

We have a new staff member!!! Please help us to welcome Lisa Walter to our team! Lisa is our School Age Specialist. Summer is coming up and many of you will have more school agers in your program. Need activity ideas? Need room arrangement suggestions? Have ANY questions related to school age children? Call or email Lisa and she can come out on site for FREE and help!!!

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We have started a Preschool cohort. What does that mean? If you work with preschool aged children in a Center, Home, or Ministry and you want to network and learn with other professionals you should join us! We will meet monthly. Contact Alissa Howe for more information.

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May 2017 - Professional Development

Who are these Professional Development Hours for? Anyone who works with Young Children! (We also have opportunities for people who work with School Age children).

Why would I take advantage of these <u>free</u> training hours?

Many employers require training hours each year. The state also requires training hours for most child care settings. These training hours can usually be used toward CDA renewal. And, most importantly, you can improve the quality of your interactions with

children!!!

What if I don't see any trainings being offered in my county?

We provide our services, including training opportunities, in Newton, Jasper, Pulaski, Benton, White, Cass, Carroll, Warren, Tippecanoe, Clinton, Boone, and Fountain counties. If you are interested in having one of our trainers come to your county please contact Alissa Howe (ahowe@tccrn.org) to discuss all of the options!

How do I register?

The best way to register is to email ahowe@tccrn.org. You can also call our office at 765-742-7105

Is there anything else I need to know about trainings?

You must arrive within 15 minutes of the training start time in order to receive a certificate. We are not able to accommodate children at our trainings. You must register within 3 business days of the training.

What else can TCCRN do for me?

We provide free ON SITE assistance with almost any topic related to children and child care. We have an inclusion specialist who can help with challenging behaviors and children with special needs. We have an infant toddler specialist who can help with anything infant and toddler related. We can help you start a child care business. We can help you enroll in Paths to QUALITY!

May 2017 Professional Development Opportunities

ABC's of Autism!

This training will provide participants with ways to better include children with autism in their everyday activities. Participants will leave with a better understanding of how to address the needs of children with autism in their classrooms or homes. (Preschool) (May 8th, 6:15p-8:30p, Tippecanoe County)

Messy, Muddy, Mayhem

This training will help teachers extend sensory play beyond the sand table and into the mud. Join us for some fun that will inspire your sensory planning and extend the learning of the children in your care.

(Preschool)

(May 10th, 6:15p-8:15p, Tippecanoe County)

The Rhythm of Summer School-Age Programs

Explore strategies to help you offer kids a program that "taps in to the magical rhythms of summer" and co-create a world of summer magic with the school-agers in your program. Create a memorable summer where kids are learning and growing; developing skills, talents, and healthy habits; getting to know themselves and others; and having lots of fun!

(School Age) (May 22nd, 6:15p-8:15p, Tippecanoe County)

Potty Learning Success

Participants will learn appropriate ways to make potty training easier on the child, staff, and the parents. This training will provide participants with the signs of readiness and

how to make it a successful venture for everyone! (Infant Toddler) (May 31st, 6:15p-8:15p, Tippecanoe County)

Orientation I - Overview for participants who are interested in starting the

business of child care - This child care start-up workshop provides an overview for participants who are interested in starting the business of child care in a home, center, or ministry setting, and is the first part of a two-part series. It covers regulatory requirements, resources, and some information on health, safety and business practices. It serves to help participants with the decision-making process for choosing which type of care they would like to provide.

*This training is available as an online training at <u>www.iaccrr.org</u> If you are unable to take the online version, please call our office at 765-742-7105 and talk to Victoria Matney.

Orientation II - A requirement for family child care providers to become

licensed- Preparation for Home Child Care Licensure is the 2nd training in this two- part series designed to outline regulatory requirements, licensing steps and resources for providing licensed child care in a home environment. You will leave this training prepared to take the next steps to licensing your home and will receive the necessary paperwork. (May 30th, 5:30pm-8:30pm, Tippecanoe County)

Safe Sleeping Practices and Reducing the Risk of SIDS in Child Care -

Participants will increase their understanding of a safe sleeping environment for infants from newborn to twelve months of age. Focus will be on creating a safe and healthy sleeping area, risk reduction strategies for Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), and accidental death prevention. This training is a pre-service requirement that satisfies Public Law 162-205 for home licensure, as well as Provider Eligibility Standards Certified home providers (CCDF Voucher). Child care providers from all settings are encouraged to attend this free training.

(May 18th, 6:15p-8:45p, Tippecanoe County)

Health and Safety - Day 1 - This course is an introduction to child development touching on each developmental domain for infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Providers will be able to define child development, examine developmental domains for infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Providers will also identify how to involve and collaborate with parents to support positive child development. Providers will also identify causes of childhood obesity and the link to physical activity. This training meets the Health and Safety orientation training requirements for topic areas: 8. Prevention of sudden infant death syndrome and use of safe sleeping practices (if applicable), and 11.Major domains of Child Development (recommended)

(Call us to schedule this training! These Health and Safety modules are also available online at www.iaccrr.org)

