



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT BIENNIUM DEADLINE IS 6/30/2023

HERE ARE SOME WAYS ACTION FOR CHILDREN CAN HELP YOU MEET THAT DEADLINE!

And as we do each month Action For Children offers a full schedule of training opportunities. Some trainings are scheduled for dates/times as listed either via *Zoom (online with date/time)* or *Face-to-Face*. We also offer *self-paced on-line trainings*.

We have an exciting event for you - Super Saturday: Spark Creativity! on June 24th Join us for hands-on learning and fun (earn up to 4.5 hrs.) at the state-of-the-art facilities of The Childhood League Center! Featuring keynote speaker, Mimi Brodsky-Chenfeld, we will focus on sparking creativity with new and fresh ideas for summer. Make connections with the programs at AFC and network with other early childhood professionals at our mid-day resource fair. Registration fee of \$20 includes lunch and fantastic door prizes!

TO REGISTER: Log on to OCCRRA (instructions below) and enter ID# 10132822

Looking for self-paced on-line trainings? Here's information:

- ID 10129633 *Early Learning and Development Standards Overview* ★ NEW ★
Available NOW through June, 2025
- ID 10121568 *Positive Early Childhood Education (PECE) training*
Available NOW through June 28, 2023. Take all four modules for 4 hrs. credit + earn incentive money!
- For information about a variety of *self-paced on-line trainings* sponsored by our BOSS Program (Business and Operations Support Systems) contact: boss@actionforchildren.org

To find and register for trainings, special events, & additional trainings listed below, follow these steps:

- Step 1. Log on to OCCRRA using your OPIN number (Use Chrome or Firefox as your browser)
- Step 2. Click on "Find Training"
- Step 3. Enter ID number from list below into the search space at the top of the page, under "Professional Development Events"
- Step 4. Training will appear. Complete your registration – add to cart, view cart, be sure to "check out" regardless of whether or not there is a fee.
- Step 5. Training will appear on your profile page as an "upcoming training"

ID 10132798 Pediatric First Aid and CPR

June 3, 2023. 12:30-3:30 pm Face-to-Face, Location: 78 Jefferson Ave., Columbus Fee: \$40

Description: This is a 3-hour training that follows an ODJFS-approved curriculum for individuals working with children. This class meets ODJFS revised code requirements [5101:2-14-13] and supplies the basics of Pediatric First Aid and CPR: injury prevention, emergency preparedness and response skills, as well as response to specific injuries and special health needs.

ID 10130254 Taking On Transitions: The Basics

June 5, 2023 5:00-7:00pm Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$0

Transitions are a fact of life in the early learning setting. We move through the day in continual change: between home and care setting; ; between physical spaces; between activities; between care setting and home. When not managed well, they can be chaotic, upsetting and sometimes dangerous. Prevention is the key in addressing these times. We begin by examining variables that impact our own expectations and biases around transitions. This foundational training explores the basics of planning and carrying out smooth transitions, including strategies to incorporate into the daily routine of preschoolers.

ID 10132799 Keeping Children Safe: Child Abuse & Neglect Recognition and Prevention - initial 6-hr course

June 6 & 7, 2023 6:00-9:00pm both evenings Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$15

Description: Keeping Children Safe is the approved training for child abuse and neglect identification for early childhood professionals. It fulfills the needed requirements for mandatory reports and includes information on definitions, indicators, legal issues and prevention. Multiple interactive techniques and tools are employed to ensure on-going participation.

ID 10132800 Keeping Children Safe: Child Abuse & Neglect Recognition and Prevention - update 3-hr course

June 6, 2023 6:00-9:00pm Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$15

Description: Keeping Children Safe is the approved training for child abuse and neglect identification for early childhood professionals. It fulfills the needed requirements for mandatory reports and includes information on definitions, indicators, legal issues and prevention. Multiple interactive techniques and tools are employed to ensure on-going participation. To be eligible to take this three-hour training, participants must have an unexpired certification from previously taking this training.

ID 10132801 DAP in Action ★ This training is a meaningful companion trainings to the revised ELDS trainings! ★

June 8, 15, 22, and 29, 2023 6:00-7:15pm each evening Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$0

This class is a “Community of Learners” meaning that people who register meet several times to experience an on-going in depth learning experience. People who register are free to attend any or all of the four sessions. Description: Join us in a community of learners to review and explore the concept of Developmentally Appropriate Practice in NAEYC’s latest publication. We will dig into some meaningful tips and strategies for creating a classroom designed to enhance the learning potential of young children.

Strengthening Business Practices for Centers Module I & II [BOSS]

[June Cohort Strengthening Business Practices Series: Saturday Sessions Tickets, Sat, Jun 10, 2023 at 9:00 AM | Eventbrite](#)
Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$0

Description: The Strengthening Business Practices for Child Care Programs training series addresses basic concepts in fiscal and operational management of center-based programs. Click on the link above for dates and times for the Strengthening Business Practices sessions in June.

ID 10132802 Communicable Disease Recognition & Prevention – initial 6-hr course

June 12 & 13, 2023 6:00-9:00 pm both evenings Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$15

Description: required by ODJFS, this six-hour training focuses on recognizing, preventing, and managing illness in the child care setting.

ID 10132803 Communicable Disease Recognition & Prevention – update 3-hr course

June 12, 2023 6:00-9:00pm Zoom (online with date/time) Fee:\$15

Description: Required by ODJFS, this three-hour training focuses on recognizing, preventing, and managing illness in the child care setting. To be eligible to take this three-hour training, participants must have an unexpired certification from previously taking this training.

