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2016 Early Childhood Educators  
Fall Conference

Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup> 2016  
At the Oneida County Farm and  
Home Center

## PLEASE ARRIVE BETWEEN 8AM AND 8:30AM FOR REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST.

BREAKFAST WILL INCLUDE BAGELS, ENGLISH MUFFINS, FRUIT, COFFEE AND JUICE

Please be Advised: Registration fees are non-refundable and workshops are filled on a first paid first served basis. We will contact you prior to the conference in the event that we need to place you into another workshop. A minimum of 5 participants are needed for workshops to be held. If 5 participants aren't available you might be placed into another workshop.

\*Audience Legend: **FDC/GFDC**= Group/Family Day Care; **C** = Center; **SACC** = School Age Child Care; **LE** = Legally Exempt; **PRE** = UPK/Preschool; **ES** = Elementary School; **PAR** = Parents

### SESSION 1: 8:30am – 9:30am

#### Broken Hearts, Reactions of Children to Loss

Children experience loss in many ways. During this presentation types of childhood losses will be discussed. Children's reactions to loss and how we can support grieving children will be discussed. How we need to become more sensitive to age and cultural differences as well as how our own beliefs and values contribute to our support of children will also be included. Time for questions and discussion will be allotted at the end of the presentation. Presented by Sue Cooper, Certified Child Life Specialist & Crisis and Grief Consultant. *Sue Cooper is a child life specialist who worked at St Elizabeth Medical Center, Utica NY for twenty-six years providing support for children and families in medical crises. During this time Sue also provided support services for first responders through Mid-State EMS. Sue has been working as a consultant for Oneida Madison Herkimer BOCES since 2009 providing school crisis education and support as well as individual support for staff and students.*

Topic Areas: OCFS: 2, 4 CBK: 2, 4, 5 CDA: 1, 3, 8  
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or scan the QR Code



### SESSION 5: 2:30pm – 4:00pm

#### Child Abuse/Maltreatment, Infant Safety and SBS

In this training we will explain and discuss the identification of physical, sexual & emotional abuse, describe the roles of a Mandated Reporter and the responsibility of caregivers in helping children deal with the traumas of abuse. We will look at the indicators, as well as future outcomes of abuse and the reporting of suspected child abuse and maltreatment. We will also identify the importance of direct supervision of children for the safety of infants and other young children. We will take a look at the effects of SBS, learn how and why it occurs and ways to prevent it from happening. Presented by Tammy Ablang, Child Care Council Trainer.

Topic Areas: OCFS: 6, 8, 9 CBK: 1, 3, 5 CDA: 7, 8  
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#### NYS Pyramid Model Trainings: What's all the Fuss About?

What are New York State Pyramid Model trainings? What does it mean for you and your program? This workshop will provide an overview of how these trainings came about and why they are important for child care providers. We will also make tools that you can use to support children's social and development and help you in implementing New York State Pyramid model after taking the trainings. Presented by Ellen Olson, Child Care Council Trainer.

Topic Areas: OCFS: 1, 4, 7 CBK: 2, 5, 6 CDA: 1, 4, 5  
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## LUNCH: 12:00pm – 12:45pm

Lunch will be buffet-style with a number of hot items, sandwiches and salads with cookies for dessert.

## SESSION 4: 12:50pm – 2:20pm

### Paperwork, Paperwork, Paperwork!

Are you feeling bogged down by required paperwork? Getting headaches about daily health checks? Confused about what paperwork is required by NYS OCFS? Wonder how to motivate parents to submit important forms? Come share and learn more about NYS regulations, organization tips, and systems/methods to help you manage record keeping for your program. Participants are encouraged to bring copies of sample forms and systems they use to share with others or receive feedback from the presenter(s). Please bring multiple copies. Presented by Beth Henderson, Director of Regulatory Services, Department of Family Services

Topic Areas: OCFS: 5, 7 CBK: 6, 7 CDA: 5, 6  
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### Learning to Look, Looking to See: Bringing the Common Core Outside!

Connecting outdoor activities with Common Core shouldn't be scary! During this workshop we will be discussing the importance of looking closely at the environment and using casual and detailed observation skills. We will be going outdoors (weather depending) to put our observation skills to the test! We will also discuss how outdoor activities relate to the Pre-Kindergarten Common Core standards, and you will leave with activity ideas that you can implement in your classroom the next day. Please make sure to dress appropriately! Presented by Karin Brinkerhoff, Child Care Council Trainer.

Topic Areas: OCFS: 3, 7 CBK: 1, 4 CDA: 2, 3, 8  
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## SESSION 2: 9:40am – 11:10am

### Developmental Milestones: The Building Blocks of Resilience

In this presentation we will account for both normative and individual differences in reactions to stress and the development of coping strategies. We will explore how developmentally appropriate practice provides a foundation for resilience. Activities that further support healthy development and resilience will be discussed. Presented by Jo Ellen Vespo, Ph.D; Utica College Professor of Psychology & Psychology-Child Life.

Topic Areas: OCFS: 1, 2, 3 CBK: 1, 5 CDA: 2, 3, 8  
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### Getting Messy with Books

Join us as we use sensory ideas and messy play to bring stories to life for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers. Get ready to get a little messy testing out hands-on activities as we learn. Presented by Amanda Stewart, Utica Public Library

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## SESSION 3: 11:15am – 12:00pm

### Fill up your Pitcher! Self-Care: What it is and Why You Need it

What is it that makes a nurturing professional? You know what it takes to keep your license/registration up to date. Nurturing professionals often forget to take care of themselves. What are the signs that you need to pay some attention to yourself? What can you do to make sure your pitcher is full? This workshop will use discussion, activities, videos and PowerPoint Slides to find out what self-care is and how to use it to help you feel "full". Presented by Ellen Olson, Child Care Council Trainer.

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Please return completed registration form and payment made out to:

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\*\*Please complete separate registrations for each participant\*\*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration:

## Early Bird Registration (\$55)

Must be postmarked or hand delivered to the Child Care Council by 9/9

## General Registration (\$65)

Must be postmarked or hand delivered to the Child Care Council by 9/23

## Single Workshop (\$20)

Must be postmarked or hand delivered to Child Care Council by 9/23

## Student Registration (\$50)

Must be postmarked or hand delivered to Child Care Council by 9/23

Must include copy of student ID from high school or college valid for Fall 2016

## Late Registration (\$85)

Any registration received or postmarked between 9/23 and 9/30

**Please Be Advised - Any registrations postmarked after 9/30 will be charged for walk-in registration at the prices below:**

Walk In Registration, Full Day (\$100)

Walk In Registration, Single Workshop (\$30)

## Scholarship funding to participate in this conference may be available through EIP!

For more information or to apply for a scholarship, visit [www.ecetp.pdp.albany.edu](http://www.ecetp.pdp.albany.edu) or call 800-295-9616

If you do not have a signed EIP award, payment must be submitted with your registration form. Once your grant has been awarded, forward the signed EIP award to us and you will be reimbursed.

The Child Care Council has Scholarship Funding for those who are denied EIP. Please contact Richelle Singer for more information - (315) 223-7850 x 226 // [rfs35@cornell.edu](mailto:rfs35@cornell.edu)

Please circle your workshop selections below

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