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# PROVIDER POST

Child Care Innovations January—June 2016

Over twenty-five years of providing training and support for child care providers, building capacity, and developing programs to enhance quality.

### Professional Development Opportunities...

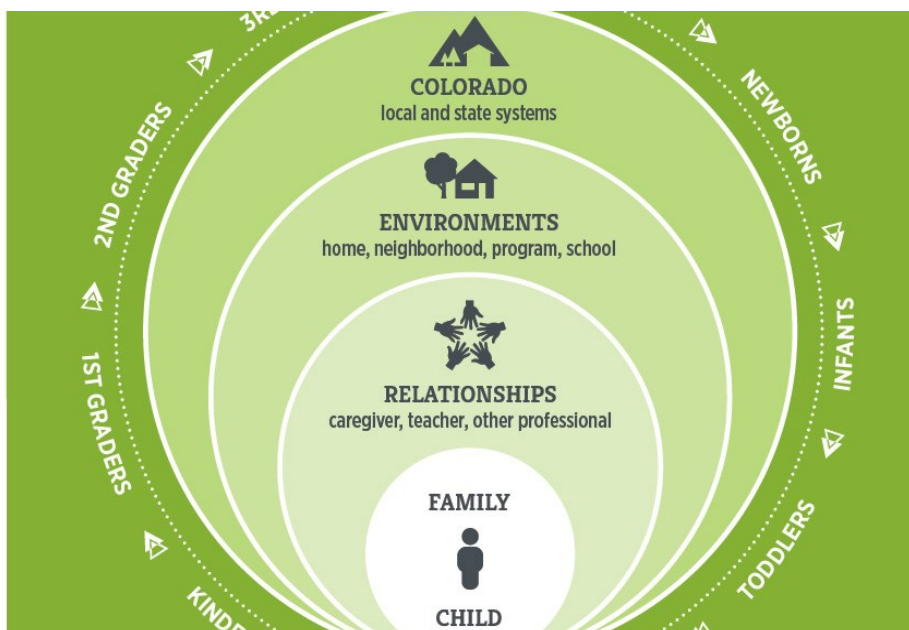
This bi-annual publication provides information about training sessions offered by our agency. All sessions are presented by highly qualified part-time staff. In addition, we provide certificates documenting professional development, interactive learning experiences, current information on best practices for early childhood professionals, and connections to supportive community resources...all at affordable prices.

**We are also available for consultation and provision of customized training sessions provided at community locations throughout our service delivery area, early childhood professional organizations, or child care centers.**

For information on other workshops, conferences, and training sessions through Colorado visit [www.qualistar.org](http://www.qualistar.org) or PDIS at <https://ecpd.costartstrong.org/ets/welcome.aspx>

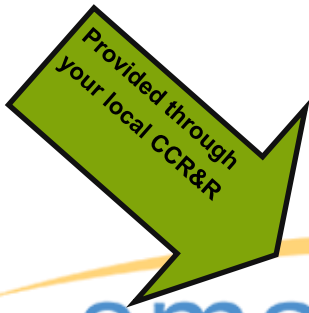
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The Smart Choice in Early Childhood Education

## On-line Child Care Professional Education Courses

Follow the link below to find almost 300 trainings available on-line for your continuing clock hours. Courses are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year!

<http://www.smarthorizons.org/naccra/rcc/>

## Phone Provider Call Updates

**Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR & R) collects data on child care supply and demand and the data is used to:**

- \* Help parents and providers understand average rates in given communities and for specific ages
- \* Help families understand options that best meet their needs
- \* Help inform recruitment efforts
- \* Gain information needed to receive funding for quality improvement, scholarships and support of family child care and center providers
- \* Help inform capacity building efforts
- \* Help determine training and support needs
- \* Help in communication and outreach to providers, including providing information about grant opportunities
- \* Help advocate on behalf of early childhood professionals

Data collected during calls is to update provider profiles. Every licensed facility will be called twice a year per our contract. Information is not shared with the public. It is only used in an aggregate form. Please take some time to assist us when contacted or provide information at our provider line: 303-969-9666. You may also use the update form on our website: <http://www.rcc.edu/childcareinnovations>

Also visit our website to read the letter from the Division of Early Care and Learning about the importance of these phone calls and especially why you are asked for your email address.



