

The Pyramid Model for Promoting Infant/Toddler Social Emotional Development

WV Birth to Three is pleased to announce the release of the Pyramid Model for Promoting Infant/Toddler Social Emotional Development on On-Line Facilitated Courses! As these courses are facilitated, you will be completing this course with a group of professionals, and there will be a course facilitator who will guide you through the content using a variety of activities and assignments to enrich your learning experience. Throughout your enrollment in the course, you will have access to the course materials 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

The WV Birth to Three Pyramid Model courses will provide participants:

- Strategies for strengthening partnerships with families to promote responsive, nurturing care giving and high-quality home environments
- Information on infant/toddler social emotional development and play
- Coaching strategies for supporting caregiver implementation of interventions to promote social • emotional competence within daily routines and activities
- Information on evidence-based practices for promoting social emotional development •
- Strategies for working with families to develop a behavior support plan focused on teaching new skills, and preventing and remediating challenging behaviors in the home

Course One: Overview and Effective Practices for All Children (3.5 Contact Hours) Course Dates – September 1, - September 30, 2022

This first course is designed to help you to understand the basics of the Pyramid Model practices supporting the social emotional development of all children through strengthening the partnerships with families to promote responsive, nurturing caregiving and high-quality environments.

Course Two: Targeted Social Emotional Supports (3.5 Contact Hours) Course Dates – October 1 – October 30, 2022

This second course is designed to help you to effectively assess social emotional development, develop outcomes and use targeted coaching strategies to support families and caregivers to implement agreed upon strategies within daily routines and activities.

Course Three: Intensive Intervention with Positive Behavior Supports (5.5 Contact Hours) Course Dates – November 1 – November 30, 2022

This third course is designed to help you to work as a team to complete functional behavioral assessments and develop positive behavior support plans for children who need more intensive intervention. The plan will be focused on coaching methods to support family and caregiver implementation of the recommended strategies within daily routines and activities.

Space is limited to 25 individuals per cohort so don't miss out – register early!

To register, contact Sheila Zickefoose, WV Birth to Three Training Coordinator at: szickefoose@rvcds.org

WV STARS Credit will be provided as well as professional CEU's through:



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