





## at Children's Service Society **Provider & Community Links**

**Spring Quarter Newsletter** 

April, May & June 2016



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### **Attention all Caregivers!**

With the Child Care Development Fund (CCDF) reauthorization there are new mandatory topics that need to be covered in pre-service training. This training must be completed by every person who provides care to children in a program that receives any money from the Office of Child Care (OCC); including subsidies, grants, and the Professional Development Award. Caregivers who work at licensed centers and homes, at any license-exempt program that receives money from OCC, including after school programs, Residential Certificate holders, and FFN Approved providers, need the pre-service training.

For new programs and caregivers, the pre-service training must be completed before they care for children. For current caregivers, the CCDF required preservice training must be completed by August 31, 2016.

The mandatory preservice training will be available beginning March 1st from your local Care About Childcare, Child Care Licensing, and the Utah Afterschool Network. After completing the training, certificates will need to be submitted to Child Care Licensing or the Child Care Professional Development Institute (CCPDI).

Effective October 1, 2016, any program who has not submitted a pre-service training completed certificate for each caregiver will not receive any payments from OCC, including subsidies and grants.

> For information on pre-service training options see the following page or call Lvn 801-326-4372 or Aida 801-326-4373

All Care About Childcare programs are funded by the Federal Child Care and Development Fund, the Department of Workforce Services, and the Office of Child Care.

#### Pre-service Training must be completed by all caregivers before August 31st 2016!

There are many times and methods available...remember you only need to choose 1 option...1 certificate!

Foundations For Success Pre-Service Training					
SELF-STUDY PACKET WORKSHOP:	You must pre register				
March 17th, March 24th, March 31st April 7th, April 14th, April 21st, April 28th	If you want to complete your pre-service training quickly, you can do it in our office. (655 East 4500 South Suite #200) We will have self-study packets				
May 12th, May 19th, May 26th June 2nd, June 9th, June 23rd, June 30th	available for you to read while you're here (it takes approximately an hour to go through all of the required topics). You can complete the open book				
Thursday afternoons between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. (You will need to be here no later than 2:00 p.m. if you plan on completing the training and quiz by 3:00p.m.)	quiz right after. Staff members will be available to assist you and answer questions. Your certificate will be issued upon successful completion of the quiz.  Qualifies for 1 hour licensing training				
Foundations For Success Pre-Service Training					
LEARN @ HOME SELF-STUDY PACKET:	Drop-in anytime				
Pick up your free self-study packet in the CAC-CSS office (655 East 4500 South, suite #200) anytime Monday thru Friday during office hours: 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.	If you just don't have the time during your busy day to join us for the in person self-study workshop, you can pick up a training packet to take with you. Read it at your convenience and complete the quiz. You can then mail, fax, email, or bring the quiz in to our office. A staff member will review it within 5 business days and upon successful completion a certificate will be e-mailed to you.				
	Qualifies for 1 hour licensing training				
Foundations For Success Pre-Service Training					
2.5 HOUR EVENING CLASS:	You must pre-register				
March 29th April 4th, 12th, 18th, or 25th May 2nd, 10th, 16th, 23rd, or 31st June 7th, 13th, 20th, or 28th You must attend once for 2.5 hours to receive a certificate	Several opportunities will be offered to attend a 2.5 hour face—to—face pre-service training. Classes are being offered on either Monday or Tuesday evenings from 6:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m., choose your date preference and join us. All required topics will be covered and a certificate of completion issued that night. Qualifies for 2.5 hour face to face licensing training				
Foundations For Success Pre-Service Training					
2.5 HOUR SATURDAY CLASS:	You must pre-register				
April 16th, June 4th or June 18th  Saturday classes are held from 10:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.  If you choose this option you must attend the entire 2.5 hours to receive a certificate.	A Saturday class is offered once a month. All required topics will be covered and a certificate of completion issued that day.  Qualifies for 2.5 hour face to face licensing training				

Questions? Contact Lyn: lyn@cssutah.org 801-326-4372 or Aida aida@cssutah.org 801-326-4373



# An Exciting Grant Opportunity for High Quality Center Based Programs Serving Pre-School Aged Children!

The High Quality School Readiness HQSR Grant program provides financial resources to existing early education programs to increase the quality of the pre-school services provided within private child care settings. This grant will be available to programs that service economically disadvantaged three and four-year old children who are not receiving special education services.

For more information on the background of the School Readiness Initiative, the catalyst for the HQSR grant, please go to: <a href="http://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title53A/Chapter1b/53A-1b.html">http://le.utah.gov/xcode/Title53A/Chapter1b/53A-1b.html</a>

The High Quality School Readiness (HQSR) Grant is now online at <u>jobs.utah.gov/occ</u>.

Thank you for Caring About Childcare!

## Congratulations to the following providers for receiving Professional Development Program Awards! October - December 2015

### **Career Ladder Recipients**

JoAnne Albrecht – Level 8
Taishja Archuleta – Levels 1, 2, & 4
Lorena Byrne – Level 1
Rosa Carrillo – Levels 4 & 5
Caroline Casselman – Level 10
Kristeen Chase – Levels 1-3
Tina Chytraus – Level 8
Veronica Cisneros – Level 7
Elizabeth Cuenca – Level 2
Briana Dykstra – Levels 4-8
Claudia Fuentes – Levels 1-3
Amanda Hancey – Level 6
Brandy Hayes – Level 2
Ashli Heaps – Level 2
Chantel Helmsin – Level 7

Jolene Kingston – Level 1 Patricia Laforett – Level 4 Kathleen Maaill - Level 10 Anna Malouf – Level 10 Roselee McKenna – Level 3 Shiva Melzer - Level 6 Daniel Nehring - Levels 4-6 Krista Nelson –Level 1 Patty Nelson – Level 6 Susan Nelson – Level 1 Heather Newman – Levels 1-3 Sandra Ortega – Level 5 Lorena Ortiz – Level 9 Diane Paredes - Level 10 Adriana Perez – Levels 4 & 5 Cheryl Ramos – Level 4

Lori Riddle – Level 8 Devsi Rivas – Level 1 Tabitha Robertson – Level 1 Sarah Seipel – Level 1 Naveli Serrano-Ramos – Level 1 Alexandra Stoddart – Level 10 Tiana Sua'ava - Levels - 6-8 Carolyn Trujillo – Level 3 Akram Vatani – Level 8 Jacquline Vebluansnes - Levels 6-8 Monica Visser – Level 2 Terrie Wachter - Level 8 Courtnee White - Level 8 Jade Wicks - Level 2 Amy Williams - Levels 1 & 2 Leslie Wiser – Levesl 4-8

### **Career Ladder Endorsement Recipients**

Heather Bardin — SA
Ana Cuenca — RT
Deborah Hamberlin — GEW
Malia Krogstad— FCC
Patricia Laforett — CD
April Leavitt — GEW
Kathleen Magill — IT
Cheryl Meza - GEW

Julie Johnson – Level 3

Daniel Nehring – CD Wendy Pendleton – GEW Adriana Perez – IT Bishnu Rai – IT Cynthia VanDenBos – IT Akram Vatani – RT & TBP Courtnee White - GFW



### **Professional Development Award Recipients**

Sylvia Abalos JoAnne Albrecht Luisa Aliaga Lamiaa Alshreayada Shelby Ansted Taishja Archuleta Tracie Aveytua Shauna Avila Rizwana Bashir Mozhgan Behjani Zadeh Katie Bowdidge Adela Brasso Dorothy Brown Janette Brown Sandee Burham Lorena Byrne Barbara Caplinger Maria Carrera Maria Carrera Rachel Carrillo Rosa Carrillo Caroline Casselman Veronica Cisneros Ana Cuenca Maria Cuenca Trudy Dagsen Kim Domingo Briana Dykstra Marcela Ellis Debbie Elmer Cynthia Falla

Patty Frehner

**Sherry Garrett** Tabitha Giolas Sarah Glitsos Banessa Guevara Maria Gutierrez Deborah Hamberlin Amanda Hancev Sarah Hausman Chantel Helmsin Maria Hernandez Carrie Herrin Julie Hessheimer Christy Holm Jacqueline Howard Julie Johnson Maria Juarez Jolene Kingston Malia Krogstad Feliza Kunz Dobrisava Lackovic Patricia Laforett Kathleen Larsen Katia Lopez Maria Lozano Sergio Lozano Cassandra Luckett Corilynn Lunt Kathleen Magill Anna Malouf Marleen Marble