### Week of the Young Child

**April 11-15**

For more information and ideas on ways to celebrate the young child, Visit:

[www.naeyc.org](http://www.naeyc.org)

## Important Numbers

Director: Patricia  
Bolton...303 914-6527

Main line....303 914-6279

Training.....303.914.6307

Licensing...303 914-6304

Coaching & on site  
training .... 303 914-6274

Provider updates.....  
303 969-9666

Child care referrals.....  
1-877-338-2273

[Www.rrcc.edu/  
childcareinnovations](http://www.rrcc.edu/childcareinnovations)

### Service Area Community College ECE Contacts

Red Rocks Community  
College ...303.914.6326

Arapahoe Community  
College ...303.797.5784

Community College of  
Aurora .....303.340.7078

Front Range Community  
College ....303.404.5525

### Training sessions are based on Colorado's Core Knowledge and Standards for Early Childhood Professional Development

Child Growth and Development (Growth)  
Family and Community Relations (Family)  
Health, Safety, and Nutrition (Health)  
Cultural and Individual Diversity (Diversity)  
Developmentally Effective Approaches (DEA)  
Professionalism  
Guidance  
Administration & Supervision (Administration)

#### Instructions for Registration

1. Go to <http://cciproviderpost.org>
2. Click REGISTER key at top and provide passcode
3. Complete (one time) registration information
4. Receive confirmation email. Check it for accuracy
5. Make payment at web address listed below for Commerce Cashnet.

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## Registration Policies

- ⇒ All registrations are non-refundable & non-transferable.
- ⇒ Instructors may not accept registration fees.
- ⇒ Participants must arrive on time in order to receive a certificate of completion. Late arrivals may be denied access to class.
- ⇒ There is a fee of \$25.00 assessed for payments not honored by your financial institution.
- ⇒ Classes are held at Red Rocks community College in Lakewood unless otherwise indicated.
- ⇒ Registrations may not be taken over the phone.
- ⇒ Registration AND payment must be made before your registration is complete .
- ⇒ Registration is at <http://cciproviderpost.org/>
- ⇒ Payment is made at <https://commerce.cashnet.com/rrcccpay>; proceed with requested information.
- ⇒ INCLEMENT WEATHER: Classes are ONLY cancelled if Red Rocks Community College closes due to weather. Check 303.914.6600 for up-dates.

Questions: 303.914.6307

# Pre-Licensing Training

Pre-Licensing is a 15-hour class for family child care homes. Instructors include child care licensing staff and staff who are former family child care providers. A Family Child Care resource CD and many other valuable resources are provided. Class meets on Friday and Monday evening and all day on Saturday. Please bring your lunch.

**You MUST attend all three days**

**Cost \$70.00**

## Class Dates

**February 19, 20, 22** [#P16-010] Room # REA1413

**April 8, 9, 11** [#P16-011] Room # REA1413

**June 10, 11, 13** [#P16-012] Room # REA1413

If you know of anyone interested in becoming licensed please let them know to contact us. Class meets from 6:30—9:30 p.m. on Friday and Monday evenings and from 9:00—4:00 pm on Saturday.

# First Aid and Adult/Infant CPR

**9:00—3:00 p.m.**

**Cost: \$50.00**

Learn the basics of First Aid including general principles, medical and environmental emergencies. Learn the basics of CPR and choking for the adult, infant, and child.

## Class Dates

All First Aid and CPR classes are held at Red Rocks Community College

**February 13** [#FA16-01] Room #2306

**March 12** [#FA16-02] Room #2306

**April 9** [#FA16-03] Room #2306

**May 14** [#FA16-04] Room #2306

**June 11** [#FA16-5] Room #2306

# Universal Pre-Cautions

**\$20**

**9:00—10:30 a.m. Room 1930**

Topics include: understanding and implementing standard precautions, knowledge of blood borne diseases, handling of body fluids and prevention of contamination.

## Class Dates

February 6 [#U 16-19] Room #1150  
February 20 [#U16-20] Room #1604  
March 5 [#U16-21] Room #1604  
March 19 [#U16-22] Room #1604  
April 9 [#U16-23] Room #1604  
May 14 [#U16-24] Room #1604

# Medication

## Administration

**\$45**

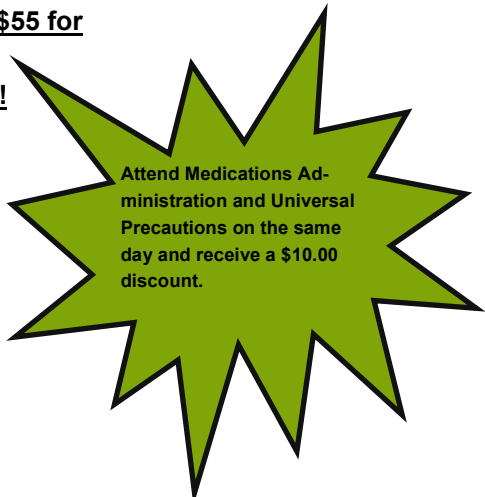
**10:30—3:00 p.m.**

Topics include: A medication overview, handling and administration of routine medications, Epi-Pen training, medication orders, documentation, and rights and responsibilities.

