

New Jersey First Steps Infant Toddler Initiative



Free Professional Development Trainings at
Child Care Resources
from
July to September 2017

Instructor: Angie DeFazio, BA Early Childhood Education & Psychology

Wednesday, July 12, 2017, 6:30-8:30pm

Toilet Training? Shouldn't it be Toilet Learning?

This workshop addresses the unique issues that arise when children are potty trained in two different places by two different sets of people, with two different beliefs about what and how it should happen. We will discuss successful practices and how to develop policies for potty training large groups of children, as well as guidelines for developing productive partnerships with parents.

Wednesday, July 26, 2017, 6:30-8:30pm

*Location: Financial Success Center @ Freehold Raceway Mall

Health & Safety Standards for Infant/Toddler Care

This workshop will discuss changes to licensing regulations for prevention and promotion of health and safety for us and the children we care for. Using the Infant-Toddler Environmental Rating Scale, we will evaluate the practices we have in place to help us create healthy environments and teach healthy habits to the children and identify what resources are available to help improve the quality and safety of your program.

Site Location

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



Registration Information

Please visit

www.pinjregistry.org to
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Wednesday, August, 16, 2017, 6:30-8:30pm

ibby's Feelings

To raise awareness that October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month, *ibby's Feelings* by Baaqia J. Uqdah, will be presented. *ibby's Feelings* is the story of a four-year-old child who is witnessing domestic violence in her home. This workshop tackles the serious subject of domestic violence in homes of young children and is intended to assist adults in understanding the impact of domestic violence, directly and indirectly, on young children. *The professional development hours from this class can be used toward the NJ Infant-Mental Health Endorsement.

Wednesday, August 30, 2017 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Beyond Burn-Out—Spontaneous Combustion is About to Occur!!

Did you know that there is a direct correlation between your mental health and the mental health of the children? If we do not refuel, renew, take care of ourselves, we cannot be expected to do anything but hinder the lives of the children entrusted to our care. In this workshop we will take a look at how we can enhance such a relationship; we will learn and practice exercises that will increase your awareness, ability, responsiveness, and aliveness. Come prepared to be invigorated!!

Wednesday, September 27, 2017 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Safe Sleep Practices for Babies

October is National SIDS Prevention Month. This workshop will discuss the Safe Sleep campaign (formerly the Back to Sleep campaign), an effort to educate families and caregivers about reducing the risk of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) and other sleep-related causes of infant death. Participants will discuss common myths about SIDS, identify behaviors that increase the risk of SIDS, and become familiar with resources to help you reduce the risk of SIDS for the infants in your care.

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