Shiva Melzer Brittaney Mitchell Christie Mondragon Tina Najera Daniel Nehring Heather Nehring Nancy Neilson-Zander Krista Nelson Patty Nelson Susan Nelson Heather Newman Nika Nikanpour Sara Nugent Traci Nuttall Jamie Olson Sandra Ortega Sandra Ortega Helia Ortiz Lorena Ortiz Debbie Pace Jamie Pappadakis Julye Pappadakis Wendy Pendleton Rebecca Perea Adriana Perez Robin Perley Candice Peterson Susan Petterborg Isabel Quintana Bishnu Rai Richard Reece

Roselee McKenna

Heather Reese Miranda Reeves Lori Riddle Deysi Rivas Tabitha Robertson Sue Romine Kelli Rusk Terri Sandoval Korianne Shafer Tina Snow Crystal Sorensen Tammy Stevens Alexandra Stoddart April Teran Lindsey Terry Patricia Tomkins Stacy Trexler Carolyn Tujillo Heather Valentine Cynthia VanDenBos Akram Vatani Jacquline Veblungsnes Shelly Vowles Catherine Wardle Deborah Waters Katherine Whyte Jade Wicks **Amy Williams** Leslie Wiser Jessica Youna Esperanza Zavala





Hollie McLeery













#### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Did you know that 109 providers received an incentive last quarter for updating their vacancies for two out of three months? (October, November and December)

Remember to update your vacancies monthly, and if you update at least twice in a quarter **you can receive an incentive** too ...

You don't want to miss out!

#### Updating your vacancies for parents is simple and benefits your program

Here are a few ways you can update your program's information:

- Go online and do it yourself:
  - **CAC Facility Update**
- Call to speak with a Referral Specialist:
  - 801-355-4847 or 1-866-438-4847
- Leave a message on our Provider Update Hotline:

Call 801-783-5566

#### MAXIMIZE YOUR REFERRALS

Having your **updated** information in our database **may** assist you in receiving additional referrals. Referrals are matched based on your availability and the parents' needs including:



- Transportation to and from schools in your area
- Ages of children accepted and vacancies
- Extended hours and weekend care
- Special Needs care

Don't miss out on referrals. Call us today to update. **801-355-4847** or **1-866-438-4847** 



#### Felicidades!

¿Sabía Ud. que 109 proveedores recibieron un Libro por actualizar sus vacantes dos de cada tres meses? (Octubre, Noviembre, y Diciembre).

Recuerde actualizar sus vacantes mensualmente, pero si actualiza al menos dos veces cada trimestre también puede recibir un incentivo!

¡Usted no quiere perder la oportunidad!

#### ¡Calificar es fácil!

Llame al 801-326-4393 o 801-355-4847 para hablar con una Especialista de Referencias.
Llame al 801-783-5566 para dejar un mensaje.

Actualice su información usted mismo en nuestra página de la red <a href="www.careaboautchilcare.utah.gov">www.careaboautchilcare.utah.gov</a>

## APROVECHE AL MÁXIMO EL PROGRAMA DE REFERENCIAS

El tener información actualizada en la oficina de referencias le ayudará a que su programa reciba más referencias. Las referencias se envían basadas en su disponibilidad y las necesidades de los padres.

- Transporte a/ o desde la escuela
- Programa preescolar
- Edades de los niños aceptados y puestos vacantes.
- Horas extendidas y fines de semana
- Cuidado de necesidades especiales

No pierda la oportunidad de recibir más referencias! Llame ahora al 801-355-4847 Español 801-326-4393

## Oct, Nov & Dec Telephone Referrals Given by City/Zip Codes:

Downtown- 84101, 84102, 84103, 84111	101, 84102, 84103, 84111 7 Magna- 84044		4
University– 84112, 84113, 84108, 84109	0	West Jordan- 84084, 84088, 84081	7
Rose Park- 84116	7	South Jordan—84095	5
Glendale- 84104	8	Herriman– 84096	3
Sugarhouse- 84105, 84106, 84115		Riverton/Bluffdale- 84065	1
Murray- 84107		Draper- 84020	2
Taylorsville- 84123, 84129		Sandy– 84094, 84070	4
Holladay- 84117, 84124		Midvale- 84047	6
West Valley City- 84119, 84120, 84128	10	East Bench- 84121, 84092 ,84093	1
Kearns- 84118	4	Tooele- 84029, 84074, 84083	3

### **Current Slots and Vacancies**

City	Slots	Vacancies
Alta	46	46
Cottonwood Heights	259	37
Draper	882	166
Grantsville	193	49
Herriman	196	21
Holladay	237	91
Kearns	417	71
Lake Point	8	1
Magna	265	70
Midvale	236	18
Murray	906	246
Riverton	658	224

City	Slots	Vacancies		
Salt Lake City	5,817	891		
Sandy	1,567	350		
Snowbird	44	9		
Solitude	15	0		
South Jordan	537	108		
South Salt Lake	8	3		
Stansbury Park	180	18		
Taylorsville	1,322	265		
Tooele	450	60		
Wendover	16	2		
West Jordan	2,081	319		
West Valley City	2,190	527		

### Training Opportunities from the Child Care Licensing Program

## All Providers and Caregivers for Regulated or Exempt Facilities (Pre-Service Training)

**Thank you for your interest in attending this important class.** The federal government has required all currently regulated or exempt providers and caregivers to complete **pre-service training** on some required topics. This class will cover all of the required topics.

**Pre-registration is required**. Please register for the class of your choice (See schedule below). If no one is registered within 48 hours, the class will be cancelled.

- You can call the North Region office at 801-273-6617.
- You can call the South Region office at 801-374-7688.
- You can call or text Kathleen Sanders at 801-698-3244 or email her at ksanders@utah.gov.
- You can call or text Joyce Hasting at 801-828-8497 or email her at jhasting@utah.gov.

Classes are held at venues independent of the Child Care Licensing Program. If you have any questions about the class, please do not contact the venue.

No children are allowed at the class.

April 12 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 South Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen Sanders	April 27 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 South Highland Dr. Trainer – Joyce Hasting
May 10 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 South Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen Sanders	May 25 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. North Region – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 Highland Dr. Trainer – Joyce Hasting
June 16 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 South Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen Sanders	June 29 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. North Region – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 Highland Dr. Trainer – Joyce Hasting

## Licensed Family and Residential Certificate New Licensee/Certificate Holder Classes

**Thank you for your interest in becoming a regulated child care provider.** In order to obtain a child care license or certificate, you must attend one of the New Licensee/Certificate Holder classes.

**Pre-registration is required**. Please register for the class of your choice (See schedule below or on next page). If no one is registered within 48 hours, the class will be cancelled.

- You can call the North Region office at 801-273-6617.
- You can call the South Region office at 801-374-7688.
- You can call or text Kathleen Sanders at 801-698-3244 or email her at ksanders@utah.gov.
- You can call or text Joyce Hasting at 801-828-8497 or email her at jhasting@utah.gov.

Classes are held at venues independent of the Child Care Licensing Program. If you have any questions about the class, please do not contact the venue.

**Doors will be closed after the class begins.** The class will last approximately **3 hours**. In order to receive a certificate of attendance, you need to attend the entire class. If you are late, you will have to attend a different class.

No children are allowed at the class.

**Read the rules.** To help you understand the material that will be presented, read the rules before attending the class. The rules can be found on our website at www.childcarelicensing.utah.gov

March 10 - Salt Lake	March 30 – Salt Lake			
1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.			
Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium	CAC at Children's Service Society – Room 200			
3760 Highland Dr.	655 East 4500 South			
Trainer – Kathleen	Trainer – Joyce Hasting			
April 7 – Salt Lake City	April 27 – Salt Lake City			
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.			
Highland Plaza – Room 241	Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium			
3760 Highland Dr.	3760 Highland Dr.			
Trainer – Kathleen Sanders	Trainer – Joyce Hasting			
May 5 – Salt Lake City	May 25 – Salt Lake City			
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.			
Highland Plaza – Room 241	Highland Plaza – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium			
3760 Highland Dr.	3760 South Highland Dr.			
Trainer – Kathleen Sanders	Trainer – Joyce Hasting			
June 16 – Salt Lake City	June 29 – Salt Lake City			
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.			
Highland Plaza – Room 241	CAC at Children's Service Society – Suite 200			
3760 Highland Dr.	655 E 4500 S			
Trainer – Kathleen Sanders	Trainer – Joyce Hasting			

## Licensed Family and Residential Certificate Licensing Rules Training Classes

**Thank you for your interest in Licensing Rules Training.** These classes are to help you better understand the Child Care Licensing rules and their enforcement.

