drawing ~ Free Books



Workshop Session 1 (8:15 am to 9:30 am)

1-A: Understanding and Responding to Abuse and Maltreatment

Presented by Arlene Brouillette, Child Care Council

Participants will have the opportunity to define child abuse and maltreatment, learn about prevalence in the childhood population and examine the impact on a child's development. If time permits we will strategize on how to respond to abuse and maltreatment through a role play. Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

Topic area: 6

1-B: Disaster Preparation for Family Child Care Providers

Presented by Nicole Dillon, Child Care Council

This training is designed to help family and group family providers prepare for different types of disasters (natural disaster, technological disasters, and attacks). Participants will be able to list the types of disasters that are most likely to occur in their area, develop an emergency plan for their family child care home, make and practice an evacuation plan, and perform tasks related to preparing for a disaster. Target audience is fitting for in home care providers.

Topic areas: 4, 5

1-C: Take the Bite Out of Toddler Biting!

Presented by Beverley Burton, Child Care Council

Toddler biting is distressing but not an unexpected occurrence in daycare. Let's take the mystery and misconception out of why toddlers bite! Together we will learn why toddlers bite and how to deal with ongoing biting incidents. Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

Topic areas: 1, 7

1-D: Creative Curriculum II and Study Starters

Presented by Ellen Perrone, Child Care Council

You've taken Creative Curriculum and are using learning centers and child choice in your program. So, what's next? This workshop will provide you with the tools to create a lesson plan, determine each child's developmental level using observation and plan activities that will help them reach their developmental milestones. Study Starters will introduce you to Creative Curriculum plans for more in depth studies of everyday objects engaging young children in the adventure of discovery!!!! Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care. **Prerequisite-Creative Curriculum Part 1**

Topic areas: 1, 3

1-E: Challenging Behavior: What Are They Trying To Tell Us?

Presented by Susan Calandra, Central Early Childhood Direction Center

Participants will gain insight into prevention strategies, effective intervention techniques and how to replace challenging behaviors.

Topic area: 1



Workshop Session 2 (9:40 am to 10:55 am)

2-A: What Every Teacher Should Know About Music

Presented by: Colleen Bennett, KEYS program

This fun filled musical workshop addresses the benefits of incorporating music in early childhood programs and has lots of music activities for providers/teachers. Sure to be a hit, this is the presenters favorite workshop! Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

Topic areas: 3

2-B: The Breastfeeding Friendly Daycare: Why it Matters

Presented by: Ginger Swasey, Oneida County WIC

How to certify and implement the principles of the 'Breastfeeding Friendly Day Care' and how successful breastfeeding positively impacts the mother, child, your daycare, and society as a whole. Attendees will receive a certificate from the Office of Children and Family Services recognizing your program as breastfeeding friendly.... another way to market your program! Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

Topic areas: 2

2-C: The Mark of Quality in Early Childhood Education: NAEYC Accreditation

Presented by: Joan Gorton, Child Care Council

This workshop will give an overview of the NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) early childhood program accreditation process. Find out what accreditation is, reasons to pursue it and the four steps to accreditation. Learn about the standards (1-10) and various accreditation criteria. Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

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Workshop Session 3 (11:00 am to 12:15 pm)

3-A: I Am Moving, I Am Learning

Presented by Jodie Southwick and Richelle Singer, Child Care Council

Enhance and augment your existing curriculum approach with a renewed focus on gross motor skills and physical activity through this workshop. Did you know that preschool fitness happens as a by-product of children's movement instruction and play, or by what they do during structured movement and unstructured play? Join Jodie and Richelle for this up-beat approach to fitness and learning! Session is limited to 25 participants to allow for active movement! Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

Topic areas: 1, 2, 3

3-B: Regulations as They Pertain to Child Abuse and Maltreatment

Presented by OCFS Licensors

Join a licensor from the Office of Children and Family Services, Syracuse Regional Office who will present an overview of the statues and regulations to Child Abuse and Maltreatment and a discussion of the investigation process. Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

Topic area: 8

3-C: Environmental Rating Scales: Assessing Your Program

Presented by Arlene Brouillette and Joan Gorton, Child Care Council

Learn about and get hands on experience with the Environmental Rating Scales Instruments for family child care, centers and infant toddler programs. Get comfortable with the instruments and take the "SCARY" out of assessment. Target audience is fitting for in home and center based care.