February 6 [#M16-19]  
February 20 [#M16-20] Room #1604  
March 5 [#M16-21] Room #1604  
March 19 [#M 16-22] Room #1604  
April 9 [#M 16-23] Room #1604  
May 14 [#M16-24] Room #1604

**Pay \$55 for**

**both!**



Attend Medications Administration and Universal Precautions on the same day and receive a \$10.00 discount.

# January

**Thank you for your patience this month while we transformed our offices!**

## **Colorado Shines Q & A** [#S16-40]

Many still have questions about Colorado Shines and how it can help your program. Participate in this session with Emily Wengrovius, M.S. from the Office of Early Childhood

**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Professional**

Friday, 29th, 2:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. **Instructors:** Emily Wengrovius & Debby Carter

# February

## **Crisis Planning Overview** [Class #S16-41] Room #1602

Have you fully prepared for disasters or development your written policies? This course will prepare you and provide lots of information for development your risk manual.. Toolkit development and technical assistance for crisis management

**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Administration and Supervision**

Saturday, 27th, 9:00—noon, **Instructor:** Lynn Garst, CDPHE

## **Love and Logic** [Class #16-42] Room #2304

Join a local psychotherapist in learning how to discipline and manage children's behaviors. Learn positive interventions and how to help children solve their own problems

**\$30 / 3 renewal hours: Guidance**

Monday, 22nd, 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm, **Instructor:** Marc Coulter

## **Transitions to Kindergarten and Parent Participation** [Class #S16-43]

Learn how to connect and engage parents in the transition to school

**\$30 / 3 renewal hours: Family and Community Relations**

Friday, 26th 6:30—9:30 p.m. **Instructor:** Evie Hudak Room #2304

**Repeat Offering:** Saturday, 27th, 9:00 a.m.—noon [Class #S16-44]

## **ROCKY MOUNTAIN Early Childhood Conference**

**February 19 & 20**

**You can register through ecConnect with your grant allocations!**

# March, 2016

## **Child Care Adult Food Program : The Healthier Meals Initiative** [Class #S16-45]

Introduces the USDA child Nutrition program, and Healthy Meals Initiative

**\$30 / 3 renewal hours: Health, Nutrition, Safety**

Wednesday, 16th, 6:30—9:30 p.m. **Instructor:** Ynke De Koe Room #2304

## **Safe Sleep** [Class # S16-47] Room #5102

New required annual course for licensed providers of infant care

**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: 1.5 Administration, 1.5 health**

Saturday, 19th, 8:30—11:30 a.m. **Instructor:** Julia Brink

## **I Am Moving I Am Learning** [Class # S16-48] Room #2304

Physical activity guidelines for children birth to five.

**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Dev. Effective Approaches**

Wednesday, 23rd, 6:30—9:30 p.m. **Instructor:** Jacque Sloan

## **Plant-based Food for Life with and for Children** [Class # S16-59] Room #2304

Help children eat more fruits and vegetables

**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: Health, Nutrition, Safety**

Saturday, 26th, 9:00—noon **Instructor:** Lynda Roy, PCRM

# April, 2016

## **Safe Sleep** [Class # S16-49] Room #5102

**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: 1.5 Administration, 1.5 health**

Saturday, 2nd, 8:30—11:30 a.m. **Instructor:** Julia Brink

## **Cavity Free Kids** [Class # S16-48] Room #2304

Learn how to work with children and families to prevent cavities with fun activities good for providers and parents

**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: Health, Nutrition & Safety**

Saturday, 9th, 9:00—noon **Instructor:** Renee Donahue

## **Curricula, Products, and Standards** [Class #S16-52] Room #2304

**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: Dev. Effective Approaches**

Saturday, 23rd, 9:00—12:00 noon **Instructor:** Ben Graessle, Lakeshore Area Mgr.