**Pre-registration is required**. To register for the class of your choice (See schedule below):

- You can call the North Region office at 801-273-6617.
- You can call the South Region office at 801-374-7688.
- You can call or text Kathleen Sanders at 801-698-3244 or email her at ksanders@utah.gov.
- You can call or text Joyce Hasting at 801-828-8497 or email her at jhasting@utah.gov.

If no one is registered within 48 hours, the class will be cancelled.

Classes are held at venues independent of the Child Care Licensing Program. If you have any questions about the class, please do not contact the venue.

Classes are taught according to Care About Child Care specifications. In order to receive Career Ladder credit, you must be there for the entire class. If you do not attend the entire class, you will get a certificate that includes the number of hours you did attend.

Classes include hands-on activities. Participation in all activities will enhance your learning experience and allow you to get the most out of the class.

## April 7 – Salt Lake 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Activities, Transportation, Animals, and Injury Prevention
Highland Plaza – Room 241
3760 South Highland Dr.

Trainer- Kathleen Sanders

May 5 – Salt Lake
7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
Infection Control, Medication, Child Health, and
Child Nutrition
Highland Plaza – Room 241
3760 South Highland Dr.
Trainer-Kathleen Sanders

June 9 –Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Diapering, Napping, and Infant/Toddler Care
Highland Plaza – Room 241
3760 South Highland Dr.
Trainer – Kathleen Sanders

## Child Care Center Licensing Rules Training Classes

**Thank you for your interest in Licensing Rules Training.** These classes are to help you better understand the Child Care Licensing rules and their enforcement.

**Pre-registration is required**. To register for the class of your choice (See schedule below):

- You can call the North Region office at 801-273-6617.
- You can call the South Region office at 801-374-7688.
- You can call or text Kathleen Sanders at 801-698-3244 or email her at ksanders@utah.gov.
- You can call or text Joyce Hasting at 801-828-8497 or email her at jhasting@utah.gov.

If no one is registered within 48 hours, the class will be cancelled.

Classes are held at venues independent of the Child Care Licensing Program. If you have any questions about the class, please do not contact the venue.

Classes are taught according to Care About Child Care specifications. In order to receive Career Ladder credit, you must be there for the entire class. If you do not attend the entire class, you will get a certificate that includes the number of hours you did attend.

Classes include hands-on activities. Participation in all activities will enhance your learning experience and allow you to get the most out of the class.

April	14 - Salt Lake Ci	ty
7:00	p.m. to 9:30 p.m.	

Activities, Transportation, Animals, and Injury Prevention Highland Plaza – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 South Highland Dr. *Trainer – Kathleen Sanders* 

May 12 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:03 p.m.

Infection Control, Medication, Child Health, and Child Nutrition
Highland Plaza – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium
3760 South Highland Dr.

Trainer – Kathleen Sanders

May 31 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Supervision/Ratios, Child Discipline, and Parent Notification and Child Security Highland Plaza – Room 241 3760 South Highland Dr.

Trainer – Joyce Hasting

June 30 – Salt Lake City 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Diapering, Napping, Infant and Toddler Care Highland Plaza – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Auditorium 3760 South Highland Dr. *Trainer – Kathleen Sanders* 

## Child Care Center New Provider Training

Thank you for your interest in becoming a regulated child care provider. In order to obtain a Child Care Center license, you must attend one of these classes. If you are applying for a Child Care Center Hourly license or an Out of School Time license, please call Kathleen or Joyce, for information about the class you should attend.

**Pre-registration is required**. Please register for the class of your choice (See schedule below). If no one is registered within 48 hours, the class will be cancelled.

- You can call the North Region office at 801-273-6617.
- You can call the South Region office at 801-374-7688.
- You can call or text Kathleen Sanders at 801-698-3244 or email her at ksanders@utah.gov.
- You can call or text Joyce Hasting at 801-828-8497 or email her at jhasting@utah.gov.

Classes are held at venues independent of the Child Care Licensing Program. If you have any questions about the class, please do not contact the venue.

**Doors will be closed when the class begins.** The class will last approximately 3 hours. In order to receive a certificate of attendance, you need to attend the entire class. If you are late, you will have to attend a different class.

No children are allowed at the class.

**Read the rules.** To help you understand the material that will be presented, read the rules before attending the class. The rules can be found on our website at www.childcarelicensing.utah.gov.

March 17– Salt Lake 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – Room 241 3760 Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen

April 14 – Salt Lake 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – Room 241 3760 Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen Sanders

May 19 – Salt Lake 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – Room 241 3760 Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen

June 14 – Salt Lake City 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Highland Plaza – Room 241 3760 Highland Dr. Trainer – Kathleen

## Online Training Registration Instructions

To register for classes online you must first log-in to the Care About Childcare website at <a href="https://www.careaboutchildcare.utah.gov">https://www.careaboutchildcare.utah.gov</a>. If you need assistance please call 801-326-4403

- Once you are logged-in, choose the Training Calendar link from the menu on the left side of the screen. Each class you see with a shopping cart next to it is available for online registration. Clicking on that cart adds that class to your list. When you are done adding the classes you wish to register for, you must click on the cart in the green box on the top right of the screen. Choose complete registration and follow the instructions to checkout.
- Online registration can only be completed for one person at a time by each person logging-in with their own username and password.
- Be sure to view and/or print your class schedule. **Please Note:** Online registrations will not receive a confirmation in the mail. Schedules can be viewed by clicking on My Class Registration on the menu to the left of the screen.
- Be sure to print your receipt. It is your only option to get a receipt.
- Once logged in you can also view other things such as your transcript of previous classes taken, your
  progress on the Career Ladder and your Annual Award eligibility date. This is also where family
  providers and center directors can view and update their CAC Marketing Page and view and submit
  verification for quality criteria.

If you have any questions about the Care About Childcare website, contact

Barbara or Sandy at 801-326-4403, <a href="mailto:barbara@cssutah.org">barbara@cssutah.org</a> or <a href="mailto:sandy@cssutah.org">sandy@cssutah.org</a>



## CAC - CSS Spring 2016 Class Schedule

View training schedule online at <a href="http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training">http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training</a>

Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 3: Promoting Social Emotional Competence	Creative Learning Academy 1110 W 3300 S (84119)	April 5, 7, & 9 Tue & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
CDA Orientation-A Great Place to Start Learn about the CDA, the process involved, how Career Ladder classes work, and what classes to take next.	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Apr 6 Wed 6:30-9pm	None	2.5 CDA	None
Family Child Care, Course 4: Professional & Business Practices Must be a Family Child Care Provider to enroll.	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Apr 7, 14, 21, & 28 Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Strong & Smart-Promoting Young Children's Physical & Intellectual Development	St John's Child Dev Center 475 Herbert Ave (1045 S) (84111)	Apr 11, 14, 18, & 21 Mon & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 1: Infants & Toddlers in Child Care Settings	Kids Kampus 232 W 800 S (84101)	Apr 11, 13, 18 & 20 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Learning to Get Along-Supporting Young Children's Social & Emotional Development	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) Located behind Whole Foods	Apr 11, 13, 18, & 20 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Child Development: Healthy Care	Kids Park of Stansbury 199 Millpond (84074)(Tooele)	Apr 16 & 23 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
School Readiness, Course 4: Additional Core Standards	Neighborhood House 1050 W 500 S (84104)	Apr 19, 21, & 23 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
STAR Night Divided into 3 sessions: You can participate in any or all 3; Resource & General Store, Technical Assistance, & Training	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Apr 20 Wed 5-8pm	None	1 Lic (only for 7-8pm)	None
Guidance & Emotional, Course 4: Social & Emotional Teaching Strategies	Creative Learning Academy 1110 W 3300 S (84119)	Apr 23 & 30 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
CAC WebsiteTraining Learn how to use the Facility Updates, Marketing Page, Submit Criteria and answer questions on portals	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Apr 26 Tues 6:30-8:30pm	None	2 Lic	None
Growing Up Wild!	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Apr 30 Sat 9am-3pm	\$40	5 Lic 5 CDA	Level 1-8



## CAC - CSS Spring 2016 Class Schedule

View training schedule online at <a href="http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training">http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training</a>

Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	St John's Child Dev Center 475 E Herbert Ave (1045 S) (84111)	May 3, 5, & 7 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Theory & Best Practices, Course 3: Piaget and Brain Development If you've taken Advanced Child Development and are looking for the next step, this is the class for you.	Salt Lake County Bldg 2001 S State St (84190) Must check in with Security before going to class	May 7 & 14 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Child Development: Healthy Care	Creative Learning Academy 1110 W 3300 S (84119)	May 9, 11, & 14 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Looking to Learn-Observing & Recording Children's Behavior	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) Located behind Whole Foods	May 9, 11, 16, & 18 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Child Development: Ages & Stages	Kid Care Co 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	May 9, 12, & 14 Mon & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Help Me Grow : Ages & Stages Questionnaire – 3	SLCC/So City Campus 1575 S State Rm (84115)	May 10, 12, 17 & 19 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 2: Social-Emotional Growth & Development	Kids Kampus 232 W 800 S (84101)	May 10, 14, & 17 Tues 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Relationship Touchpoints, Course 4: School-Age 5-6 Years Course 1 is a prerequisite for all other Touchpoint courses	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	May 17, 19, & 21 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
School Age, Course 4: Expanded Learning Opportunities	Neighborhood House 1050 W 500 S (84104)	May 17, 19, & 21 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
STAR Night Divided into 3 sessions: You can participate in any or all 3; Resource & General Store, Technical Assistance, & Training	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	May 18 Wed 5-8pm	None	1 Lic (only for 7-8pm)	None
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 3 Learning in Infancy & Toddlerhood	Kid Care Co 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	May 21, 23, & 25 Sat 9am-3pm Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
CAC WebsiteTraining Learn how to use the Facility Updates, Marketing Page, Submit Criteria and answer questions on portals	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	May 24 Tues 6:30-8:30pm	None	2 Lic	None
A Great Place Kids!-Creating Positive Learning Environments for Young Children	Bright Start Learning Center 2836 S 5600 W (84120)	May 31, Jun 2, & 4	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Special Needs, Course 4: Teaching Techniques	SLCC/So City Campus 1575 S State Rm (84115)	May 31, Jun 2, 7, & 9 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8



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Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Working Together-Productive Relationships with Families	Kid Care Co 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	Jun 1, 6, 8, & 13 Wed & Mon 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Desarrollo Infantil: Los Primeros Años de Aprendizaje: equivalente a Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	June 2, 9, 16, & 23 Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic	Level 1
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 4: Working with Families of Infants & Toddlers	Kid Care Co 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	Jun 4 & 11 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Advanced Child Development-Theories of Development	St John's Child Dev Center 475 E Herbert Ave (1045 S) (84111)	Jun 6, 8, 13, & 15 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) Located behind Whole Foods	Jun 6, 8, 13, & 15 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Professionalism in Child Care-More than Babysitting	Christ Lutheran Church 240 E 5600 So ( 84107)	Jun 6, 9, & 11 Mon & Thurs7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Child Development: Healthy Care	St Paul's Preschool 261 S 900 E (84104)	Jun 7, 9, & 11 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Child Development: Ages & Stages	Salt Lake County Bldg 2001 S State St (84190) Must check in with Security before going to class	Jun 7, 9, & 11 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
STAR Night Divided into 3 sessions: You can participate in any or all 3; Resource & General Store, Technical Assistance, & Training	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jun 15 Wed 5-8pm	None	1 Lic (only for 7-8pm)	None
Theory & Best Practices, Course 4 Gardner, Moral Development, Vygotsky & Montessori If you've taken Advanced Child Development and are looking for the next step, this is the class for you.	Mt. Olympus Christian Child Care 3280 E 3900 S (84124)	June 20, 22, 27 & 29 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Creating Good Child Care-Effective Program Management	Bright Start Learning Center 2836 S 5600 W (84120)	Jun 20, 23, 27 & 30 Mon & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
CAC WebsiteTraining Learn how to use the Facility Updates, Marketing Page, Submit Criteria and answer questions on portals	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jun 21 Tues 6:30-8:30pm	None	2 Lic	None
Exploring Creative Curriculum: Off to the Circus!	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jun 25 Sat 10am-12:30pm	\$16	2.5	None
Exploring Creative Curriculum: Off to the Circus!	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jun 27 Mon 6:30-9pm	\$16	2.5	None



## **CAC - CSS Registration & Training Policies**

- Fill out all information on the registration form. Email addresses are required now to use the system. Only one person per form. Registration form may be copied or download a copy from the CSS web site at <a href="https://www.cssutah.org">www.cssutah.org</a> or call 801-326-4403 to have a form mailed to you. <a href="https://www.cssutah.org">Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society only</a> accepts pre-registration and payment through the mail, no telephone or walk-in registration.
- Mail Registration form with check or money order made payable to Children's Service Society to:

CHILDREN'S SERVICE SOCIETY
Attn: Barbara Johnson
655 East 4500 South, Suite 200
Salt Lake City, Utah 84107

- Approximately one week after mailing a registration form you will be able to go to the Utah's Caregiver Registry
   http://careaboutchildcare.utah.gov
   to check your class schedule or call Sandy or Barbara at 801-326-4403. If
   your email address is current you will receive a reminder email 24 hours before the first session of class(es) you
   have registered for (Email may go to SPAM (Junk Mail) folder so check there.
- IMPORTANT: Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society (CAC CSS) does not refund course fees for full classes when paid for with one check.
- EXAMPLE: If you send in payment and registration for 4 classes and one is full you will receive a Credit Voucher for the full class. If you send payment and registration for just one class and it is full we will return your check. If you do not wish to receive a Credit Voucher, you must write a separate check for each class you want to register for.
- Pre-paid class fees are non-refundable
- All returned checks will be assessed a fee of \$15.00
- \*\* Please be aware that several class schedules overlap with each other. CAC CSS will not be responsible for overlapping classes in your schedule. Please double check your schedule to ensure you are not enrolled in two classes that will be taught on the same dates.
- Make-up slots are limited. You may register for two make-ups per quarter.
- ATTENTION CHILD CARE CENTER DIRECTORS: CAC CSS will not be responsible for informing staff regarding the classes their director registered them to attend. If you are filling out a registration form for staff, make sure you make a copy BEFORE mailing it to CAC CSS and give your staff a copy.
- The Participant Code of Conduct must be read, signed, and mailed in with each registration form.
- In an effort to help minimize delays with Professional Development Award Applications at CCPDI, all information requested on this registration form is <u>required</u> to register for classes at Care About Child Care at Children's Service Society. If all of the information is not complete you will not be enrolled into classes until we are able to contact you for the missing information. Thank you for your cooperation.



### **Training Registration Form**

To register by mail, fill out this form, and include your payment (check or money order payable to Children's Service Society), and send to:

Children's Service Society 655 East 4500 South, Suite #200 Salt Lake City, UT 84107 Registration is done by pre-payment only. The registration form must be received in our office two business days before the class begins. Please remember registration is accepted only by mail or online. Only one person per form. Make as many copies of this form as you need, be sure to include all three pages. One-page forms will not be accepted. The Participant Code of Conduct must be read signed and mailed in with each form, for each person.

