

# New Jersey First Steps Infant Toddler Initiative



## Free Professional Development Trainings at Child Care Resources from January to June 2017



*Instructor: Angie DeFazio, BA Early Childhood Education & Psychology*

*Wednesday, January 11, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Amazing Brains: Infant/Toddler Brain Development**

*Wednesday, January 18, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Together in Care: Primary Caregiving & Continuity of Care**

*Wednesday, January 25, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Why Hold a Crying Baby: Emotional Development**

*Wednesday, February 1, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Goo-Goo, Ga-Ga: What Did She Say? (Early Messages)**

*Wednesday, February 8, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Me, Me, Mine, Mine: Social Guidance**

*Wednesday, February 15, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**The Building Blocks of Learning: Discoveries of Infancy**

*Wednesday, March 15, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Essential Connections- The Circle of Care: Providing Culturally Sensitive Infant Toddler Care**

*Wednesday, March 22, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Protective Urges: Working with the Feelings of Parents and Caregivers**

*Wednesday, March 29, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Preventing Shaken Baby Syndrome**

*Wednesday, April 5, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Health & Safety Standards for Infant/Toddler Care**

*Wednesday, April 19, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Feeding Our Children Well**

*Wednesday, April 26, 2017*

*6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

**Keep Moving with the Brain in Mind**

### Site Location:

Child Care Resources  
3301 C State Route 66  
Neptune, NJ 07753



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### Registration Information:

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### **NJ Birth to Three Early Learning Standards Series**

Intended for use by families, child care providers, early childhood teachers, people in the community, and policymakers, The *New Jersey Birth to Three Early Learning Standards* provide a common framework for understanding and communicating developmentally appropriate expectations for infants and toddlers. These standards are based on research about what children should know (understand) and do (competencies and skills) in different domains of learning and development. This series will allow participants to gain in-depth knowledge about each domain of learning outlined in *The New Jersey Birth to Three Early Learning Standards*. Hands-on activities will help early care educators in implementing the standards and connecting parents to better understanding their child's development and learning. **\*Participants are encouraged to bring their own copies of *The New Jersey Birth to Three Early Learning***

*Wednesday, May 3, 2017 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

### **Domain 1—Social and Emotional Development**



*Wednesday, May 17, 2017 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.*

### **Domain 2— Approaches to Learning**

*Wednesday, May 31, 2017 6:30 p.m. -8:30 p.m.*

### **Domain 3—Language Development and Communication**

*Wednesday, June 7, 2017 6:30 p.m. -8:30 p.m.*

### **Domain 4—Cognitive Development**



*Wednesday, June 14, 2017 6:30 p.m. -8:30 p.m.*

### **Domain 5—Physical and Motor Development**

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