ID 10131431 The Growing Brain: The Basics ★ NEW ★

June 14, 2023 9:00am-12:00 pm Face-to-Face, Location: 78 Jefferson Ave., Columbus Fee: \$0

Description: This innovative training curriculum focuses on evidence-informed strategies with which to prepare early childhood providers for their vital role in building healthy brains. The curriculum fills a unique niche by providing a comprehensive understanding of how the brain develops, along with ways the provider can encourage healthy brain development in children from birth to 5 years old. This class covers how the brain grows and develops from conception through 5 years old.

ID 10131432 The Growing Brain: The Factors Affecting Brain Growth and Development ★ NEW ★

June 14, 2023 1:00-4:00 pm Face-to-Face, Location: 78 Jefferson Ave., Columbus Fee: \$0

Description: This innovative training curriculum focuses on evidence-informed strategies with which to prepare early childhood providers for their vital role in building healthy brains. The curriculum fills a unique niche by providing a comprehensive understanding of how the brain develops, along with ways the provider can encourage healthy brain development in children from birth to 5 years old. This class covers key factors that affect brain development and how to support healthy overall brain development.

ID 10133389 ELDS - Standards in the Context of DAP: Infant and Toddler ★ NEW ★

June 14, 2023 3:30-6:30pm Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$0

Completion of ELDS Overview training [ID 10129633] required prior to registration for this training.

Description: This training walks participants through the Early Learning and Development Standards in more detail, with a focus on implementing the standards in the context of developmentally appropriate practice, within a setting that serves infants and toddlers.

ID 10129740 Constructing Inspiring Environments which Promote Social and Emotional Well Being

June 15, 2023 2:00-5:00pm Zoom (online with date/time) Fee:\$0

Description: This training is a follow up to the social emotional wellness in the early learning classroom session. In this session, participants will explore several resources and tools and learn how to create inspiring spaces using several principles. These spaces will allow children to engage more in the classroom and help to decrease challenging behaviors. The participants have an opportunity to create a personal plan to begin developing their own inspiring environments.

Strengthening Business Practices for Centers Module III & IV [BOSS]

[June Cohort Strengthening Business Practices Series: Saturday Sessions Tickets, Sat, Jun 17, 2023 at 9:00 AM | Eventbrite](#)
Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$0

Description: The Strengthening Business Practices for Child Care Programs training series addresses basic concepts in fiscal and operational management of center-based programs. Click on the link above for dates and times for the Strengthening Business Practices sessions in June.

ID 10128747 Flip It! Overview and Four Strategy Steps

June 19 & 26, 2023 6:00-9:00pm both evenings Zoom (online with date/time) Fee:\$0

Description: FLIP IT is a four-step behavior strategy rooted in developing emotional awareness in order to increase emotional control. This strategy works to reduce challenging behaviors in children ages 3-8. FLIP IT can be used with multiple children at the same time during minor challenges throughout a day or used as a targeted intervention that can support the emotional growth of a child displaying specific behavior concerns. This training was developed by early learning professionals from the Devereux Center for Resilient Children.

ID 10132851 (ELDS) Selecting Curriculum and Assessment ★ NEW ★

June 17, 2023 9:30am-12:30pm Face-to-Face, Location: 78 Jefferson Ave., Columbus Fee: \$0

Completion of ELDS Overview training [ID 10129633] required prior to registration for this training.

Description: This training is for program administrators of licensed early care and education programs in Ohio that serve children birth through the end of preschool who are in the process of selecting and obtaining a curriculum and/or assessment.

Super Saturday: Spark Creativity! June 24th (see info above)

ID 10133388 ELDS - Standards in the Context of DAP: Preschool ★ NEW ★

June 27, 2023 5:30-8:30pm Zoom (online with date/time) Fee: \$0

Completion of ELDS Overview training [ID 10129633] required prior to registration for this training.

Description: This training walks participants through the Early Learning and Development Standards in more detail, with a focus on implementing the standards in the context of developmentally appropriate practice, within a setting that serves preschool-age children.

ID 10131446 The Growing Brain: Understanding Behavior ★ NEW ★

June 28, 2023 2:00-5:00 pm Face-to-Face, Location: 78 Jefferson Ave., Columbus Fee: \$0

Description: This innovative training curriculum focuses on evidence-informed strategies with which to prepare early childhood providers for their vital role in building healthy brains. The curriculum fills a unique niche by providing a comprehensive understanding of how the brain develops, along with ways the provider can encourage healthy brain development in children from birth to 5 years old. This unit covers how children's behavior is influenced by the brain.

Action for Children continues to support Early Childhood by waiving or discounting fees for most trainings! Our trainings are designed to further your skills and knowledge in a variety of topics. Except for self-paced trainings, Instructors are provided in real time to support important discussion and address questions/comments to meet your specific needs. Please plan on attending on the scheduled date & time. For synchronous (with scheduled date and time) on-line classes, Zoom link, handouts and other information will be sent to registrants within 1-2 days prior to the training, using the email address in the registrant's profile on OCCRRRA's Ohio Professional Registry.

Questions regarding Professional Development please contact: PD@actionforchildren.org or call 614.224.0222.

Questions regarding your OCCRRRA Registry account, email: support@occrra.org