

## TRAININGS IN SOUTHEAST

### CDA Summer Intensive

ECE S100: Fundamentals of Early Childhood Practice 3CR  
June 6-10, 2011, UAS Juneau Campus

- Open to qualified individuals seeking a CDA Credential.
- Students will complete 10 hours of lab work outside of the class

Audio-conference follow-up with the instructor

#### Student Outcomes toward CDA Assessment:

- Create a CDA resource file
- Write the 6 CDA Competency Goal statements
- Develop a timeline for obtaining parent questionnaires, advisor formal observation and application for assessment

#### Registration Information:

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#### Housing Information:

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### University Classes

A variety of online university classes are offered through the UA system. Visit <https://uaonline.alaska.edu/> go to "class schedule" and search for classes in "Early Childhood Education" to explore your options. If you haven't taken a class through the UA system, you can contact University of Alaska Enrollment Services with questions 907-786-1480.

ECE F210: Child Development & Guidance, 3CR, 5/23-8/5

ECE F245: Child Development, 3 CR, 5/23-8/25

ECE S100: Fundamentals of Early childhood Practice,  
3CR, 6/11-6/24

### WSLN 2011

Western States Leadership Networking Event

June 7th-11th, 2011, UAS

This event brings together early childhood professionals of the 13 western states to share information and resources. To view an agenda, visit [www.wsln2011alaska.blogspot.com](http://www.wsln2011alaska.blogspot.com) or email [wsln2011@gmail.com](mailto:wsln2011@gmail.com). Participants may also receive one college credit for taking part in the event.

## DISTANCE TRAINING OPTIONS

### ABCD E-Learning

Choose from four topics, each worth 20 hours: 2 in each of the CDA training content areas with an additional 4 in Child Development. Cost per module is \$85. Visit [www.abcdalaska.org](http://www.abcdalaska.org) to take the "Are you ready for e-learning?" quiz and register. This training qualifies for 75% training reimbursement! Get started today and pay once you complete a module. You will love the video clips, web links, and resources you can use right away.

### A Place of Our Own Web-Based Self-Study

This self-study module helps you to go deeper in your reflection and understanding through active learning workshops. This option consists of 9 topic modules worth 3 hours each for a total training credit of 27 hours: 3 hrs in each of the CDA training content areas. Individual modules are \$10 each or you can order all nine for \$75. Preview active learning workshops at [www.aplaceofourown.org](http://www.aplaceofourown.org). Please download the Registration Form and Getting Started explanation from the AEYC website.

### Engaging with Parents Self-Study

Combines reading, reflection, and programming ideas and gives you tools to develop partnerships with parents of the children in your program. Seven modules make up the self-study, each worth three hours for a total of 21 training hours. Cost for entire training is \$75. Contact AEYC at to order this self-study.

### thread Web Based Training

Courses for early educators seeking their Child Development Associate are offered by thread through E-Learning web-based and self-paced training. Participants can register for the courses anytime. Visit [www.threadalaska.org](http://www.threadalaska.org) to get more information or to register.

### Inclusion Self-Study

This self-study provides six hours in the CDA training content areas of Safe, Healthy Learning Environments, Child Growth and Development, and Families. This self-study gives general background information about inclusion practice, caring for children with special needs, and the early educator's role regarding the ADA law. Designed to be taken as a complete training and is only available as such. Start anytime and work through it at your own pace. Order through AEYC office for \$30.

### SIDS and SBS Self-Study

This training fulfills state child care licensing requirements. Information presented about the effects of Shaken Baby Syndrome and prevention tips. Also, information provided about Sudden Infant Death Syndrome and ways to reduce the risks of occurrence. Infant and toddler development is discussed in relation to the topics of SBS/SIDS. Two hours in the CDA training content area of Safe, Healthy Learning Environment. Order this free training through AEYC.





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### NEWS

#### Kudos!

Emily Coate, Lynne Osheim, and Samantha Adams are recognized as our Early Childhood Educators and Advocates of the Year.

Over 30 early childhood professionals completed the CDA track at the AEYC conference this year and over 40 individuals in the region were awarded mini-grants to complete training and develop a plan for obtaining their CDA. Many of the grant recipients are making important changes to their programs to "Go Green" or get outdoors more. These positive changes create a better environment for young children.

#### Reimbursement Reminder

Training reimbursement forms (IRF) for up to \$500 per year for university classes, first aid, CPR and early childhood conferences should be submitted to AEYC by May 30 for this fiscal year. Download from the thread website.

#### Alaska IN!

Do you care for a child with special needs? If so, you might be eligible for the AK IN! program which provides additional funding and support to providers caring for children with special needs who are on child care assistance. Call Emily at 907-789-1235 to learn more about this great program.



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