



Children's
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Winter Quarter Newsletter

January, February & March 2016



We Have Specialists to Help You to Prepare for the Coming Change!

Providers participating in the Professional Development Award (PDA, formerly called Career Ladder & Longevity program) have until **July 1, 2018** to get a **Demonstrated Competency (DC)** for their **Level 4** before their PDA amount will be affected. Providers won't "lose" their higher levels, but they won't get the PDA money attached to the higher levels. They will get the money that goes with the highest level they have for Levels 1-3.

A DC must include an assessment, observation and training. CCPDI has **\$100 scholarships** available to cover the cost of an observation if that is necessary for the DC option chosen. CCPDI has **\$325 CDA Scholarships** available as well.

Some Options for Achieving a Demonstrated Competencies (Level 4):

1. Current CDA (Child Development Associate)
2. Current CCP (Child Care Professional Credential)
3. Utah High School Skills Certification A & B within last 5 years
4. Current NAC (National Administrator's Credential) + 6 specific career ladder courses + Observation
5. Current Teaching Credential + Observation
6. An Early Childhood Practicum within last 5 years
7. Current Montessori Certification
8. Portfolio + 6 Specific Career Ladder Courses + Observation (must have level 4 prior to 7/1/2011)
9. 4 CEU's + 6 Specific Career Ladder Classes + Observation (must have level 4 prior to 7/1/2011)
10. Current NAFCC Accreditation for Family Providers

For help with achieving a CDA credential please contact
Jaclyn Gruenfeld 801.326.4383 or Jaclyn@cssutah.org

For help enrolling in Career Ladder classes and info on the PDA Award please contact
Barbara or Sandy at 801.326.4403 or barbara@cssutah.org or sandy@cssutah.org

For more information on scholarships, DC and the
Professional Development award go to <http://ccpdi.usu.edu/>

CAC at CSS Staff

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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.



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Don't Forget to Apply for a 2015-2016 CAC Grant!

There are a few exciting changes to the 2015-16 Care About Childcare grant:

-The **grant amounts have increased**.

-If **20% or more of your enrollment** is from children whose child care fees **are subsidized** with state Child Care Assistance funds, your program will receive an **additional 10%** on the grant amount.

- Please remember, the quality criteria you earned prior to May 2015 need to be **renewed before March 31st, 2016** in order to remain displayed on your CAC profile page. The renewal process can be done online and your [Care About Childcare agencies](#) are available to help.

- Please take advantage of the CAC grants to help offset the time and effort it takes to achieve quality criteria.

The final deadline for submitting grant applications is **March 31st 2016**.

Grant funding is limited and awarded on a first come, first served basis.

Please [click here](#) to find all of the information and forms you will need for the CAC quality criteria grant or call your local CAC office at 801-355-4847.

Thank you for Caring About Childcare

Congratulations to the following providers for receiving Professional Development Program Awards! July – September 2016

Career Ladder Recipients

<p>Courtne Angeli – Level 5 Heather Bardin – Level 8 Laurel Bauer – Level 1 Debra Caldwell – Level 1 Katelyn Carney – Level 1 Yolanda Carrero – Level 7 Debbie Elmer – Levels 4 & 5 Holly Ertmann – Level 4 Bernice Ferre – Level 7 Maria Flores – Level 1 Ana G Gonzalez – Level 2 Michelle Hanzon – Level 7 Sabrina Harris – Levels 4 & 5</p>	<p>Barbara Howland – Level 8 LeeAnne Kelsey – Level 3 Saima Khanani – Level 1 Megan Killebrew – Levels 4-8 Sunny Ledding – Level 1 Danette Mead – Level 7 Evelyn Morby – Level 3 Angel Munoz – Level 7 Angela Nelson – Level 1 Carolyn Perez – Level 10 Renuka Rai – Level 2 Andrea Ramos – Level 1 Cheryl Ramos – Level 8</p>	<p>Cheryl Rollins – Level 4 Anna Ruiz – Level 9 Jessica Sisson – Level 5 Lynn Soliz – Levels 1 & 4 Crystal Sorensen – Level 2 Tiana Sua’ava – Levels 4 & 5 Devini Tait – Level 1 Helena Taylor – Level 8 Marisol Uzal – Level 3 Jacqueline Veblungsnes – Level 5 Denise Waagen – Level 5</p>
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Career Ladder Endorsement Recipients