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(REQUIRED) Email Address:		Work phone:				
Но	me Address:	City, State	Zip:			
Plea	ase circle which type of child care you work in:		Nar	ne of Child Care you work in	1:	
Lice	ensed Family Residential Certificate Licensed Center Exempt	t Center	(REC	QUIRED) Position:		
Oth	ner		(REC	QUIRED) Age Group: QUIRED) Start Date:		
	I have <i>read, and included a signed copy</i> of the Statewia			icipant Code of Conduc	ct with this reg	gistration
for	m. (The Code of Conduct can be found on page three c	of this form	.)			
✓	Class Title			Date	Class Fee	Amount Enclosed
	Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 3		MU	Apr 5, 7, & 9	\$16	
	CDA Orientation			Apr 6	None	
	Family Child Care, Course 4 Must be a Family Child Care Provider to enroll		MU	Apr 7, 14, 21, & 28	\$16	
	Infant & Toddler Care, Course 1		MU	Apr 11, 13, 18, & 20	\$16	
	Learning to Get Along		MU	Apr 11, 13, 18, & 20	\$16	
	Strong & Smart		MU	Apr 11, 14, 18, & 21	\$16	
	Child Development: Healthy Care		MU	Apr 16 & 23	\$16	
	School Readiness, Course 4		MU	Apr 19, 21, & 23	\$16	
	STAR Night			Apr 20	None	
	Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 4		MU	Apr 23 & 30	\$16	
	CAC Website Training			Apr 26	None	
	Growing Up Wild!		MU	Apr 30	\$40	
	Child Development: Learning in the Early Years		MU	May 3, 5 & 7	\$16	
	Theory & Best Practices, Course 3		MU	May 7 & 14	\$16	
	Child Development: Healthy Care		MU	May 9, 11, & 14	\$16	
	Looking to Learn		MU	May 9, 11, 16, & 18	\$16	
	Child Development: Ages & Stages		MU	May 9, 12, & 14	\$16	
	Help Me Grow: Ages & Stages Questionnaire-3		MU	May 10, 12, 17, & 19	\$16	
	Infant & Toddler Care, Course 2		MU	May 10, 14, & 17	\$16	
	Relationship Touchpoints, Course 4		MU	May 17, 19, & 21	\$16	
	School Age, Course 4		MU	May 17, 19, & 21	\$16	
	STAR Night			May 18	None	
	Infant & Toddler Care, Course 3		MU	May 21, 23, & 25	\$16	
	CAC Website Training			May 24	None	
	A Great Place for Kids!		MU	May 31, Jun 2, & 4	\$16	

	Special Needs, Course 4	MU	May 3, Jun 2, 7, & 9	\$16		
	Working Together	MU	Jun 1, 6, 8, & 13	\$16		
	Desarrollo Infantil: Los Primeros Años de Aprendizaje: equivalente a Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	MU	Jun 2, 9, 16, & 23	\$16		
	Infant & Toddler Care, Course 4	MU	Jun 4 & 11	\$16		
	Advanced Child Development	MU	Jun 6, 8, 13, & 15	\$16		
	Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	MU	Jun 6, 8, 13, & 15	\$16		
	Professionalism in Child Care	MU	Jun 6, 9, & 11	\$16		
	Child Development: Healthy Care	MU	Jun 7, 9, & 11	\$16		
	Child Development: Ages & Stages	MU	Jun 7, 9, & 11	\$16		
	STAR Night		Jun 15	None		
	Theory & Best Practices, Course 4	MU	Jun 20, 22, 27 & 29	\$16		
	Creating Good Childcare	MU	Jun 20, 23, 27, & 30	\$16		
	CAC Website Training		Jun 21	None		
	Exploring Creative Curriculum: Off to the Circus!		Jun 25	\$16		
	Exploring Creative Curriculum: Off to the Circus!		Jun 27	\$16		
Dat	Office use only (Please DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE)  Date received:  Office use only (Please DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE)  Total Amount Enclosed:					

The class fees collected from participants is a registration fee and does not offset the actual cost of training.

All Care About Childcare program are funded by the Federal Child Care and Development Fund, the Department of Workforce Services, and the Office of Child Care.

No refunds are available, credit vouchers will be issued to those who cancel at least two days before the class starts and a replacement participant is available.

## \*\*PLEASE Do Not Forget to Read, Sign & Mail the Participant Code of Conduct\*\*

with each Registration Form (see next page)



## PARTICIPANT CODE OF CONDUCT Care About Childcare

- Punctuality /Attendance: I understand that I must be in class at or before the time scheduled for class to begin in order to obtain credit for the class. If I arrive after the time that class is scheduled to begin, I can use the time that I was actually in attendance for licensing credit, but I will have to repeat the full 2 1/2 hour session to get Career Ladder credit for the course. This includes returning on time from breaks and lunch. Class will begin when the trainer determines that it is time to start. I understand that if I am not present during the entire class period, I will not receive Career Ladder credit for the session, and will have to repeat the full 2 1/2 hour session in order to receive credit for the course.
- Disruptive Behavior: I will be respectful to all personnel that support the Professional Development System (i.e.: Care About Childcare, CCPDI staff, OCC staff, etc.). I will not use obscene, profane, threatening, discriminatory, harassing or abusive language. During class, I will be respectful to the trainer and others in attendance during each class session. I will not engage in any conversation or behavior that is disruptive or disrespectful to the trainer or other participants in the class. I will attentively participate in class. I will not text message or make cell phone calls during class time. I understand that I am required to turn my cell phone and/or other electronic devices off or turn them to vibrate during class time. I will limit all cell phone calls to break time or after class time. I will not engage in disruptive private conversations during class time. If I must bring food or drink to class, I will eat quietly and will not allow food or drink to become disruptive or distracting to the trainer or other class participants.
- Illegal Activity I Health & Safety: I understand that any illegal activity, including behavior that threatens the health or safety of the trainer or another class participant before, during or after class will be cause for my immediate expulsion from class and permanent suspension from participation in the Career Ladder and the Professional Development Award, and that such behavior may be reported to law enforcement. I understand that I may be asked to leave a class if my condition prevents me from participating or is disruptive to the class environment.
- Children: I understand that adult training classes are not a developmentally appropriate environment for children of any age. I will not bring children to class.
- Class Roll: I understand that in order to receive credit for each class session, I must sign the roll before class begins. I understand that failure to do so will result in my not receiving credit for the class session. I understand that I may not sign the roll for someone else.
- Confidentiality: I understand that confidentiality is extremely important. I understand that I must keep all names and other identifying information confidential when I am relating a story during class or asking for guidance regarding certain issues. I also understand that it is my responsibility to keep sensitive issues discussed during class in confidence, and not discuss it with family or friends outside of that classroom setting.
- Refunds: I understand that class registration fees are non-refundable. I understand that if I notify Care About Childcare a minimum of two days in advance when I am unable to attend a course for which I am registered, that my registration fee may be able to be credited toward another class. I understand that it is my responsibility to contact the Care About Childcare to make these arrangements.
- Non-Compliance: I understand that, in cases of infractions of a minor severity (behavior that has been determined to be disruptive but not illegal), that I will be allowed one issued verbal warning upon the first violation of the above listed rules. I understand that upon the second such infraction, I will be suspended from participation in the Career Ladder and Professional Development Award System for one year from that infraction date. I understand that upon the third such infraction I will be permanently barred from participation in the Career Ladder and Professional Development Award System. I understand that upon the first incident of any violation in which I engage in illegal activity (including threatening or intimidating behavior), that I will be permanently banned from participation in the Career Ladder and Training and the Professional Development Award System, and that such action may be cause for intervention by law enforcement and/or other legal action.

Print Name:	
Signature:	Date:

### Instrucciones para Registrarse

<u>Cada persona</u> que se matricule en una clase debe <u>firmar el Código de Conducta del Participante y enviarlo</u> <u>conjuntamente con la hoja de registro</u>. Este documento se encuentra en el centro del boletín con la hoja de registro. <u>Usted deberá hacer esto cada vez que se inscriba en una clase.</u>

- 1. Use la página de la red <u>www.cssutah.org</u> o llame al 801-326-4373, pregunte por Aída, para comprobar las plazas disponibles en cada clase que desea asistir <u>antes</u> de enviar su matrícula y su dinero. La matrículas y pagos se aceptarán <u>solo</u> por correo. La matrícula y pago deben recibirse en la oficina <u>2 días antes</u> de la fecha de comienzo de la clase tanto para asistir a una clase completa como para recuperar alguna sesión. Solo los participantes que se han matriculado con anterioridad podrán asistir a las clases de entrenamiento. No se admiten niños o acompañantes. Si usted tiene un bebé que todavía toma el pecho, por favor llame antes de la clase para hacer los arreglos necesarios.
- 2. Complete toda la información en su hoja de matrícula. Solo una persona por hoja. Usted puede hacer fotocopias si necesita más hojas o puede bajar una copia de la página de Care About Childcare, www.cssutah.org Guarde un registro de las fechas y clases en las que se matriculó. Aproximadamente una semana después de haber enviado por correo una forma de registración, podrá ir al Registro de Utah para Cuidadores: <a href="http://careaboutchildcere.utah.gov">http://careaboutchildcere.utah.gov</a> para revisar su calendario de clases.
- 3. Envíe su matrícula con su cheque o giro postal al siguiente nombre y dirección:

Children's Service Society Attn: Barbara Johnson 655 East 4500 South, Suite 200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84107

- •Las clases se pagan por adelantado y la tarifa no es reembolsable
- Todos los cheques devueltos tendrán una tarifa añadida de \$15.00

