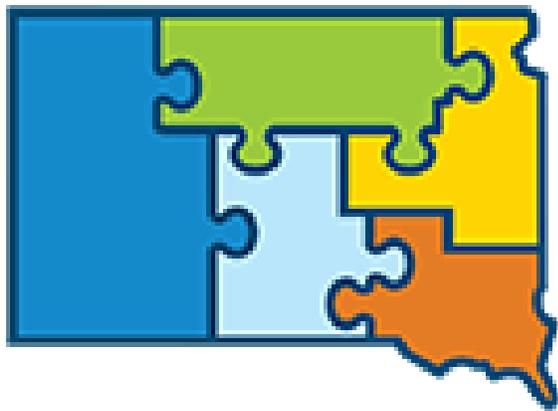


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EARLY CHILDHOOD ENRICHMENT TRAINING NEWSLETTER

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# SD ECE START

The South Dakota Department of Social Services, the South Dakota Early Childhood Enrichment (ECE) System, and the Helpline Center have partnered to bring you a new online provider portal known as South Dakota ECE START.

Having your program information available and easily accessible to parents seeking child care is a *FREE* benefit to you and is a huge benefit to the children, families, and communities in South Dakota.

At no cost to you, this new Provider Profile Registry (PPR) gives you complete control to maintain and update your program's information:

- Update your information as often as you'd like (days and times open, rates, offerings and more)
- Update your openings (if you are full simply do not enter any openings) and you can opt out of being referred to families if desired
- Add your program's special areas of expertise or experience (letting parents know what makes your child care setting unique)
- Add pictures to showcase your program to families

As an early childhood professional, you play a key role in providing quality care and education for the children and families you serve. With this new system you can communicate your program to families and will soon be able to register for training (professional development) opportunities, and see which ones you have attended.

We are excited to share the new system and show you how much more is available to you as a provider!

Just click the link below to get started:

<https://stage.worklivesystems.com/parent/44>

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### Staff Availability

- Monday-Thursday 8am-12pm and 1pm-5pm
  - Fridays by appointment
- Check our website [www.therightturn.net](http://www.therightturn.net) for updated information

### Professional Resources

South Dakota Department of Social Services: Child Care

<https://dss.sd.gov/childcare/default.aspx>

Council for Professional Recognition –CDA

<https://www.cdacouncil.org/en/>

National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)

<https://www.naeyc.org/>

Safe Kids Worldwide: Product Recalls

<https://www.safekids.org/product-recalls>

National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome

<https://dontshake.org/>

## Registration Options:

- Online registration click [here](#)
- Call: 605-773-4755
- E-mail: [bohman@midconetwork.com](mailto:bohman@midconetwork.com)

## Registration Information:

- Registration is required 48 hours prior to the scheduled class time.
- Monday class registration closes at 5 p.m. on the Thursday prior to class.
- Classes without an adequate number of enrolled attendees may be canceled.
- Basic Enrichment Trainings are \$5 per class unless otherwise specified.
- Statewide Online Training Series are \$20 for four class series and \$10 for 2 class series.
- If you register for a class and are not able to attend, please notify us.

## Payment Options:

- Mail: The Right Turn 115 E. Sioux Ave. Pierre, SD 57501
- PayPal: [bohman@midconetwork.com](mailto:bohman@midconetwork.com)
- Request an invoice be sent to you

## Class Credit and Certificates:

Credit is given once all class requirements are complete. It is necessary for students to be in attendance from start to finish of class, participate in discussion, chats, polls, and complete the pre and post tests. Certificates will be provided to each individual participant by e-mail. A [Record Release Form](#) is needed from each participant in order to release information to anyone other than the participant.