<p>Heather Bardin – TBP Michelle Hanzon – GEW Sabrina Harris – IT Sarah Hausman - TBP</p>	<p>Chantel Helmsin - RT Andrea Ramos – CD Cheryl Rollins – CD Kyrrah Whipple - IT</p>
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Professional Development Award Recipients

<p>Carmen Alamos Lindsey Anderson Courtne Angeli Marie Babalis Katelyn Bachand Heather Bardin Taylor Barney Laurel Bauer Rebecca Bellis Katia Banilla Ada Brown Genny Caceres Debra Caldwell Katelyn Carney Yolanda Carrero Amy Christensen Barbra Christoferson Carolyn Clark Missy Connole Miriam Corsini Shirley Cox Sarah Dershowitz</p>	<p>Laura Espinoza Bernice Ferre Maria Flores Maria Galvan Norma Garcia Kristine Godfrey Ana G Gonzalez Ana Sofia Gonzalez Michelle Hanzon Peggy Harris Sabrina Harris Corina Harrison Adriana Hernandez Marjorie Higgs Jean Hosie-Jensen Barbara Howland Gwendolyn Hull Sukainatou Jallow Nermana Josipovic LeeAnne Kelsey Saima Khanani Megan Killebrew</p>	<p>Amanda Landolfi Lisa Larsen Kathrine LeClaire Sunny Ledding Veronica Macias Rosa Magana Donna Martin Danette Mead Angel Munoz Angela Nelson Ruth Norlund Kayleen Olson Geneva Ornelas Tiffany Parker Sandra Perez Renuka Rai Andrea Ramos Cheryl Ramos Mary Roberts Cheryl Rollins Claudia Romero Ana Ruiz</p>	<p>Benilda Saucedo de Guillen Tammy Schiwal-Huerta Miranda Scott Janet Scow Jessica Sisson Lynn Soliz Tiana Sua'ava Devini Tait Nichole Tawzer Suzanne Tayler Helena Taylor Amy Tong Marisol Uzal Leticia Vaccaro Megan VanHorn Denise Waagen Kyrh Whipple Heather White Jessica Whyte Jennifer Whyte-Frederickson Ilse Wilson Carol Wood</p>
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CONGRATULATIONS

Did you know that 111 providers received an incentive last quarter for updating their vacancies for two out of three months? (July, August and September)
Remember to update your vacancies monthly, but 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**

Or 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 111 proveedores recibieron un Libro por actualizar sus vacantes dos de cada tres meses? (Julio, Agosto y Septiembre).

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 **www.careaboautchilcare.utah.gov**

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

Congratulations to our 2015 Whole Record Update Contest Winners!



Sylvia Abalos
\$200 Basket Winner



Children's Corner #1
\$100 Basket Winner



Bear Essentials Academy
\$75 Basket Winner

Honorable Mention \$20 Lakeshore Gift Card Recipients:

Rock-A-Bye Infant Child Care
Ana Ruiz
Lina Martínez
Avenues Preschool
Linda Wakefield

July, Aug & Sept Telephone Referrals Given by City/Zip Codes:

Downtown– 84101, 84102, 84103, 84111	15	Magna– 84044	6
University– 84112, 84113, 84108, 84109	3	West Jordan– 84084, 84088, 84081	16
Rose Park– 84116	6	South Jordan– 84095	5
Glendale– 84104	7	Herriman– 84096	9
Sugarhouse– 84105, 84106, 84115	17	Riverton/Bluffdale– 84065	2
Murray– 84107	14	Draper– 84020	0
Taylorsville– 84123, 84129	12	Sandy– 84094, 84070	2
Holladay– 84117, 84124	7	Midvale– 84047	8
West Valley City– 84119, 84120, 84128	42	East Bench– 84121, 84092 ,84093	6
Kearns– 84118	9	Tooele- 84029, 84074, 84083	7