#### De acuerdo con el Acta de Americanos con Minusvalías:

Se proveerán la acomodaciones razonables (incluyendo ayudas para la comunicación y otros servicios) a aquellos individuos que lo soliciten con cinco días de antelación al comienzo de la clase. **Por favor llame a Aída 801-326-4373** 

#### CAC at CSS Clases en Español

Vea nuestro calendario de entrenamiento en línea <a href="http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training">http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training</a>

Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Desarrollo Infantil: Los Primeros Años de Aprendizaje: equivalente a Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	CAC@CSS 655 E. 4500 S. #200 (84107)	Jun 2, 9, 16, & 23 Juev 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 1 CDA	Level 1
Basic Child Care (Clase introductoria de 5 horas para nuevos proveedores de Cuidado Infantil)	CAC@CSS 655 E. 4500 S. #200 (84107)	May 7 Sab 9am-3pm	\$16	5 Lic	Ninguno
Explorando el Currículo Creativo: Vamos al Circo!	CAC@CSS 655 E. 4500 S. #200 (84107)	Jun 11 Sab 10am-12:30pm	\$16	2.5 Lic	Ninguno

## Clases en Español

## **Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society**

No	Nombre Legal:		Fecha de Nacimiento:				
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#### Contrato de Código de Conducta para Participantes durante las Sesiones de Entrenamiento de Care About Childcare @ Children's Service Society

**Puntualidad/ Asistencia:** Entiendo que debo estar presente en la clase a la hora o, antes de la hora establecida para el comienzo de la misma para obtener crédito por la totalidad de la clase. Si llego después de la hora de comienzo establecida, puedo utilizar el tiempo real presente en la clase para obtener crédito para el mantenimiento de mi licencia, pero tendré que repetir las 2 horas y media de la sesión para obtener crédito para el curso de Career Ladder. Esto incluye regresar a tiempo después de los descansos y el almuerzo. La clase comienza cuando el entrenador/a determine el comienzo. Entiendo que si no estoy presente o/y atento durante todo el período de la clase, no obtendré el crédito para mi curso de Career Ladder y tendré que repetir la sesión completa para recibir crédito por el curso.

Comportamiento Desconsiderado: Seré respetuoso con el entrenador/a y hacia los participantes de la clase. No usaré lenguaje abusivo, amenazador discriminatorio, profano u obsceno. No me involucraré en ningún comportamiento que sea desconsiderado o irrespetuoso hacia el entrenador/a o los participantes de la clase. Participaré activamente en la clase. No enviaré mensajes de texto o haré llamadas telefónicas durante la clase. Entiendo que durante la clase, debo apagar o mantener en vibración mi teléfono celular y/ u otros aparatos electrónicos. Limitaré mis llamadas de teléfono a los tiempos de descanso y/o al finalizar la clase. No me involucraré en conversaciones privadas que distraen durante el tiempo de la clases. Si tengo que comer durante el tiempo de la clase, lo haré con cuidado y en silencio, y no permitiré que la comida se convierta en una distracción para el entrenador/a o los participantes de la clase.

Actividades llegales/Salud y Seguridad Entiendo que cualquier actividad ilegal, incluyendo cualquier comportamiento que amenace la salud o la seguridad del entrenador/a u otros participantes de la clase durante o después del tiempo de la misma, será causa de expulsión inmediata y suspensión permanente de mi participación en los programas de Career Ladder y Sistema de Desarrollo Profesional, y que ese comportamiento puede ser notificado a las autoridades. Entiendo que se me pedirá abandonar la clase si no estoy en condición de participar en la clase o si mi condición es perjudicial para el ambiente de la clase.

**Niños:** Entiendo que las clases de entrenamiento para adultos no es el ambiente apropiado para el desarrollo de los niños. Por favor, no traiga niños a clase.

Lista de Asistencia: Entiendo que para recibir crédito por cada sesión, debo de firmar la lista de asistencia antes de que la clase comience. Entiendo que, al no hacerlo, no recibiré crédito por la sesión. Entiendo que no puedo firmar la lista de asistencia por otra persona.

Confidencialidad: Entiendo que la confidencialidad es extremadamente importante. Entiendo que debo mantener los nombres y otra información identificadora confidencial cuando comparto una historia durante la clase o cuando necesito ayuda con ciertas situaciones. Tambien entiendo que es mi responsabilidad mantener estas situaciones delicadas que se discuten en la clase confidenciales, y no discutirlas con mi familia y amigos fuera de la clase.

Devoluciones: Entiendo que la tarifa de matriculación de las clases no es reembolsable. Entiendo que si notifico la oficina de Care About Childcare con un mínimo de tres días de antelación del comienzo de la clase, para informarles de que no puedo asistir a la misma, mi tarifa de matriculación puede ser usada para otra clase. Entiendo que es mi responsabilidad comunicarme con Care About Childcare para hacer estos arreglos.

Incumplimiento del Contracto: Entiendo que, en casos de infracciones leves (comportamientos que ha sido determinado perjudiciales pero no ilegales) seré extendido/a una advertencia verbal a la primera infracción de cualquiera de las normas explicadas anteriormente. A la segunda infracción, seré suspendido/a de la participación en el programa de Career Ladder y Sistema de Desarrollo Profesional durante un año desde la fecha de la infracción. Entiendo que después de la tercera infracción me será totalmente prohibido el participar en el programa de Career Ladder o Sistema de Desarrollo Profesional. Entiendo que después de la primera vez que me involucre en una actividad ilegal (incluyendo amenazas o comportamiento intimidante), me será prohibida la participación en los programas de Career Ladder y Sistema de Desarrollo Profesional para siempre, y tal acción puede ser causa de la intervención de las autoridades y/o de acción legal.

Elimonad y osloy as accorde con las normas expresadas en este accomente.				
Firma del Participante:	Nombre:	Fecha:		

Entiendo y estoy de acuerdo con las normas expresadas en este documento

### EXPLORING CREATIVE CURRICULUM

The little ones undoubtedly will have fun with this circus theme unit

## OFF TO THE CIRCUS





The sun is shining and the weather is perfect so let's take the children on an unforgettable and wonderful adventure! Lions, Acrobats, Jugglers, Ponies, Trapezes, clowns and much more await you in this wonderful Exploring **Creative Curriculum** Theme unit. Help children travel to a wonderful world full of excitement and magic. Don't miss this 2.5 hour make and take class that will have activity ideas and teaching aids to keep them eager to discover the fun waiting for them down at the circus!

June 25th (Saturday) from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm Or June 27th (Monday) from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm

El sol brilla y el clima está perfecto, por lo tanto, illevemos a los niños a una aventura inolvidable y maravillosa! Leones, Acróbatas, Malabaristas, Ponis, Trapecios, payasos y mucho más les espera en este Tema de Explorando el Currículo Creativo.

Ayude a los niños a viajar a un mundo maravilloso lleno de emoción y magia.

iNo se pierda esta clase de "hacer y llevar" de 2.5 horas que tendrá ideas para actividades y ayudas de enseñanza para mantenerlos deseosos de descubrir la diversión que les espera en el circo!

Junio 11 (Sábado) de 10:00 am a 12:30 pm





### EXPLORANDO EL CURRÍCULO CREATIDO

Los pequeñitos sin duda se divertirán con esta unidad con tema de circo

Esta clase está listada en el formulario de registración... o se puede registrar hora por internet. ¡El espacio es limitado así que registrese hoy!







### Child Care Provider Appreciation Day

is a special day to recognize child care providers, teachers and other educators of young children everywhere. Started in 1996 by a group of volunteers in New Jersey, Provider Appreciation Day is appropriately celebrated each year on the Friday before Mother's Day. The founding organizers saw the need to recognize the tireless efforts of providers who care for children of working parents. Momentum and support for this event has grown each year.

Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society would like to show our appreciation for all of your hard work this past year by inviting you to our 11th annual Provider Appreciation Event!

## Care About Childcare Annual

CHILDCARE PROVIDER APPRECIATION DAY

Save the Date:

Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Watch your mail around the middle of May for your invitation to a free, fun packed day for you and the children you care for!

We're looking forward to seeing you this year at

This Is the Place Heritage Park!