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# Early Childhood Basic Enrichment Training

Date	City	Topic	Time	Tuition
Jan 5	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b>  <b>Mindful Moments</b>            Increase care provider's understanding that a child's emotional state fluctuates throughout the day, and the impacts emotional states can have on behavior and health.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p>	6p-8p	FREE
Jan 7	Pierre	<p><b>Pierre Blitz:</b>  <b>20 Positive Guidance Techniques</b>            Increase caregiver's ability to: use positive guidance techniques, understanding of self-guidance techniques, ability to develop an environment conducive to limited behaviors and ability to notice positive behavior.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p> <p><b>Talking about Race with Children – Make and Take</b>            Increase understanding of race, ethnicity and nationality with children. Age-appropriate activities will be introduced to help build tolerance, racial equity, and a social culture where all kids can thrive!  <i>Pathway: Inclusion</i></p>	9:30 AM-12:30PM	\$5/class
Jan 12	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b>  <b>Sweet Dreams</b>            Increase care provider's understanding of the importance of adequate sleep for a child's physical, emotional, and cognitive development.  <i>Pathway: Child Growth and Development</i></p>	6p-8p	FREE
Jan 12	Online	<p><b>Take a Detour. Get a New View</b>            Increase caregiver's understanding of: how to view themselves as an Early Childhood Professional, how to "act the part", and how to focus on the relationships with children in their care.  <i>Pathway: Professionalism</i></p>	6PM-7:30 PM	\$5
Jan 19	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b>  <b>We Are What We Eat</b>            Increase care provider's understanding of nutritious food and beverage choices for children.  <i>Pathway: Nutrition for Children</i></p>	6p-8p	FREE
Jan 19	Pierre	<p><b>CPR</b>            Adult and pediatric CPR, AED use, and how to relieve choking. This course teaches skills with American Red Cross training curriculum.  <i>Pathway: Program Health and Safety</i></p>	6PM- 9PM	*\$30
Jan 26	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b>  <b>Ready, Set, Move</b>            Increase care provider's understanding of the importance and health benefit of physical activity.  <i>Pathway: Child Growth and Development</i></p>	6p-8p	FREE
Jan 27	Online	<p><b>Mission Online:</b>  <b>20 Positive Guidance Techniques</b>            Increase caregiver's ability to: use positive guidance techniques, understanding of self-guidance techniques, ability to develop an environment conducive to limited behaviors and ability to notice positive behavior.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p> <p><b>Talking about Race with Children – Make and Take</b>            Increase understanding of race, ethnicity and nationality with children. Age-appropriate activities will be introduced to help build tolerance, racial equity, and a social culture where all kids can thrive!  <i>Pathway: Inclusion</i></p>	9AM-1PM	\$5/class

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# Early Childhood Basic Enrichment Training

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Feb 4	Winner/GBB	<p><b><u>Winner/Gregory/Burke/Bonesteel Blitz:</u></b>  <b><u>20 Positive Guidance Techniques</u></b>            Increase caregiver's ability to: use positive guidance techniques, understanding of self-guidance techniques, ability to develop an environment conducive to limited behaviors and ability to notice positive behavior.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p> <p><b><u>Talking about Race with Children – Make and Take</u></b>            Increase understanding of race, ethnicity and nationality with children. Age-appropriate activities will be introduced to help build tolerance, racial equity, and a social culture where all kids can thrive!  <i>Pathway: Inclusion</i></p>	9:30AM-12:30PM	\$5/class
Feb 9	Online	<p><b><u>20 Positive Guidance Techniques</u></b>            Increase caregiver's ability to: use positive guidance techniques, understanding of self-guidance techniques, ability to develop an environment conducive to limited behaviors and ability to notice positive behavior.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p>	6PM - 7:30PM	\$5
Feb 17	Pierre	<p><b><u>CPR</u></b>            Adult and pediatric CPR, AED use, and how to relieve choking. This course teaches skills with American Red Cross training curriculum.  <i>Pathway: Program Health and Safety</i></p>	6PM- 9PM	*\$30



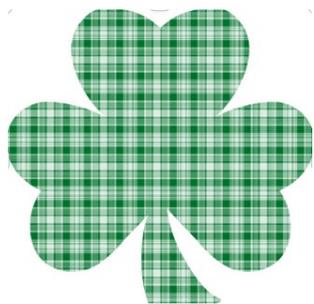
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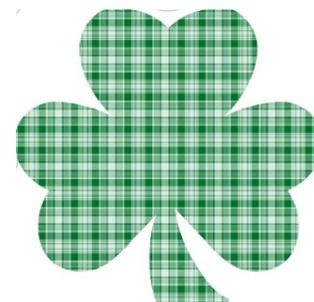
# Early Childhood Basic Enrichment Training