## **Quality Literature for Young Children** [Class #S16-52]

**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Dev. Effective Approaches**

Saturday, April 16th, 9:00—Noon, **Instructor:** Robyn Lupa, Kids & Family Outreach

Held at **Lakewood Library**

## **Crisis Planning Overview** [Class #S16-53] Room #1602

Have you fully prepared for disasters or development your written policies? This course will prepare you and provide lots of information for development your risk manual.. Toolkit development and technical assistance for crisis management

**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Administration and Supervision**

Wednesday, 27th, 6:30 p.m. —9:30p.m. **Instructor:** Lynn Garst, CDPHE

## **Using Your Computer Well** [Class #S-16-54] Room #3750

**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Administration and Supervision**

Saturday, 30th 8:30 a.m.—11:30 a.m. **Instructor:** Zerain Martinez, RRCC Tech Club



## May, 2016

**Using Your Computer Well** [Class #S-16-55] Room #3750  
**\$30 / 3 Renewal Hours: Administration and Supervision**  
Monday, 2nd, 6:30—9:30 p.m. **Instructor:** Zerain Martinez, RRCC Tech Club

**Safe Sleep** [Class # S16-56] Room #5102  
**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: 1.5 Administration, 1.5 health**  
Saturday, 7th, 9:00a.m.-noon **Instructor:** Renee Donahue

**Transitions in the Classroom** [Class # 16-57] Room #2674  
**\$30 / 3 Renewal hours: Dev. Effective Approaches**  
Wednesday, 11th, 6:30—9:30 p.m. **Instructor:** Jacque Sloan

**Love and Logic** [Class #16-58] Room #2304  
Join a local psychotherapist in learning how to discipline and manage children's behaviors. Learn positive interventions and how to help children solve their own problems  
**\$30 / 3 renewal hours: Guidance**  
Monday, 16th, 6:30 pm to 9:30 p.m. **Instructor:** Marc Coulter

## June, 2016

**The Great Outdoors**  
A one-day focused event on teaching & learning through nature  
**\$45 / person 5 Renewal hours**  
Saturday, June 4th, 8:30—3:30 p.m.

**Additional registration and details sent separately in March**

**Week of the Young Child**  
**April 11-15**

**For more information and ideas on ways to celebrate the young child,**  
**visit:** [www.naeyc.org](http://www.naeyc.org); **Families flyers & Sign-up:** [families.naeyc.org/signup](http://families.naeyc.org/signup)

## What's Happening in Colorado Shines?

Race to the Top Grants are still available to those who sign up their program

### PDIS Support and Computer Support

Uploading your staff credentialing and transcripts allows for a one-stop location for retrieval of all of your training certificates and professional development goals. Red Rocks Technology Club offers free computer assistance to the community every Wednesday from noon to 1 p.m. during the Spring and Fall semesters, This community IDEA lab answers technical questions about desktops, laptops, tablets, smartphones, home networks, software/hardware, etc. Location: IDEA Lab (Room 2253, east end of the Library).

### ROCKY MOUNTAIN EARLY CHILDHOOD CONFERENCE

**February 19-20** features SEVEN CO Shines Level 2 courses. Each training includes a variety of activities (i.e. reflective writing, video discussion questions, role-playing).

## Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about our services and products

### Red Rocks Community College

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Box 22B

Lakewood, CO 80228

(303) 914-6527

childcareinnovations@rrcc.edu

Visit us on the web at  
[www.childcareinnovations.com](http://www.childcareinnovations.com)

## Resources for Families and Caregivers

[The Raising of America PBS dates](#)

[ESSA - New Education Law](#)

[Child Trends](#)

**For the latest Early Childhood News and Information Visit:**

[www.coloradoofficeofearlychildhood.com](http://www.coloradoofficeofearlychildhood.com)

**Other trainings may be available at the Qualistar website:**

[www.Qualistar.org](http://www.Qualistar.org)

**DISCOUNT:** If you register for 2 or more classes at the \$30 rate, you receive a \$10 discount or \$50 for 2 classes.



## Registration Form

(only if paying by check and mailing in)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

Directors Name \_\_\_\_\_

*Class # Date Amount*

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**NO REFUNDS/NO TRANSFERS**

**TOTAL ALL CLASSES:** \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this form with check to:

**Child Care Innovations, Attn: Registration**

**13300 W. 6th Avenue, Box 22B**

**Lakewood, CO 80228**

**Questions: 303.914.6307**

On-line Registration with credit card: go to website: <http://cciproviderpost.org/>

Location is Red Rocks Community College, Lakewood campus unless noted otherwise.

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