## Provider Training & Resource Contacts

CPR & First Aid Training			
Steve Thorkalson (English & Spanish)	www.utahsafetycouncil.org	801-201-0699	
Save-A-Heart (\$5.00 Discount for Providers)	http://www.saveaheartofutah.com	801-582-7114	
An Act of Caring	http://www.anactofcaring.com	801-598-8370	
American Red Cross	http://www.redcross.org/what-we-do/training-education	801-323-7000	
Utah Emergency Medical Training Council	http://www.coleholland.edu	801-562-2663	
First Response (Jill Wallace)		801-352-7353	
Julie Hessheimer (will come to your location)		801-450-7774	
Anabel Olguin, Classes in English & Spanish		801-930-0458	
D&R First Aid/CPR		801-9678292	
Food Handlers Permit—\$30.00 fee			
Granite Peaks Learning Center Mo	ondays- Bring Cash and your ID	385-646-5447	

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West High School	Tuesday- Bring Cash and your ID	801-578-8515		
Entrada High School	Tuesday- Bring Cash and your ID	801-826-6675		
Taylorsville High School	Wednesday- Bring Cash and your ID	385-646-5461		
On-Line Course	http://www.statefoodsafety.com/	801-494-1416		

	Kitchen Inspection-\$60.00 fee	
Salt Lake Valley Health Department	http://slcohealth.org/programs/foodProtection/resD ayCareInspect.html	385-468-3845

New Licensee Training				
Home Provider Training	http://childcarelicensing.utah.gov/forms/All/Home Rules Training.pdf	801-273-6617		
Center Provider Training	http://childcarelicensing.utah.gov/forms/All/Center Rules Training.pdf	801-273-6617		
	Food & Nutrition Programs			
Child Care Food Program	http://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/child-and-adult-care- food-program	801-538-7680		
Helping Hands	http://www.helpinghandsutah.com/	801-955-6234		
Fingerprints				
Department of Public Safety	http://bci.utah.gov/	801-965-4445		



## **STAR Night**

## STAR Night is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month Resource Open House

#### 5:00 to 6:45 p.m. TEACHING RESOURCES AND THE GENERAL STORE

- Check out materials from the Lending Library to use in your program with the children
- Laminate for \$.50 a foot, and purchase materials from the General Store
- Learn how to use the die cut machines, Cricut & binding machines

#### 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. COMPUTER ASSISTANCE FOR PROVIDERS

- Learn to upload your documents & photos for criteria you have completed
- Have your questions answered about your Marketing Page or CAC criteria that you are working on

#### 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. PROVIDER SUPPORT & TRAINING

- Learn about CAC indicators to improve the quality of your program
- One specific criterion covered each month. See below for information
- Receive a one hour training certificate

#### You must register to attend any of the sections!

Enroll on line at https://careaboutchildcare.utah.gov/provider/calendar.aspx or call Barbara or Sandy 801-326-4403

Tonight's Criteria:

April 20<sup>th</sup>

**Indoor Environment** 

#1&2

Program offers
activities/Learning
centers

Tonight's Criteria:

May 18<sup>th</sup>

Administration

# 7

Program is reviewed annually by parents

Tonight's Criteria:

June 15<sup>th</sup>

Administration

#9

Owner completes a review of the business aspects of the program

### Interested in advancing your Professional Development?

Are you a child care provider working in a center or running an in-home program? Are you interested in obtaining your Child Development Associate (CDA) credential, or are you trying to figure out if a CDA is right for you?

In any case, Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society would like to assist you in achieving your CDA!

There is a growing trend for child care providers to show demonstrated competency in the Early Childhood field, and a CDA is a great way to do it! Receiving this credential is not only one of the ways to achieve Level 4 on the Career Ladder, but it will also show your ability to put what you learn into action each day with the children in your care. The services we offer, and materials we provide, are FREE for providers in licensed programs and designed to assist you through each step of the process!

If you believe pursuing a CDA is right for you, or you are still deciding if it is, please register for an upcoming FREE CDA Orientation offered on the Class Schedule for this quarter. The Orientation covers an overview of the process, the eligibility and training hour requirements, what classes to register for next, how the classes you take fit into the Career Ladder system, etc. Also, at the Orientation, you will be able to create an individual plan for the next CDA Support Workshops to attend as well.

Support Workshops cover various topics including:

- The NAEYC Code of Ethical Conduct
- The 6 Competency Standards and 13 Functional Areas as defined by the CDA Council
- The philosophy of Developmentally Appropriate Practice and how it relates to the CDA
- Organization and components of the Professional Portfolio
- Family Questionnaires
- Verification Visit, including the Observation, Reflective Dialogue, and CDA Exam
- Renewal Procedures

As part of the process, everyone interested in a CDA is required to obtain 120 hours of formal early childhood training. In addition to registering for an upcoming CDA Orientation, you can also begin to register for, and attend, classes listed as Levels 1-3, which will put you on track to have almost all of the 120 hours completed!

If you have any questions about the support available, please contact the CDA Consultant:

Jaclyn Gruenefeld 801.326.4383 jaclyn@cssutah.org

Congratulations!
Silvia Abalos
Gabriela Martinez

## Do You Know Someone Who Has Recently Lost Their Job?



Kids In Care
Job Search Support Fund is
Available To Pay Up To 150 Hours Of
Child Care per family. FREE child care
for qualifying families!

The goal of the Kids in Care Job Search Fund is to ensure that recently unemployed parents have access to regulated child care at **no cost** while they engage in formal job search activities. Do you have a parent in your program who could use some help?

For Eligibility Requirements or to apply contact Tina

Phone: 801-326-4399 Email: KIC@cssutah.org













### CHILD CARE **PROVIDERS**

can HELP children develop **HEALTHY HABITS** early in life that will bring LIFELONG BENEFITS



THE FIRST







Because of the INCREASING RATES OF **OBESITY...** we may see the **FIRST GENERATION** that will be LESS HEALTHY and have a SHORTER LIFE EXPECTANCY than their parents.

Free Resources & Support throughout your Endorsement!

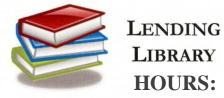
Receive up to 10 hours of Licensing Credit, 4 Career Ladder Credit in Health & Safety (Level 1 & Levels 5-8).

Improve the health ↓ well-being of yourself, your staff, & the Children in your care.

Call 385.468.4064 or Email JMaple@slco.org



## **CAC Lending Library**





**MONDAY - FRIDAY** 

from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

STAR Night

Every 3rd Wednesday of each month, and it is divided into three (3) different sections:

- Creative Resources & General Store with Lilian from: 5:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
- Computer Assistance for Providers with Sarah from: 6:00 p.m. to 6:55 p.m.
- Provider Support and Training with Sonia from: 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

### HIGHLIGHTED THIS QUARTER DURING STAR NIGHT

Theme boxes for preschoolers







Story Stretchers and Literacy Bags

The CAC Lending Library is located at 655 East 4500 South #200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84107

Lending Library Specialist: Lilian Madrid 801-326-4377 lilian@cssutah.org Our newest addition to the Lending Library: CriCut Expressions!



Call Lilian To make an appointment today!



## Thank you for Caring About Childcare and making a difference in the lives of Utah's children.

#### **Provider Coaching Program**

The Provider Coaching program is designed for family and center providers to improve the quality of care in their program. Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society has coaches to assist you in setting and achieving your professional goals. Goals may include achieving criteria on the CAC Quality Indicator program.

Receive on-site support and training hours at no cost to you. Upon the completion of up to 20-30 hours providers will be able to purchase \$400 worth of materials or equipment for their program at NO COST.

Call and find out how you can get started with this educational and rewarding program. Space is limited but a waiting list is available.

To receive more information, contact the Provider Coaches:

Sonia Aguilera 801-326-4397 / sonia@cssutah.org

Jaclyn Gruenefeld 801-326-4383 / jaclyn@cssutah.org

El Programa de Entrenamiento para Proveedores está diseñado para mejorar la calidad de los programas de cuidado infantil. Establezca sus metas y trabaje uno-a-uno con un entrenador el cual le apoyará a alcanzar sus metas profesionales. Sus metas pueden incluir indicadores de calidad de CAC.

Reciba entrenamiento en su hogar sin costo alguno. Al finalizar las 20-30 horas recibirá un equipo PC con un valor de \$400 en materiales para su programa.

Llame y averigüe como puede matricularse y ser parte de este programa. Las plazas vacantes para este programa se llenan rápido, y tenemos una lista de espera.