Current Slots and Vacancies

City	Slots	Vacancies
Alta	46	20
Cottonwood Heights	271	36
Draper	882	193
Grantsville	201	37
Herriman	196	20
Holladay	237	110
Kearns	417	63
Lake Point	8	0
Magna	251	57
Midvale	236	30
Murray	914	246

City	Slots	Vacancies
Riverton	721	226
Salt Lake City	5,824	920
Sandy	1,557	324
Snowbird	44	0
Solitude	12	0
South Jordan	529	106
Stansbury Park	180	23
Taylorsville	1,310	276
Tooele	450	53
Wendover	16	2
West Jordan	2,105	338
West Valley City	2,150	524



Child Care Licensing Program Training Opportunities

For Child Care Centers, Licensed Family & Residential Certificates

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 see the training schedule go to <http://health.utah.gov/licensing/trainings>. To register for the class of your choice call the region you will be attending in:

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

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

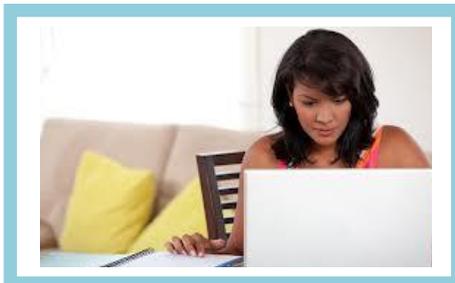
- **Classes are held at venues independent of the Child Care Licensing Program.** If you have any questions about the class, please do not contact the venue.
- **Classes are taught according to Care About Child Care specifications.** In order to receive Career Ladder credit, you must be there for the 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.

Online Training Registration Instructions

To register for classes online you must first log-in to the Care About Childcare website at <https://www.careaboutchildcare.utah.gov>. 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, barbara@cssutah.org or sandy@cssutah.org



CAC @ CSS Winter 2016 Class Schedule

View training schedule online at <http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training>

Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Theory & Best Practices, Course 1: Maslow & Attachment Theory <small>If you've taken Advanced Child Development and are looking for the next step, this course is for you.</small>	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) <small>Located behind Whole Foods</small>	Jan 4, 6, & 9 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Working Together-Productive Relationships with Families	Kid Care Co. 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	Jan 5, 7, & 9 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Child Development: Healthy Care	Kids Kampus 232 W 800 S (84101)	Jan 5, 7, & 9 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
CDA Orientation-A Great Place to Start <small>Learn about the CDA, the process involved, how Career Ladder classes work, and what classes to take next.</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jan 6 Wed 6:30-9pm	None	2.5 CDA	None
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 3: Learning In Infancy & Toddlerhood	St Paul's Preschool 261 S 900 E (84102)	Jan 11, 13, & 16 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	Creative Learning Academy 1110 W 3300 S (84119)	Jan 11, 14, & 16 Mon & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 1: Healthy Caregivers	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) <small>Located behind Whole Foods</small>	Jan 16 & 23 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Family Child Care, Course 3: Developmental Learning Goals & Activities <small>Must be a Family Child Care Provider to enroll.</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jan 18, 20, 25, & 27 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$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)	Jan 19, 21, & 23 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
STAR Night <small>Divided into 3 sessions: You can participate in any or all 3: Resource & General Store, Technical Assistance & Training</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jan 20 Wed 5-8pm	None	1 Lic <small>(only for 7-8pm)</small>	None
Infant & Toddler, Course 2: Social-Emotional Growth & Development	St Paul's Preschool 261 S 900 E (84102)	Jan 25, 27, Feb 1, & 3 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
School Readiness, Course 3 Social Emotional	SLCC/So City Campus 1575 S State Rm (84115)	Jan 25, 27, Feb 1, & 3 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
CAC Website Training <small>Learn how to use the Facility Updates, Marketing Page, Submit Criteria and answer questions on portals</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Jan 26 Tues 6:30-8:30pm	None	2 Lic	None
Child Development: Ages & Stages	Neighborhood House 1050 W 500 S (84104)	Jan 26, 28, Feb 2, & 4 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1



