



Professional Development Update

June 2019

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Training Spotlight

Don't miss out on...

*Developing Effective Questions That Spark
Curiosity and Growth in School-Age Settings*

The intentional use of questions expands children's learning by promoting curiosity, exploration and problem-solving. Practice creating effective questions to engage school-age youth. (This professional development session is ideal for educators working with school-age youth.)

Pre-registration is required by June 6 by contacting ECA: 260-745-2501 / 800-423-1498; mmadden@ECAAlliance.org

[June 10: St. Joseph County](#)

[June 12: Allen County](#)

[June 17: Elkhart County](#)

[June 19: Plymouth County](#)

Infants

[June 13: Planning Individualized Learning Experiences for Infants - Steuben County](#)

[June 20: Planning Individualized Learning Experiences for Infants - St. Joseph County](#)

Preschool

[June 20: Rough & Tumble Play: Benefits & Supports in Preschool & PreK - Allen County](#)

[June 22: Rough & Tumble Play: Benefits & Supports in Preschool & PreK - St. Joseph County](#)

[June 25: Rough & Tumble Play: Benefits & Supports in Preschool & PreK - Whitley County](#)

School Age

[May 13: School-Age STEM Made Simple - LaGrange County](#)

New Providers

[June 6: Safe Sleep Practices & Reducing Risk of SIDS in Child Care - St. Joseph County](#)

[June 10: Safe Sleep Practices & Reducing Risk of SIDS in Child Care - Elkhart County](#)

[June 13: Safe Sleep Practices & Reducing Risk of SIDS in Child Care - Allen County](#)

Other ECA Trainings

[June 13: Planning for All Children: An Introduction to Universal Design for Learning - St. Joseph County](#)

Business Permits/License to Operate Letter

**IMPORTANT
NOTICE**

As of July 1, 2018 the following requirements must be met in order for program to be in compliance.

All licensed child care centers, licensed child care homes, and legally licensed exempt providers that are eligible to participate in the CCDF program must provide documentation that their program is legally allowed to operate as a business in the county, city, or town in which the program is located.

The program must meet one of these requirements:

1. A business permit or license must be provided to the Office of Early Childhood and Out of School Learning to provide proof that the program has a valid business permit or license to operate. **OR**
2. A signed statement from the county, city, or town stating that a business permit or license is not required for their program to operate must be provided to the Office of Early Childhood and Out of School Learning.



**For information on who to contact, please call us at (260) 745-2501.
Thank you!**

Paths to QUALITY™

Paths to QUALITY™ Introduction sessions can be scheduled individually with eligible providers. If you would like to schedule a introduction session, contact Maricela Madden at mmadden@ECAlliance.org or 800-423-1498.



To learn more about Paths to QUALITY [click here](#).

Free Online Trainings Through Training Central

Child Abuse and Neglect Detection & Prevention (2017-2018), Indiana's Health and Safety Orientation Training-Modules 1, 2, 3, 4 and Introduction to the NEW Indiana Early Learning Foundations can be accessed online through [Training Central](#).

Registration requires creating an account on [Training Central](#). With this account, you will have access to free online trainings and webinars hosted by Partnerships for Early Learners.

Please contact the help desk at tcsupport@earlylearningindiana.org or 1-800-299-1627 (option 5) for needed assistance.

Training Calendar

Our [training calendar](#) is continuously updated on our website! Visit the calendar to view all of the upcoming training opportunities throughout our 10 county area.



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