Para recibir más información contacte a

Sonia Aguilera al 801-326-4397 o sonia@cssutah.org

Jaclyn Gruenefeld al 801-326-4383 or jaclyn@cssutah.org

## Children's Service Society



## **ADOPTION PROGRAM**

#### **Adoption Services**



Milo, adopted in 2014

Milo's birth mother felt that caring for her child with severe medical issues was more than she was able to handle, and she chose to place him for adoption. The hospital social worker referred her to CSS because of our positive reputation in the community and our expertise in special needs adoptions. We located a family who had experience with Milo's diagnosis, and they were happy to adopt this beautiful child.

Children's Service Society's adoption program has completed more than 2,700 adoptions since 1930. We take great pride in the ethical nature of our adoption services; and more than just following our state laws, we strive to meet high standards of social work practices. It is in part because of these values that CSS is the only private agency in the state of Utah contracted to write home studies for the Utah Division of Child and Family Services.

#### **Connections**

Our Connections program is invested in more than just helping CSS's former clients to reunite with biological families separated by adoption. Currently all adoption records in Utah are sealed whether a birthparent wants them to be or not, despite the majority of today's birthparents requesting an open adoption. The Connections program has worked very hard, though yet unsuccessfully, on a bill to allow adoptees access to their adoption records. CSS will continue to strive towards creating ethical adoption practices for all involved in the State of Utah.

#### CSS Adoption Services include:

- Ethical options counseling
- Post-adoption birth parent counseling
- Domestic infant and special needs adoptive placements
- Home studies for Utah DCFS adoptions
- Domestic infant home studies
- Domestic special needs home studies
- International home studies
- · Post-placement services

#### CSS Connections services include:

- Confidential intermediary services
- Non-identifying information reports

Since its creation in 2002, the Connections program has helped to facilitate more than 100 adoption reunions.



# Summer Meals for Kids & Teens

**Being Served in Your Community** 

To find a location near you,

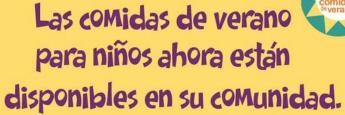
call 1-866-3-HUNGRY or go to

http://schools.utah.gov/cnp/Summer-Food-Service-Program/Map.aspx

OPEN to All Children, 18 and younger NO Enrollment, NO Cost!







Para encontrar la localidad más cercana llame al 1-877-8-HAMBRE o visite http://schools.utah.gov/cnp/Summer-Food-Service-Program/Map.aspx

Disponible para niños de 18 años de edad o menores.

¡Sin costo ni registración!





#### What is Help Me Grow Utah?

**Help Me Grow Utah** is a universal information and referral network connecting families and providers to community resources and child development information at **no cost**. More specifically, we offer

- Information on pregnancy, child development and parenting
- Referrals to community resources
- Developmental screening questionnaires (ASQ-3) for children ages 0-5 years old
- Postpartum Depression Screening (Edinburgh Postnatal Depression Scale) for mothers prenatally and postpartum
- Care coordination to ensure that families successfully connect with resources

Help Me Grow Utah supports prenatal parents and families with children through age 8. Offering services at no cost in both English & Spanish.

#### How can you connect families to us?

With parent permission, you can easily refer a family to Help Me Grow Utah

- Fill out a Help Me Grow referral form (available at <u>helpmegrowutah.org</u>)
- Fax the form to 801-374-2591

#### Eager to learn more?

Help Me Grow Utah has Community Liaisons throughout the state that are here to help you! Get connected with one today and they can

- Answer your resource questions
- Explain how Help Me Grow can help your agency
- Keep you informed of things going on in your community

Call 801-691-5322 to find a Community Liaison in your area today!



Salt Lake Donated Dental is offering free sedation for children needing extensive dental work on eleven dates throughout 2016. The sedations will be given to children who have seen a dentist previously so a referral can be made for sedation. All patients must income qualify for services. For more information please contact Laura at 801-972-2747.

The dates for the sedations are:

- March 18, 2016
- April 1, 2016
- May 13, 2016
- June 10, 2016
- August 19, 2016
- September 16, 2016
- October 14, 2016
- November 11, 2016
- December 9, 2016

These services are currently being underutilized and will be discontinued if the spots are not filled. Thank you for helping to spread the word!!

For more information please contact Laura at 801-972-2747



Serving young children and their families is what childcare programs are all about. You do what you do because you care. At the Bureau of Child Development in the Utah Department of Health, we understand that, we honor that, and we want to help you do it. Our Early Childhood Utah program currently offers two game-changing tools to assist you in the good work you're already doing. The Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) and the Strengthening Families Protective Factor Framework can help improve clarity and precision in your work with families.

The Bureau is offering to partner with interested childcare programs in the service of families; we provide access to training, materials, tools, and ongoing support in integrating the ASQ into your program. In addition to providing insight on how to work with a specific child in the moment, screening is the first step to identifying children who could benefit from additional services to improve their outcomes now and down the road.

We're also in the process of applying and adapting the Strengthening Families Protective Factors Framework to a variety of fields across the state. This strengths-based framework puts the work that we do with individual children every day in the larger context of the family, and what each partner, program, and provider contributes to that family's development of the five protective factors:

- Parental Resilience
- Social Connections
- Knowledge of parenting and child development
- Concrete support in times of need
- Social and emotional competence of children

To learn more about either of these efforts, please reach out to your local Care About Childcare agency, or contact the Program Coordinator within the Bureau of Child Development, Justin Nuckles, directly at:

Justin Nuckles

Email: <u>inuckles@utah.gov</u> Office: 801-273-2908 Cell: 385-232-6366



The Professional Family Childcare Association of Utah (PFCCA) provides support and benefits to Family Child Care providers all over the state. We'd love to have you join us!

PFCCA will be joining NAFCC again for their annual Walk the Talk Fundraiser on April 16, 2016 at the Utah State Capitol. We'd love to have a strong showing of Utah Family Child Care providers for Quality Child Care. Join us! This is also a wonderful opportunity to earn scholarship money for accreditation and/or the NAFCC Institute in San Diego this July. For details on this exciting fundraising opportunity visit <a href="http://www.nafcc.org/WalkTheTalk">http://www.nafcc.org/WalkTheTalk</a>.

Join us for our PFCCA Spring Conference and Provider Appreciation event on May 14, 2016 at the Children's Academy, 6910 S Highland Drive. We are so excited to welcome Emily Plank from *Abundant Life Children* as our workshop presenter! Stay tuned to and check our website (pfcca.org) for details and registration.

PFCCA Board Elections have been completed and we are excited to welcome Liz Hamilton (Tooele) as our new President Elect! Marijean Aguayo (Cedar City) will also be assisting with the newsletter.

PFCCA Book Club Pick – Our current book club pick is *The Play's the Thing* by Elizabeth Jones and Gretchen Reynolds. Pick up a copy and read along!

Chapter Meetings - We continue to provide quality and fun trainings every month at chapters throughout Utah. These trainings count as face-to-face trainings for licensing purposes. For more information about your local chapter visit our website at <a href="https://www.pfcca.org">www.pfcca.org</a>

There are 4 Chapters in the Salt Lake and Tooele County Area, including a Spanish speaking Chapter. For information on the closest one to you please check our website.

Contact us: PO Box 57931 SLC, UT 84157, 1-800-430-6026



#### Free Divorce Education for Children from Utah State Courts

When adults go through a divorce, there are programs available to assist them in making the transition, including a class offered through the Utah State Courts. But what about the children of divorcing parents? Nearly 12,000 Utah children are impacted by divorce each year, including more than 5,000 children in Salt Lake County. A gap exists between programs that are available for adults and classes available for children of divorcing parents. Because of this gap children are often left confused and full of mixed emotions when going through the divorce process.

To fill this need, the Utah State Courts has developed a program called Divorce Education for Children. This class is available for children ages 9 to 12 and offered free of charge. The program's curriculum provides children with skills they can use to better communicate their feelings to parents and is designed to minimize the adverse effects divorce has on children. Mental health professionals teach the class with assistance from state court judges and commissioners.

#### **FREE** Class Information:

The Divorce Education for Children class is available for children ages 9 to 12 and offered free of charge. The program is taught by a mental health professional and provides children with skills they can use to better communicate their feelings to parents and is designed to minimize the adverse effects divorce has on children. Classes are offered in Logan, Ogden, Provo and Salt Lake City.

To register your child or children for an upcoming Divorce Education for Children class in your area go to <a href="https://www.utcourts.gov/specproj/dived/children.html">www.utcourts.gov/specproj/dived/children.html</a>.

For more information please contact: Suzy Lee at (801)578-3897 or suzyl@utcourts.gov