CAC @ CSS Winter 2016 Class Schedule

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Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Professionalism in Child Care-More Than Babysitting	Kid Care Co. 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	Feb 2, 4, 9, & 11 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Learning to Get Along	Kids Kampus 232 W 800 S (84101)	Feb 6 & 13 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Child Development: Healthy Care	Creative Learning Academy 1110 W 3300 S (84119)	Feb 6 & 13 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Special Needs, Course 3: Setting Up the Environment	Mt. Olympus Christian Child Care 3280 E 3900 S (84124)	Feb 9, 11, 16, & 18 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 2 Foundations of Emotional Wellness	Neighborhood House 1050 West 500 South (84104)	Feb 13 & 20 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
ASQ-Social Emotional	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Feb 16, 18, & 20 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Director's Toolbox, Course 1 Leadership in Action	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) <small>Located behind Whole Foods</small>	Feb 16, 18, 23, & 25 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic	Level 5-8
STAR Night <small>Divided into 3 sessions: You can participate in any or all 3: Resource & General Store, Technical Assistance & Training</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Feb 17 Wed 5-8pm	None	1 Lic <small>(only for 7-8pm)</small>	None
A Great Place for Kids!	The Kids Park of Stansbury 199 Millpond (84074)(Tooele)	Feb 20 & 27 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
CAC Website Training <small>Learn how to use the Facility Updates, Marketing Page, Submit Criteria and answer questions on portals</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Feb 22 Mon 6:30-8:30pm	None	2 Lic	None
Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	St John's Child Dev Center 475 E Herbert Ave (1045 S) (84111)	Feb 22, 24, 29 & Mar 2 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 1: Infants & Toddlers in Child Care Settings	St Paul's Preschool 261 S 900 E (84102)	Feb 22, 25, & 27 Mon & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Relationship Touchpoints, Course 3 Preschoolers 3-4 Years <small>Course 1 is a prerequisite for all other Touchpoint courses.</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Feb 23, 25, & 27 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Desarrollo Infantil: Edades y Etapas equivalente a Child Development: Ages & Stages	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Feb 29, 7, 14, & 21 Mon 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1



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Class Title & Description	Location	Date & Time	Cost	Credit	Career Ladder
Child Development: Ages & Stages	Creative Learning Academy 1110 W 3300 S (84119)	Mar 1, 3, 8, & 10 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
School Age, Course 3: Relationships & Management	Mt. Olympus Christian Child Care 3280 E 3900 S (84124)	Mar 1, 3, 8, & 10 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Creating Good Child Care	Kid Care Co. 475 S Redwood Rd (84104)	Mar 7, 14, 21, & 28 Mon 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
TOP Star	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Mar 8, 10, & 15 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 1-8
Explorando el Currículo Creativo: Vamos a Explorar - Área de Juego	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Mar 12 Sat 10am-12:30pm	\$16	2.5 Lic	None
Looking to Learn	Kids Kampus 232 W 800 S (84101)	Mar 12 & 19 Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Theories & Best Practices, Course 2: Erickson & Bronfenbrenner	St John's Child Dev Center 475 E Herbert Ave (1045 S) (84111)	Mar 14, 16, 21, & 23 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
Infant & Toddler Care, Course 4: Working with Families of Infants & Toddlers	Children's Academy 6910 S Highland Dr (84121) <small>Located behind Whole Foods</small>	Mar 14, 16, & 19 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm Sat 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA 1 CEU	Level 5-8
STAR Night <small>Divided into 3 sessions: You can participate in any or all 3: Resource & General Store, Technical Assistance & Training</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Mar 16 Wed 5-8pm	None	1 Lic <small>(only for 7-8pm)</small>	None
Child Development: Healthy Care	SLCC/So City Campus 1575 S State Rm (84115)	Mar 21, 23, 28, & 30 Mon & Wed 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 1
CAC Website Training <small>Learn how to use the Facility Updates, Marketing Page, Submit Criteria and answer questions on portals</small>	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Mar 22 Tues 6:30-8:30pm	None	2 Lic	None
Strong and Smart	Kids Kampus 232 W 800 S (84101)	Mar 22, 24, 29, & 31 Tues & Thurs 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 10 CDA	Level 2-3
Exploring Creative Curriculum: Let's Explore-Playground	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Mar 26 Sat 10am-12:30pm	\$16	2.5 Lic	None
Exploring Creative Curriculum: Let's Explore-Playground	CAC@CSS 655 E 4500 So #200 (84107)	Mar 28 Mon 6:30-9pm	\$16	2.5 Lic	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 www.cssutah.org or call 80-326-4403 to have a form mailed to you. **Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society only 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 80-326-4403. 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 ***required*** 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.

