



Training and Events Calendar Late August 2009

Attention parents and family members! Take note of the events highlighted in yellow.

All events are open to parents/family members and professionals (unless otherwise noted).

Information on how to register for events is available from the sponsoring organizations.

September 9 & 10, 2009: Interagency Coordinating Council on Early Intervention. Sponsored by CA Department of Developmental Services. Doubletree Hotel, Sacramento, CA. For more information: contact Patric Widmann at 916-654-3722 or pat.widmann@dds.ca.gov (Free).

September 10, 2009, (and every Thursday for 10 weeks): Autism Spectrum Disorder: Educational Series for Parents (10 part series). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Stanford, CA. For registration and more information: <http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu>. (Fee, registration can be for individual sessions instead of entire series).

September 14, 2009: Contra Costa SELPA Community Advisory Committee Meeting. Sponsored by Contra Costa Special Education Local Plan Area. 2520 Stanwell Dr, Suite 235, Concord, CA. For more information: call 925-827-0940 x15 (Free, but registration required).

September 16, 2009: CARE Parent Network Early Education Council – Speakers: Linda Rowley Thom and Lucy Berk from San Ramon SELPA and early intervention program. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex, Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

September 22 & 29 and October 6 & 13, 2009: Autism and Your Child: Charting the Course (a series of 4 classes). Sponsored by Kaiser Permanente Health Education Department. Kaiser Permanente Medical Campus, Walnut Creek, CA. To enroll: call 866-248-0721 (Fee; open to both Kaiser members and non-Kaiser members).

September 25, 26, & 28, 2009: Autism Interventions (3-day conference). Sponsored by Morgan Autism Center & Santa Clara University. Santa Clara University (Sept. 25 & 26) and Morgan Autism Center, San Jose (Sept. 28). For more information and on-line registration: <http://www.morgancenter.org/conference> (Fee).

October 1, 2009: California Modified Assessment (CMA) and implications for Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) and Accountability (web conference). Sponsored by California Department of Education, Special Education Division. To login to this meeting (login starts at 8 am, conference starts at 9 am): <https://www.livemeeting.com/cc/cadepteducation/join?id=wo8379&role=attend&pw=Attend83799> For more information: email Meredith Cathcart at mcathcart@cde.ca.gov (Free).

October 2, 2009: Infant/Children Mental Health, Early Intervention, and Relationship-Based Therapies. Sponsored by the Infant Development Association (IDA). Sacramento, CA. For more information: <http://www.idaofcal.org> (Fee).

October 3 & 4, 2009: Pediatric Feeding Seminar, A Behavioral Approach (intermediate follow-up to "Basic Pediatric Feeding"). Sponsored by Los Altos Feeding Clinic. Los Altos, CA. For more information, email: info@pediatricfeedingseminar.com (Fee).

October 7-9, 2009: "A Meaningful Life...Are We There Yet?", 23rd Annual Supported Life Conference. Sponsored by Supported Life Institute and Area Board 3. DoubleTree Hotel, Sacramento, CA. For more information: <http://www.supportedlife.org>

October 15-18, 2009: 25th Annual Conference on Young Children with Special Needs and Their Families. Sponsored by Division for Early Childhood of the Council for Exceptional Children. Albuquerque, NM. For registration and conference information: <http://www.dec-sped.org> (Fee; reduced for students and family members).

October 17, 2009: 6th Annual Young Children's Issues Forum. Sponsored by Contra Costa County Local Planning Council for Child Care and Development. Maple Hall, San Pablo, CA. For more information: call 925-942-3413 (Free).

October 19-22, 2009: Excellence in Early Childhood Educational Leadership (EXCEL) Seminars. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrators Project (SEECAP). Kellogg West Center, Pomona, CA. Register on-line by February 10th: <http://www.sdcoe.net/seecap> , email Kathleen Finn at kfinn@sdcoe.net or call 760-761-5526. (Fee).

November 7, 2009: "Therapy from the Inside Out: The Brain, the Body and the Mind in Infant, Child and Parent Work". Sponsored by Parent-Infant & Child Institute. Napa, CA. For more information: call Dr. Kristie Brandt at 707-227-8900 or email dr.kristiebrandt@sbcglobal.net (Fee).

November 18, 2009: CARE Parent Network Early Education Council. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex, Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

December 4-6, 2009: 24th National Training Institute: Connecting Science, Policy and Practice. Sponsored by ZERO TO THREE. Dallas, TX. For more information: <http://www.zttntconference.org> (Fee).

December 7-11, 2009: Beginning Together Institute (Module V). Sponsored by California Department of Education and WestEd Center for Child and Family Studies. San Francisco, CA. For more information: <http://CAinclusiveChildCare.org/bt> or email beginningtogether@wested.org. (Fee; limited scholarships available to participants who have completed Modules I-IV).

January 10-16, 2010: Program for Infant/Toddler Care Trainer Institutes, Modules III & IV. Sponsored by PITC. San Diego, CA. For applications and information: <http://www.pitc.org> (Fee).

January 13, 2010: CARE Parent Network Early Education Council. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex. Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

March 17, 2010: CARE Parent Network Early Education Council. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex, Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

April 18-21, 2010: Excellence in Early Childhood Educational Leadership (EXCEL) Seminars. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrators Project (SEECAP). Kellogg West Center, Pomona, CA. Register on-line by February 10th: <http://www.sdcoe.net/seecap> , email Kathleen Finn at kfinn@sdcoe.net or call 760-761-5526. (Fee).

April 22-24, 2010: IDA Conference. Sponsored by the Infant Development Association of California. Riverside Convention Center, Riverside, CA. For information: <http://www.idaofcal.org> (Fee).

May 12, 2010: CARE Parent Network Early Education Council. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex, Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

June 20-26, 2010: Program for Infant/Toddler Care Trainer Institutes, Modules I & II. Sponsored by PITC. Berkeley, CA. For applications and information: <http://www.pitc.org> (Fee).