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November 5, 2011 ~ Registration Form

****Complete a separate registration form for each participant****

Name _____ Program _____
Address _____ City, State, Zip _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Registration includes QUALITYstarsNY Update/Overview, three workshops, continental breakfast & lunch

*Early bird deadline is Friday October 14
Registration deadline is Monday October 24*

Student Registration —\$30

*You **must** include a copy of your photo student ID from
a high school or college valid for the Fall 2011 semester*

Early Bird Registration—\$60

Must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the Child Care Council by Friday, October 14

General Registration — \$70

Must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the Child Care Council by Monday, October 24

Late Registration—\$80

registrations received after October 24 and prior to November 1 will be assessed an additional \$10 late fee

Walk-In Registration—\$90

*Those wishing to register as a walk-in the morning of the conference will be placed in
available workshops*

Presenter registration—no fee

TOTAL ENCLOSED

*(Payment Options: check, cash, money order or signed EIP award.
Please make payable to Cornell Cooperative Extension)*

PLEASE CIRCLE 1st and 2nd CHOICE IN EACH WORKSHOP SESSION

Workshop Session 1 (8:15 am—9:30 am):

First choice: A B C **D** E
Second Choice: A B C E

Workshop Session 2 (9:40 am—10:55 am):

First choice: A B C
Second Choice: A B C

Workshop Session 3 (11:00 am—12:15 pm):

First choice: A B C
Second Choice: A B C **ALL DAY SESSION**

—or— (D) _____ Creative Curriculum II and Study Starters

Remember, the Creative Curriculum workshop is a full day training and will fill Sessions 1, 2 & 3

*Note: Session workshops are filled on a first come, first served basis.
Once a workshop is filled, you will be placed in your subsequent choice.
A minimum of 5 participants must be signed up in advance for a workshop to be held.*

Please return completed registration form and payment made to:

Cornell Cooperative Extension, Child Care Council

121 Second Street, Oriskany, NY 13424

For more information, contact the Child Care Council at (315) 223-7850 x 236.

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Conference Notes:

- ◆ Please select your workshop choices carefully. Workshops will be filled on a first come, first served basis. You will not be allowed to alter your schedule on the day of the conference.
- ◆ **Child care professionals may qualify for Educational Incentive Program (EIP) funding to help pay for the registration fee for the conference. You can apply for EIP directly online at www.tsq.suny.edu.**
Or, for more information call EIP at 800-295-9616.
- ◆ A total of 5.25 training hours can be earned. You will receive an individual training certificate following each workshop. Professional development topic areas include:
 - 1—Principles of Childhood Development
 - 2—Nutrition and the Health Needs of Children
 - 3—Child Day Care Program Development
 - 4—Safety and Security Procedures
 - 5—Business Record Maintenance & Management
 - 6—Child Abuse & Maltreatment Identification & Prevention
 - 7—Statutes and Regulations Pertaining to Child Care
 - 8—Statutes and Regulations Pertaining to Child Abuse
 - 9—Shaken Baby Syndrome
- ◆ Breakfast will consist of muffins, assorted fresh fruit, assorted fruit juices, coffee, and tea. Lunch will include an assortment of freshly sliced ham, roast beef and turkey, lettuce, tomato, red onion, condiments, an assortment of breads, a variety of cheese, a Mediterranean pasta salad, dessert, coffee, hot and iced tea. Meals will be catered by ahl Fine Foods. Meals are included in your registration fee. If you have any special dietary requirements, please indicate so on your registration form.
- ◆ **Please, no requests for refunds. The conference registration fee is non-refundable.**