Your full legal name:		Your birthdate:	
Email Address (Required):		Home phone:	
		Work phone:	
Home Address:		City, State Zip:	
Please circle which type of child care you work in: Licensed Family Residential Certificate Licensed Center Exempt Center Other		Name of Child Care you work in: Position (required Example: Lead Teacher):	
<input type="checkbox"/> I have read, and included a signed copy of the Statewide Training Participant Code of Conduct with this registration form. (The Code of Conduct can be found on page three of this form.)			

✓	Class Title		Date	Class Fee	Amount Enclosed
<input type="checkbox"/>	Theory & Best Practices, Course 1	MU	Jan 4, 6, & 9	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Working Together	MU	Jan 5, 7, & 9	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Healthy Care	MU	Jan 5, 7, & 9	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	CDA Orientation	MU	Jan 6	None	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Infant & Toddler Care, Course 3	MU	Jan 11, 13, & 16	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	MU	Jan 11, 14, & 16	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 1	MU	Jan 16 & 23	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Family Child Care, Course 3 <small>Must be a Family Child Care Provider to enroll.</small>	MU	Jan 18, 20, 25, & 27	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Advanced Child Development	MU	Jan 19, 21, & 23	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	STAR Night		Jan 20	None	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Infant & Toddler Care, Course 2	MU	Jan 25, 27, Feb 1, & 3	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	School Readiness, Course 3	MU	Jan 25, 27, Feb 1, & 3	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	CAC Website Training		Jan 26	None	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Ages & Stages	MU	Jan 26, 28, Feb 2, & 4	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Professionalism in Child Care	MU	Feb 2, 4, 9, & 11	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Learning to Get Along	MU	Feb 6 & 13	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Healthy Care	MU	Feb 6 & 13	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Special Needs, Course 3	MU	Feb 9, 11, 16, & 18	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guidance & Emotional Wellness, Course 2	MU	Feb 13 & 20	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	ASQ-Social Emotional	MU	Feb 16, 18, & 20	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Director's Toolbox, Course 1	MU	Feb 16, 18, 23, & 25	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	STAR Night		Feb 17	None	
<input type="checkbox"/>	A Great Place for Kids!	MU	Feb 20 & 27	\$16	

<input type="checkbox"/> CAC Website Training		Feb 22	None
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Learning in the Early Years	MU	Feb 22, 24, 29, & Mar 2	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Infant & Toddler Care, Course 1	MU	Feb 22, 25, & 27	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Relationship Touchpoints, Course 3 <small>Course 1 is a prerequisite for all other Touchpoint courses.</small>	MU	Feb 23, 25, & 27	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Desarrollo Infantil: Edades Y Etapas equivalente a Child Development: Ages & Stages	MU	Feb 29, Mar 7, 14, & 21	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Ages & Stages	MU	Mar 1, 3, 8, & 10	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> School Age, Course 3	MU	Mar 1, 3, 8, & 10	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Creating Good Childcare	MU	Mar 7, 14, 21, & 28	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> TOP Star	MU	Mar 8, 10, & 15	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Explorando el Currículo Creativo: Vamos a Explorar - Área de Juego		Mar 12	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Looking to Learn	MU	Mar 12 & 19	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Theories & Best Practices, Course 2	MU	Mar 14, 16, 21, & 23	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Infant & Toddler Care, Course 4	MU	Mar 14, 16, & 19	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> STAR Night		Mar 16	None
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Healthy Care	MU	Mar 21, 23, 28, & 30	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> CAC Website Training		Mar 22	None
<input type="checkbox"/> Strong and Smart	MU	Mar 22, 24, 29, & 31	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Exploring Creative Curriculum: Let's Explore-Playground		Mar 26	\$16
<input type="checkbox"/> Exploring Creative Curriculum: Let's Explore-Playground		Mar 28	\$16
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The class fees collected from participants is a registration fee and does not offset the actual cost of training. 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.