Date	City	Topic	Time	Tuition	
March 2	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b></p> <p><b>Mindful Moments</b></p> <p>Increase care provider's understanding that a child's emotional state fluctuates throughout the day, and the impacts emotional states can have on behavior and health.</p> <p><i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p>	6p-8p	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	FREE
March 4	Chamberlain	<p><b>Chamberlain Blitz:</b></p> <p><b>20 Positive Guidance Techniques</b></p> <p>Increase caregiver's ability to: use positive guidance techniques, understanding of self-guidance techniques, ability to develop an environment conducive to limited behaviors and ability to notice positive behavior.</p> <p><i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p> <p><b>Talking about Race with Children – Make and Take</b></p> <p>Increase understanding of race, ethnicity and nationality with children. Age-appropriate activities will be introduced to help build tolerance, racial equity, and a social culture where all kids can thrive!</p> <p><i>Pathway: Inclusion</i></p>	9:30AM-12:30PM	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	\$5 Class
March 9	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b></p> <p><b>Sweet Dreams</b></p> <p>Increase care provider's understanding of the importance of adequate sleep for a child's physical, emotional, and cognitive development.</p> <p><i>Pathway: Child Growth and Development</i></p>	6p-8p	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	FREE
March 16	Pierre	<p><b>CPR</b></p> <p>Adult and pediatric CPR, AED use, and how to relieve choking. This course teaches skills with American Red Cross training curriculum.</p> <p><i>Pathway: Program Health and Safety</i></p>	6PM - 9PM	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	*30
March 16	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b></p> <p><b>We Are What We Eat</b></p> <p>Increase care provider's understanding of nutritious food and beverage choices for children.</p> <p><i>Pathway: Nutrition for Children</i></p>	6p-8p	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	FREE
March 23	Online	<p><b>Talking about Race with Children</b></p> <p>Increase understanding of race, ethnicity and nationality with children. Age-appropriate activities will be introduced to help build tolerance, racial equity, and a social culture where all kids can thrive!</p> <p><i>Pathway: Inclusion</i></p>	6PM-7:30 PM	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	\$5 Class
March 23	Online	<p><b>fitCare</b></p> <p><b>Ready, Set, Move</b></p> <p>Increase care provider's understanding of the importance and health benefit of physical activity.</p> <p><i>Pathway: Child Growth and Development</i></p>	6p-8p	The Right Turn 605-773-4755 or 866-206-8206	FREE

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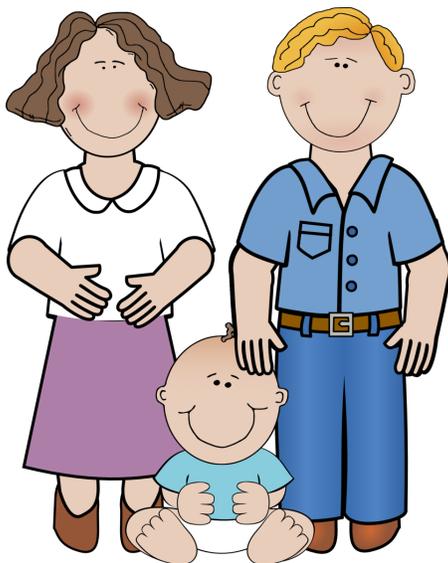
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## Parenting Classes

**Understanding Me** classes are for parents/guardians and other caregivers, focusing on children ages **birth to three**. The series covers child development, understanding behaviors, feeling management, and safe and healthy environments.

Please join us as you seek new information or to refresh what you may already know.

- **March 6 - Why I Do What I Do**
  - **March 8 - Keep Me Safe**
  - **March 13- How I Learn**
  - **March 15 - Help Me Manage My Feelings**



**The Right Turn  
Pierre**

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**Monday &  
Wednesday  
5:30 - 7:30pm**

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**FREE!**

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Classes can be  
taken individually  
or as a series.