Health and Safety - Day 2 - Providers will evaluate their current nutritional practices through a self- assessment and will compare nutritional needs of children based on age. Provider will also discuss and compare allergies versus intolerance to food. Recognize nutritional requirements for children and promote healthy eating. Describe common food allergies and signs of an allergic reaction. Safely store, administer and properly document the use of medications. This training meets the Health and Safety orientation training requirements for topic areas: 2. Administration of medication consistent with

standards for parental consent 3. Prevention and response to emergencies due to food and allergic reactions

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Health and Safety - Day 3 - This training will focus on vaccinations and medications. Discussing how vaccinations work and why it is important to immunize children and adults. Providers will discuss current medication storage and distribution practices. Physical activity and infection disease are other areas of health for children that will be discussed in this training. Implement strategies to stop the spread of infectious diseases including immunizations. Describe the relationship between a developmental stage and risk of injury. Implement procedures for storing medication and hazardous materials. This training meets the Health and Safety orientation training requirements for topic areas: 1. Prevention and Control of Infectious disease (including immunizations) 2. Administration of medication consistent with standards for parental consent 6. Handling and storage of hazardous materials and appropriate disposal of bio-contaminants 10. First Aid and CPR Overview

(Call us to schedule this training! These Health and Safety modules are also available online at www.iaccrr.org)

Health and Safety - Day 4 -

Providing a safe environment and planning for emergencies are vital. Through education and proper transportation safeguards, providers can ensure children's safety and prevent injuries. Providers will define the relationships between development stages and risk of injury. Define steps to maintain safe building, grounds, and equipment. Create plans for keeping children save in an emergency. Discuss policies for transporting children safely. This training meets the Health and Safety orientation training requirements for topic areas: 4. Building and physical premises safety, including identification of and protection from hazards, bodies of water, and vehicular traffic 5. Emergency preparedness and response planning for emergencies resulting from a natural disaster, or a man-caused event 7. Appropriate precautions in transporting children.

(Call us to schedule this training! These Health and Safety modules are also available online at www.iaccrr.org)

School Age Child Development, Module -

During the school-age years, the brain continues to undergo changes and develop socially, emotionally, physically, and cognitively. Caregivers and teachers are in a unique position to provide a variety of experiences that support all areas of development. This course addresses the basic principles of development for school-age children and implications for learning environments. 11.Major domains of Child Development (recommended).

(Call us to schedule this training! These Health and Safety modules are also available online at www.iaccrr.org)

Introduction to the Indiana Early Learning FOUNDATIONS

In this introduction to the Indiana Early Learning FOUNDATIONS (Revision 2015), learn how this early learning development framework provides core foundations and skills that children are to achieve at various ages. Explore ways to connect the Areas of Development of the FOUNDATIONS to providing appropriate learning experiences for young children.

(May 11th, 6:15p-8:15p, Tippecanoe County) (This training is also available online at <u>www.iaccrr.org</u>)

Child Abuse and Neglect Detection and Prevention -

Created by the FSSA, Bureau of Childcare's Health Consultants, this one hour training provides participants with information on the prevalence of abuse and neglect, causes and prevention of abuse and neglect, and how to report abuse and neglect. This training will meet the standard for completing Child Abuse Detection and Prevention training as required by Indiana law for Unlicensed CCDF providers as well as any other child care providers who are required to complete the training.

(May 2nd, 6:15p-8:15p, Tippecanoe County)

(This training is also available as an online training at <u>www.iaccrr.org</u>)

Professional Development Opportunities offered in Spanish!

Orientación I - Este taller ofrece una visión general a los participantes que están interesados en comenzar el negocio de cuidado de niños/as en un hogar, centro o en ministerio y es la primera parte de una serie de dos partes. Cubre los requisitos reglamentarios, y recursos y da información a las practicantes sobre la salud, la seguridad y los negocios. Sirve para ayudar en la toma de decisiones a los participantes para elegir el tipo de atención que desean ofrecer. (May 16th, 2017, 4:00pm - 6:00pm, Tippecanoe)

Orientación II - Preparación para el Cuidado Infantil en casa de niños/as con licencia, es la segunda parte de entrenamiento en esta serie de dos partes, para delinear los requisitos reglamentarios, pasos de concesión de licencias, y recursos para la atención de niños/as con licencia en un entorno doméstico. Usted saldrá de este entrenamiento preparado para dar los próximos pasos para la concesión de licencias de su casa y recibirán la documentación necesaria.

(May 16th, 2017, 6:00pm - 9:00pm, Tippecanoe)

Safe Sleeping to Reduce the Risk of SIDS in Child Care - Seguro para dormir-

Los participantes aumentarán su comprensión de un medio ambiente seguro para dormir para los bebés, recién nacidos hasta los doce meses de edad. Se hará hincapié en la creación de una zona de dormitorio y de reducción de riesgos de estrategias seguras y saludables para el Síndrome de Muerte Súbita del Lactante (SMSL) y la prevención de la muerte accidental. Este entrenamiento es un requisito previo al servicio que satisfaga la Ley Pública 162-205 para obtener la licencia en casa, así como los estándares de elegibilidad de proveedores, proveedores de origen certificadas (CCDF) Vale. Se alienta a los proveedores de cuidado infantil a asistir a esta capacitación gratuita. (May 17th, 2017, 6:00pm - 8:00pm, Tippecanoe)

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