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

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

1. Use la página de la red www.cssutah.org o llame al 801-326-4373, pregunte por Aída, para comprobar las plazas disponibles en cada clase que desea asistir antes de enviar su matrícula y su dinero. La matrículas y pagos se aceptarán solo por correo. La matrícula y pago deben recibirse en la oficina 2 días antes 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: <http://careaboutchildcare.utah.gov> 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 <http://www.cssutah.org/providers/training>

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)	Feb 29, Mar 7, 14, & 21 Lun 7-9:30pm	\$16	10 Lic 1 CDA	Level 1
Basic Child Care (Clase introductoria de 10 horas para nuevos proveedores de Cuidado Infantil)	CAC@CSS 655 E. 4500 S. #200 (84107)	Jan 9 & 16 Sab 9am-3pm	\$16	10 Lic	Ninguno
Explorando el Currículo Creativo: Vamos a Jugar	CAC@CSS 655 E. 4500 S. #200 (84107)	Mar 12 Sab 10am-12:30pm	\$16	2.5 Lic	Ninguno

Clases en Español

Care About Childcare at Children's Service Society

Nombre Legal:		Fecha de Nacimiento:		
Correo Electrónica:		Teléfonos: Casa:		
		Trabajo:		
Dirección:		Ciudad, Código Postal:		
Por favor marque uno: <input type="checkbox"/> Licencia Familiar <input type="checkbox"/> Certificado Residencial <input type="checkbox"/> Centro <input type="checkbox"/> Head Start <input type="checkbox"/> No es regulada		Nombre de la guardería donde trabaja:		
		Posición (Requerida):		
Por favor, firme el contrato de Código de Conducta en la pagina siguiente				
✓	Class Title	Date	Class Fee	Amount Enclosed
<input type="checkbox"/>	Desarrollo Infantil: Los Primeros Años de Aprendizaje	MU	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cuidado Infantil Basico	MU	\$16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Explorando el Currículo Creativo:		\$16	
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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 las 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 Ilegales/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. También entiendo que es mi responsabilidad mantener estas situaciones delicadas que se discuten en la clase confidenciales, y no discutir las 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 Contrato: Entiendo que, en casos de infracciones leves (comportamientos que ha sido determinado perjudiciales pero no ilegales) será extendido/a una advertencia verbal a la primera infracción de cualquiera de las normas explicadas anteriormente. A la segunda infracción, será 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.

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

Firma del Participante: _____ Nombre: _____ Fecha: _____

Let's Explore

Creating Nurturing Outdoor Spaces

Join us for this 2 1/2 hour make and learn class to find out tips and tricks for creating a space where children can EXPLORE!



This class will help you encourage children to find nature where they live— in the cracks of a sidewalks, under the stairs, in the garden or on the edges of manicured lawns!

Remember the process of exploring is just as worthy as the end result.

Registration for this class is in your training newsletter or online. **Spaces fill up fast!**

EXPLORING CREATIVE CURRICULUM

March 26th (Saturday) From 10:00am to 12:30pm

Or March 28th (Monday) From 6:30pm to 9:00pm

Watch for Upcoming Exploring Creative Curriculum Classes

Coming Next Summer: **Let's Go, Go, Go!**

Extending Learning Experiences with Field Trips

The more exposure children have to first hand experiences, the richer their understanding becomes. You can plan learning experiences anywhere. The world is right around the corner, let us show you how to help them explore it!



