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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

March 2009 through August 2009



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Child Care Resources works to assist those employed in the field of early childhood because we know that knowledgeable staff is essential to quality child care and education. These workshops promote and enhance professional development through stimulating and interactive programs, designed for:

- Individuals who are working towards a Child Development Associate (CDA) or CCP credential.
- Child Care Center Staff and registered Family Child Care Providers.
- Teachers working in Monmouth County school districts.

Site Location

Child Care Resources
3301C State Route 66
Neptune, NJ 07754

Registration Information

If you have any questions, please call
Jeremy Makely at (732) 918-9901 x 133

*To Register

Mail registration form and payment to:
Child Care Resources - Attn: #133
PO Box 1234
Neptune, NJ 07754

*You will receive a registration confirmation and general directions approximately 1 to 2 weeks before each scheduled workshop.

***PLEASE NOTE:** Workshop fees are non-refundable. Credit may be applied towards another workshop if notice is given within 24 hours. Please be considerate and CALL if you are unable to attend. This will allow someone else to attend. Limit: 5 staff members per employer per workshop.

Instructors' Credentials

Lisa Brodrick:

BS, RCYP

Pamala Brooks:

BA, Early Childhood Education, Kean University
MS, Nova Southeastern University

Judi Connor:

RN, BSN, Child Care Health Consultant Coordinator

Angie DeFazio:

BA, Early Childhood Education & Psychology, Kean University

Karen Kirton:

MSW, Monmouth University

Gail Lazarus:

MA, Early Childhood Education, Kean University

Diana Meade:

ASL Instructor, Marie H. Katzenbach School for the Deaf

Judi Pack:

MA, Early Childhood Education, Kean University

Joey Tivenan-Mackintosh:

MA, Early Childhood Education, Kean University

SPAN is the Statewide Parent Advocacy Network. Their mission is to empower families and inform and involve professionals interested in the healthy development and educational rights of children. Through this collaboration, all children will become fully participating and contributing members of our communities and society. www.spannj.org

WORKSHOPS:

Please Note: All workshops are held from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm unless otherwise indicated.



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Spring & Summer Explorations

Thursday, March 19, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 2, 3

Focus Age Group: 2½ through 6 years

Judi Pack, Instructor

In this workshop we will discuss the importance of helping children explore the world around them. We will emphasize the importance of awareness, investigation, and discovery and the teacher's role in nature play.

Yoga for Children

Thursday, April 2, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 1, 2, 3

Focus Age Group: 3 through 6 years

Lisa Brodrick, Instructor

Yoga for children facilitates growth of all the developmental domains in children. Literacy, phonemic awareness, cognitive, physical and socio-emotional growth is supported in a fun and simple way. Yoga provides an opportunity for children to experience movement and breath in novel ways, encouraging fun and creativity. The games and exercises are very good for individual behavior management and stress reduction as well as focus, concentration and class dynamic.

Parent Communication & Special Needs

Thursday, April 23, 2009

Special Time: *1:00 pm to 3:00 pm*

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 3, 4

Focus Age Group: 2½ through 6 years

Joey Tivenan-Mackintosh, Instructor

This workshop will help staff discuss, with parents, potential red flag issues in children. A step by step guide and suggestions will be discussed. This is an important workshop for all staff that would like to be comfortable with planning parent conferences and sharing resources.

Beyond Blocks & Trash: Woodworking & 3-D Collages

Monday, May 11, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Areas: 2, 3

Focus Age Group: 3 & Up

Angie DeFazio, Instructor

Woodworking is a creative process for children in which they work experimentally. The child builds self-esteem through competence. All traditional curriculum areas reading, language

arts, writing, math, social studies, science, art are an integral part of the learning-by-doing experiences of woodworking. This workshop explores the use of recycled materials to make 3-dimensional creative projects and setting up the beginning stages of a wood working area in your classroom.

Are You an Effective Leader?

