



Care About Childcare Training Calendar 2023

Dates:	Class:	CDA Category:	CDA Level:	Description:
April 4, 6, 11, 13 Instructor: Kris Evans	Guidance & Emotional Wellness #2	Guidance & Emotional Wellness	5-8	In this course participants will learn about the importance of developmental theory to guidance and emotional wellness. They will learn about additional concepts developed by CSEFEL (Center for Social Emotional Foundations for Early Learning). They will learn why building healthy relationships and creating supportive environments are the cornerstones of helping children succeed socially and emotionally.
April 11 & 13 Instructor: Kristy DeGraaf	Emergency Preparedness	Health Safety	1 2-3 5-8	Learn how to prepare for, survive during, and recover after an emergency situation to keep your child care thriving. Please bring a copy of your program's Child Care Licensing Health and Safety Plan for reference throughout the course. A Resource Manual will be provided during the course; an online version with fillable forms is available on urpd.usu.edu under "Forms" or by clicking the link below.
April 11, 13, 18, 20 Instructor: Kamie Blake	Advanced Child Development	Child Development	2-3	In this course participants learn basic principles and theories of child development, and how this knowledge can influence their day-to-day work with children. Participants will be introduced to the theories of Maslow, Erikson, Montessori, Piaget, Vygotsky, Kohlberg, Gilligan, and behaviorism.
April 17, 19, 24, 26 Instructor: Brionne Neilson	Special Needs #2	Special Needs	5-8	In this course participants will teach participants about communicating in regards to children with special needs. Topics include building partnerships with families, community resources and supports, facilitating communication with children and families, encouraging speech and basic sign language.
April 18, 20, 25, 27 Instructor: Kim Hanson	Special Needs #4	Special Needs	5-8	In this course participants will learn the best teaching techniques to use when working with children who have special needs. Topics include individualizing lesson plans/activities, proactive techniques, guiding behavior/interventions, and implementation of successful inclusive programming

Please visit careaboutchildcare.utah.gov or contact Nathan Reeves at 435-586-8722 to register for classes. Classes cost \$5.00 each.