Vamos a Explorar

Creando Espacios Enriquecedores en el Exterior

¡Únase a nosotros en esta clase de "hacer y aprender" de 2 1/2 horas para enterarse de consejos para crear un espacio donde los niños puedan EXPLORAR!



Esta clase le ayudará a animar a los niños a encontrar la naturaleza donde viven— en las grietas de la acera, debajo de las escaleras, en el jardín o en las orillas de un césped bien cuidado!

Recuerde que el proceso de explorar es tan valioso como lo es el resultado.

La Registration para esta clase está en su boletín de capacitación o por internet.

¡Los espacios se llenan rápido!

EXPLORANDO EL CURRÍCULO CREATIVO

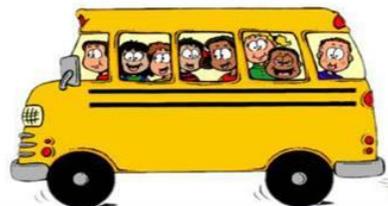
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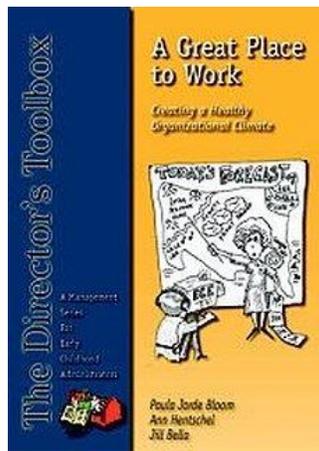
Esté Alerta a las Sigüientes Clases de Explorando el Currículo Creativo

Este Próximo Verano: **¡Vamos, Vamos, Vamos!**

Extendiendo Experiencias de Aprendizaje con Excursiones

Entre más se le exponga a los niños a experiencias directas, más se enriquecerá su entendimiento. Puede planear experiencias donde sea pero no olvide abrirse a posibilidades escondidas. ¡El mundo está a la vuelta de la esquina, déjenos mostrarle cómo ayudarles a explorarlo!!





New Level 5-8 Career Ladder Class for Directors!

The first in a series of *Director's Toolbox* classes is being offered this winter quarter.

Director's Toolbox, Course #1, Leadership In Action

In this course, participants will learn qualities of good leadership, sharing power, and creating a quality center.

February 16, 18, 23 & 25
T & TH 7:00- 9:30 pm

at Children's Academy
6910 S. Highland Dr.
SLC, 84121
(behind Whole Foods store)

To enroll for this class use the registration form in this newsletter or register online at careaboutchildcare.utah.gov click on *Providers* and *Training Calendar*.

For questions contact:

Barbara Johnson or Sandy Craft at 801.326.4403

barbara@cssutah.org or sandy@cssutah.org

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	Mondays- Bring Cash and your ID	385-646-5447
West High School	Tuesday- Bring Cash and your ID	801-578-8515
Entrada High School	Tuesday- Bring Cash and your ID	801-826-6675
Taylorville 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/resDayCareInspect.html	385-468-3845

New Licensee Training		
Home Provider Training	http://childcarelicensing.utah.gov/forms/All/HomeRulesTraining.pdf	801-273-6617
Center Provider Training	http://childcarelicensing.utah.gov/forms/All/CenterRulesTraining.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

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 6:45 p.m. CHECK IT OUT! AN ECC - MINI

- Join us for **10-15 minutes** to create a craft based on the upcoming Exploring Creative Curriculum (ECC) class. You will have an opportunity to sign up for the next session early

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 Vanessa at 801-326-4377. **STAR Night is the 3rd Wednesday of each month.**

Criteria Training Will be held on the Following Dates at STAR Night:

Wednesday, January 20th- Topic to be announced

Wednesday, February 17th- Topic to be Announced

Wednesday, March 16th- Topic to be Announced

For questions about Criteria Training please **contact**

Sonia 801.326.4397 or sonia@cssutah.org

(PLEASE LEAVE CHILDREN AT HOME WE DO NOT HAVE THE FACILITIES FOR CHILDCARE)

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!
**Toni Putscher, Alejandra
Heredia & Rachelle Masters**

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
FREE Child Care per family

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



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:

- January 8, 2016
- February 12, 2016
- 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!!