# Early Childhood Basic Enrichment Training

Date	City	Topic	Time	Tuition
April 13	Online	<p><b><u>Guiding Children’s Behaviors</u></b>            Caregivers guide children’s behaviors every day. Learn strategies to help children learn to be in charge of and responsible for their own behaviors.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p>	11AM - 12:30PM	\$5
April 19	Crow Creek	<p><b><u>Crow Creek Blitz:</u></b>  <b><u>Take a Detour, Get a New View</u></b>            Recognize when learning occurs, the difference between objective and subjective descriptions, and looking at the child’s perspective .  <i>Pathway: Observing Children</i></p> <p><b><u>20 Positive Guidance Techniques</u></b>            Increase caregiver’s ability to: use positive guidance techniques, understanding of self-guidance techniques, ability to develop an environment conducive to limited behaviors and ability to notice positive behavior.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p> <p><b><u>Talking about Race with Children– Make and Take</u></b>            Increase understanding of race, ethnicity and nationality with children. Age-appropriate activities will be introduced to help build tolerance, racial equity, and a social culture where all kids can thrive!  <i>Pathway: Inclusion</i></p>	10AM-2PM	\$5/class
April 20	Pierre	<p><b><u>CPR</u></b>            Adult and pediatric CPR, AED use, and how to relieve choking. This course teaches skills with American Red Cross training curriculum.  <i>Pathway: Program Health and Safety</i></p>	6PM- 9PM	*\$30
April 21	Online	<p><b><u>Mission Online:</u></b>  <b><u>Take a Detour, Get a New View</u></b>            Participants will learn several different objectives during this class: understanding the advantages and disadvantages of using praise; identifying different positive discipline strategies to use in place of praise; learn how to use reflective listening and encouragement instead of just praise.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p> <p><b><u>Guiding Children’s Behaviors</u></b>            Caregivers guide children’s behaviors every day. Learn strategies to help children learn to be in charge of and responsible for their own behaviors.  <i>Pathway: Guidance and Behavior Management</i></p>	9AM-1PM	\$5/class

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# Child Development Associate (CDA) Training

The South Dakota Child Development Associate (CDA) Training Program meets the national CDA standards by providing 120 hours of classroom instruction. The complete program includes online and classroom instruction, textbooks, handouts, networking with peers, assistance compiling the Professional Resource Portfolio, independent study and mentorship to prepare for the national certification exam and verification visit.

<b>Year 2022-2023</b>	
<b>Tuesdays — 6:00-8:30pm</b>	
Orientation	September 6
<b>Module 1:</b> Planning a Safe, Healthy Learning Environment	September 13, 20, 27, October 4
<b>Module 2:</b> Principles of Child Development	October 11, 18, 25, November 1
<b>Module 3:</b> Observing and Recording Children’s Behavior	November 8, 15, 22, 29
<b>Module 4:</b> Steps to Advance Children’s Physical and Intellectual Development	December 6, 13 January 10, 17
<b>Module 5:</b> Positive Ways to Support Children’s Social and Emotional Development	January 24, 31 February 7, 14
<b>Module 6:</b> Strategies to Establish Productive Relationships	February 21, 28 March 7, 14
<b>Module 7:</b> Strategies to Manage an Effective Program Operation	March 21, 28 April 4, 11
<b>Module 8:</b> Maintaining a Commitment to Professionalism	April 18, 25 May 2, 9
<b>Enrichment/Portfolio</b>	May 16



# Statewide Online Training Series

Date	Topic	Time
Wednesdays January 4, 11, 18, & 25	<u>Early Learning Guidelines</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Wednesdays January 4, 11, 18 & 25	<u>Infant Toddler Social and Emotional Foundations for Learning</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Tuesdays February 7, 14, 21, & 28	<u>Ins and Outs of Lesson Planning</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Wednesdays February 1, 8, 15, & 22	<u>Infant Toddler Entry Level Series</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Mondays and Tuesdays February 6, 7, 13, & 14	<u>Family Child Care Entry Level Series</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Thursdays February 2, 9, 16, & 23	<u>Management Series</u>	1pm-3pm
Mondays and Wednesdays March 6, 8, 13, & 15	<u>Out of School Time (OST) Entry Level Series</u>	1pm-2:30pm
Wednesdays March 1, 8, 15, & 22	<u>Preschool Social and Emotional Foundations for Learning</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Tuesdays March 7, 14, 21, & 28	<u>Infant Toddler Quality Practice Series</u>	7:30pm-9:30pm
Mondays April 3, 10, 17, & 24	<u>Preschool Entry Level Series</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Tuesdays April 4, 11, 18, & 25	<u>Infant Toddler Social and Emotional Foundations for Learning</u>	7:30pm-9pm
Thursdays April 6, 13, 20, & 28	<u>Family Child Care Best Practice Series</u>	7:30pm-9:30pm

## Statewide Online Training Series Information

All classes are online.

