West Virginia Birth to Three
Foundations of Coaching Families Through the Early Start Denver Model (ESDM)

Application

Instructions: Please fill out this form completely. If there is insufficient space for information requested, continue a separate page at the end of the document. Return your application to **Kristy Stout at** kristy.m.stout@wv.gov.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Title _____ Agency (as appropriate) _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Mobile Phone _____ Email _____

I will participate	☐ As an Individual/Consultant ☐ Supported by an Agency	What is the highest degree you have obtained?	☐ Bachelor's degree ☐ Master's degree
What is your discipline within WV Birth to Three?	☐ Development Specialist ☐ Occupational Therapist ☐ BCBA	☐ Psychologist ☐ Speech Language Pathologist ☐ Other – please list: _____	
Approximately how many children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) between ages 0-3 years, have you worked with in the last year?	☐ None ☐ 1 to 3 ☐ 3 to 5 ☐ More than 5		

YOUR KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

Describe your knowledge and skills in the following content areas.

Infant and Toddler Development Describe your educational background and knowledge of infant and toddler development; how many years of experience you have in providing services to infants and toddlers; in what capacity and settings?	

Preschool Development Describe your educational background and knowledge of preschool development; how many years of experience you have in providing services to preschool age children; in what capacity and settings?	
Autism Spectrum Disorder Describe any knowledge, coursework and/or training you have related to implementing evidence-based practices for children with ASD and related conditions.	
Please check any of the following strategies which you have the training, experience, and expertise to implement:	☐ Discrete Trail Training ☐ Functional Communication Training ☐ Incidental Training ☐ Antecedent-Based Interventions ☐ Pivotal Response Training ☐ Task Analysis and Chaining ☐ Verbal Behavior Training ☐ Differential Reinforcement ☐ Visual Strategies ☐ Video Modeling ☐ Time Delay ☐ ESDM ☐ Social Stories ☐ Joint Attention Training ☐ Picture Exchange Communication Training ☐ Functional Behavior Assessment and Support Plan Development
Family-Centered Practice Describe your definition of family-centered practice, including how you coach families during your home visits and/or preschool services.	

Natural Environments Describe how you support young children and their families within natural environments such as home and/or community.	
Teaming/Collaboration Describe your experience as a team member and knowledge of teaming principles, group process, communication, interagency collaboration, etc.	
Teaching/Coaching Caregivers Describe your experience with and knowledge related to teaching/coaching caregivers to implement strategies and/or programs for their child.	

Please e-mail your completed application by April 20, 2026 to:

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