CAC Lending Library News



**LENDING
LIBRARY
HOURS**



MONDAY - FRIDAY

from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm



STAR Night

IS...

Every 3rd Wednesday of each month,
and it is divided into four (4)
different sections:

- ★ **Creative Resources & General Store** with Vanessa 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.
- ★ **ECC Mini Crafting Activity** with Lyn and Aida from: 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
- ★ **Provider Support and Training** with Sonia from: 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

HIGHLIGHTED THIS QUARTER DURING STAR NIGHT

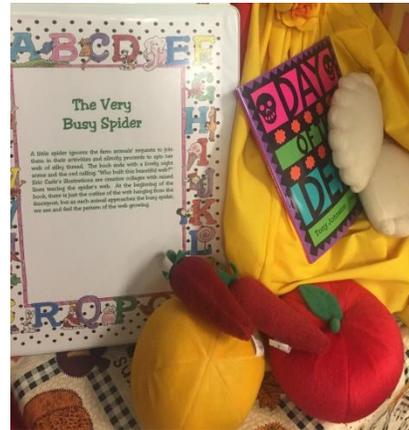
Theme boxes
for
preschoolers



Give away
incentives
each month



Story
Stretchers
and
Literacy
Bags



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

**Our newest addition to the
Lending Library: Cricut Expressions!**



Call Vanessa
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

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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.

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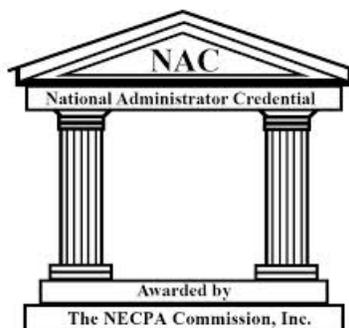
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UPCCA's spring NAC class will most likely be scheduled in mid-April. If you plan to take the class please email your name, email address and phone number to info@upcca.info to be placed on an early notification list. The website www.upcca.info will be updated as well.

If you have questions or problems please email info@upcca.info or call Mirinda at 801-326-9116.

HELP ME GROW UTAH

What is Help Me Grow Utah?

Help Me Grow Utah is a FREE information network connecting families and providers to community resources and child development information. More specifically, we offer

- **Information** on child development and parenting
- **Referrals** to cross-sector resources
- **Developmental screening questionnaires** (ASQ-3) for children ages 0-5 years old
- **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 helpmegrowutah.org)
- 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!

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bringing childhood to life.



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: jnuckles@utah.gov

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!

 Save the date! PFCCA will be hosting a Spring Conference and Provider Appreciation event on May 14, 2015, location TBA. We are excited to announce Emily Plank from Abundant Life Children as our workshop presenter! Stay tuned to and check our website (pfcca.org) for more details coming in the next few months.

 PFCCA Members are eligible for a \$15 discount on the already low conference cost for the annual UAEYC conference on March 5, 2016 in Murray, Utah. Jim Gill is going to be the keynote speaker. We loved him when he came last spring for our conference and are excited to have him back in Utah! Hurry and register today for best class selection. There are also a limited number of discounts available so claim yours now! For details on how to claim the discount email Ilse Wilson at ilse@pfcca.org

 We will be holding our annual PFCCA Board Elections between December 16 and January 16. PFCCA members are invited to visit the website for more information and encouraged to vote. We will be voting on the positions of President Elect, Treasurer, Newsletter Editor and Website Editor/Publicist

 PFCCA Book Club Pick – Our current book club pick is The Gift of Imperfect Parenting by Brene Brown. This is an audio seminar and available on Amazon or on Audible.com. Pick up your copy and listen along today!

 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 www.pfcca.org

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 www.utcourts.gov/specproj/dived/children.html.

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