Each individual needs their own computer; phones are not supported for statewide online trainings.

All times listed are Central Standard Time (CST).

Registration is for complete series.

Tuition is \$10 for two class series and \$20 for four class series.

Registration is needed 48 hours before first class.

# Annual Child Care Training Requirements

<p><b>Family Day Care Provider</b></p>	<p><b>67:42:03:07.02. Training.</b> A family day care provider and helper shall participate in a minimum of six hours of training every year. Three of the six hours of annual training may be from reading sources or televised or video programming.</p>
<p><b>Group Family Day Care</b></p>	<p><b>67:42:10:06. Staff development and training.</b> Each program must have and implement a written training plan. Each staff member for a group family day care home shall participate in 10 hours of training annually.</p>
<p><b>Day Care Center</b></p>	<p><b>67:42:10:06. Staff development and training.</b> Each program must have and implement a written training plan. Each staff member for a day care center shall participate in 20 hours of training annually.</p>
<p><b>Out of School Time (OST)</b></p>	<p><b>67:42:14:13. Staff training.</b> The center shall have a written plan for training each staff member and volunteer who works directly with children and is included in the staff-child ratio. The staff member or volunteer shall complete 10 hours of training annually.</p>
<p><b>Training Area Requirements</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Child growth and development</li> <li>(2) Detecting and reporting child abuse and neglect</li> <li>(3) Guidance and behavior management</li> <li>(4) Food handling techniques</li> <li>(5) Identification and prevention of communicable diseases</li> <li>(6) Program health and safety</li> <li>(7) Nutrition for children</li> <li>(8) Program management and regulation</li> <li>(9) Communication and relations with staff</li> <li>(10) Cultural diversity</li> <li>(11) Learning environments</li> <li>(12) Age appropriate activities and planning</li> <li>(13) Professionalism</li> <li>(14) Partnerships with parents</li> <li>(15) Inclusion of all children</li> <li>(16) Basic first aid.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Staff Orientation</b></p>	<p><b>67:42:10:06.01. Staff orientation.</b> The program shall provide for orientation of all staff, and documentation of such, to occur within 90 days after the date of employment. Orientation training may count toward the required annual training for each staff person during the person's first year of employment.</p>
<p><b>Dept. of Social Services (DSS) State Licensing Handbook and Guidelines</b></p>	<p><a href="https://dss.sd.gov/childcare/licensing/">https://dss.sd.gov/childcare/licensing/</a></p>

# South Dakota Orientation and Ongoing Health and Safety II

The Orientation to Child Care training is to be completed within 90 days of hire. The Health and Safety II Training Series is developed to be completed within 5 years after completion of orientation.

Click [here](#) for access to Orientation and Health and Safety II.

## Online/On-Demand

Class Title/Description	Licensing Pathway
1) Prevention and control of infectious diseases	Identification and Prevention of Communicable Diseases
2) Prevention of sudden infant death syndrome and use of safe sleep practices	Program Health and Safety
3) Administration of medication	Program Health and Safety
4) Prevention and response to emergencies due to food and allergic reactions	Program Health and Safety
5) Building and physical premises safety	Program Health and Safety
6) Prevention of shaken baby syndrome and abusive head trauma	Program Health and Safety
7) Emergency preparedness and response planning	Program Health and Safety
8) Handling and storage of hazardous materials and the disposal of bio-contaminants	Program Health and Safety
9) Appropriate precautions in transporting children, if applicable	Program Health and Safety
10) Child Development	Child Growth and Development
11) Recognizing and reporting child abuse and neglect * Training link: <a href="https://apps.sd.gov/SS60ReporterVideoTraining/Introduction.aspx">https://apps.sd.gov/SS60ReporterVideoTraining/Introduction.aspx</a>	Child Abuse and Neglect
12) First aid	Program Health and Safety
13) CPR certification *Not available online/on demand. To be renewed every 2 years.	Program Health and Safety
Child Care Provider Background Screening information can be found <a href="#">here</a> .	