

WHO can participate?

If you have completed any of the following, apply Today!

- Training for Early Care and Education I (TECE I) and/or TECE II
- Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential
- College Credits in Child Development or Early Childhood Education
- CDA credential

WHAT must the infant-toddler professional do NOW?

- Send in the completed Application ASAP
(space is limited at each session)

WHEN and WHERE will this training take place?

Locations to be announced.

- Northern DE Begins January 2007
- Southern DE Begins April 2007
(Tuesday & Thursday evenings from 6:30-9:30 p.m.)

WHAT IS THE COST for this 60-hour course?

- \$260 includes materials. Partial scholarship reimbursements will be given

WHY will Infant-Toddler Professionals and their Caring Child Care Community benefit from this training course?

- Receive a TOOL KIT of materials to guide program evaluation & action planning;
- Receive 60 hours of specialized infant-toddler relationship building training;
- Discover the STRENGTHS that the Infant-Toddler professionals brings to their role
- Become LEADERS and ROLE MODELS in Delaware's Infant-Toddler Learning Community;
- Influence the curriculum refinement of this pilot training course;
- Practice what is taught in the course with the children and families in their program, reflect on practice experiences with colleagues and grow in their position as an infant-toddler teacher;
- Involve Directors, inviting them to participate in a training especially designed for them to understand infants and toddlers and their families; as well as SUPPORT, VALUE, and AFFIRM their infant-toddler staff; and
- Learn to feel competent in including children with diverse backgrounds and disabilities in their program.



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APPLICATION FOR Infant/Toddler Relationship Course

Name _____ Program/Center Name _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

Employment position: (check only one)

_____ Center Director/owner
_____ Center Curriculum Coordinator
_____ Center I/T Lead Teacher
_____ Center I/T Assistant or Caregiver
_____ Early Head Start

_____ Family Child Care Provider
_____ Large Family Child Care Provider
_____ Other _____

Total years' experience in the ECE field

_____ Less than 2 years
_____ 2-5 years
_____ 5-10 years
_____ over 15 years

Total years' experience working with I/T

_____ Less than 2 years
_____ 2-5 years
_____ 5-10 years
_____ over 15 years
_____ None

Education/Specific Training

_____ High school/GED
_____ College credits -please list ECE courses _____
_____ Associates/major - please list ECE courses _____
_____ Bachelors/major - please list ECE courses _____

_____ CDA
_____ TECE I
_____ TECE II

RETURN APPLICATION TO:

Delaware Early Childhood Center/RELATE

West & Mispillion Streets

Harrington, DE 19952

Phone: (302) 398-8945, Ext. 37; Fax: (302) 398-8983

Please briefly answer the following question (use additional paper if necessary)

1) Who are you in the lives of infants and toddlers?

2) Why would you like to take this Infant/Toddler Relationship course? What would you like to learn from this experience?

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