Tuesday, May 19, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Areas: 5

Focus Group: Directors

Pamala Brooks, Instructor

How do you know if you are an effective leader? Participants explore four types of leadership and which type is most successful. Participants are given a Leadership Assessment Guide to determine their own leadership effectiveness and areas for growth.

Researching with Children (Two parts)

Tuesday, May 26, 2009 &

Thursday, June 4, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 2, 3

Focus Age Group: 2½ through 6 years

Judi Pack, Instructor

When children and teachers research together, life in the classroom (and outside) becomes richer and more exciting for everyone. In this workshop we will explore how to investigate and research with young children. As part of the workshop, you will be expected to go back to your classrooms to try out some of what we have discussed and bring back your experiences to share at Part II.

Basic American Sign Language for Toddlers

Tuesday, June 16, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 2

Focus Age Group: 18 months through 3 years

Diana Meade, Instructor

Diana will explain American Sign Language and cover the signs used to communicate with toddlers on a daily basis. A voice interpreter will be present.

Strengthening Families Overview

Wednesday, June 17, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 4

Focus Age Group: All Ages

Karen Kirton, Instructor

Early childhood professionals have known for decades that they play an important role in protecting and nurturing young children and promoting their social and emotional development. In addition to that role, there is evidence to suggest that an early childhood program that reaches out to parents also may be the best child abuse and neglect prevention strategy.

Positive Behavioral Supports for Children with Challenging Behaviors

Thursday, July 9, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 3

Focus Age Group: 2 ½ through 6 years

Gail Lazarus, Instructor

Presented by SPAN, this workshop provides an overview of a cycle of failure that often results for students with behavioral challenges. We will focus on intervention with students who exhibit challenging behaviors (e.g. aggression, self-injury, tantrums). The emphasis on educational strategies helps students learn alternate behaviors that can lead to long-term change.

What Teachers Need from Directors

Wednesday, August 5, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Area: 5

Focus Group: Directors

Pamala Brooks, Instructor

Using insights from Margie Carter and Paula Jorde Bloom, this workshop offers an interactive opportunity for leaders to discuss 5 specific points to support teachers and build quality programs.

Keeping Healthy

Wednesday, August 12, 2009

Child Care Resources, Neptune

CDA Content Areas: 1

Focus Age Group: All Ages

Judi Connor, Instructor

This workshop will give participants the knowledge and measures to help prevent the spread of communicable disease in child care. We will discuss communicable disease factors, cleaning and sanitizing, hand washing, standard precautions, and exclusion criteria along with available health resources for providers and families.

Pediatric Heartsaver CPR & Basic First Aid Combined

Wednesday, May 27, 2009

Child Care Resource Center, Neptune

Time: 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm

CDA Content Areas: 1, 6

Focus Age Group: All Ages

Jersey Shore Medical Center, Instructors

Participants will learn child and infant CPR techniques, relief of obstructed airway in the responsive victim, use of barrier devices, and prevention of common injuries associated with pediatric medical emergencies. Participants will be trained in the immediate care needed for an injured or seriously ill child. This basic program will concentrate on the first five minutes of care, what to do and how to do it. Textbook and completion course card included.

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REGISTRATION FORM

Space is limited; as workshops close they will be listed on our website. Please call Jeremy Makely at (732) 918-9901 x 133 or visit our website www.ccrnj.org prior to registration to check availability.

Please indicate which workshops you will be attending. Workshop Fees are \$10.00 unless otherwise indicated.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 3/19/2009 Spring & Summer Explorations | Combined CPR/First Aid-\$55.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4/2/2009 Yoga for Children | <input type="checkbox"/> 5/27/2009 Pediatric Heartsaver CPR & Basic First Aid Combined |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4/23/2009 Parent Communication & Special Needs *1:00 - 3:00 PM | <input type="checkbox"/> 8/19/2009 Pediatric Heartsaver CPR & Basic First Aid Combined |
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Total Workshop Fee \$ _____

Name of Person Attending Workshops: _____

Name of Center/Facility: _____

Daytime Phone #: _____ Age Group you care for: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Email Address: _____