

AT A GLANCE: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Domain	Professional Development Topic (NJ ECE Core Knowledge and Competency)	Required	Optional for Points	Audience Educators (E) Administrators and Supervisors (A) Non-Instructional Staff (N)
Foundational Standards	Overview of the NJ Birth to Three Standards and/or NJ Preschool Teaching and Learning Standards (1. Child Growth and Development)	All Levels		E, A
	Evaluating and Supporting Early Childhood Educators (8. Professionalism and Leadership)	All Levels		Α
Curriculum, Teaching and Learning (CTL)	Developmentally and Culturally Responsive Practice (1. Child Growth and Development) Lesson planning (4. Learning Environment and Curriculum) Curriculum Training focused on Implementation	Level 3 Level 3 Levels		E, A
	(3. Learning Environment and Curriculum)	4 and 5	V	
	Overview of NJ Birth to Three Standards and/or the NJ Preschool Teaching and Learning Standards (1. Child Growth and Development)		X	N
	Developmentally and Culturally Responsive Practice (1. Child Growth and Development)		Х	
	Appropriate Adult-Child Interactions (4. Teaching-Learning Interactions and Approaches)		Х	
	Performance Based Assessment (5. Child Assessment)		X	E, A
	Inclusion and Inclusive Practices (7. Serving Diverse Populations)		X	
	Supporting Children's Home Language (7. Serving Diverse Populations)		Х	
	Supporting Child Transitions (3. Learning Environment and Curriculum)		X	
	The Environment Rating Scales (3. Learning Environment and Curriculum)		X	E,A,N
Child Wellbeing (CW)	Physical Health (6. Child Wellness: Health, Safety, Nutrition & Physical Activities) Social-emotional learning (SEL), and effective strategies to support children's mental health (4. Teaching-Learning Interactions and Approaches)		X	Е, А
	Pediatric First Aid and CPR (6. Child Wellness: Health, Safety, Nutrition and Physical Activities)		Х	
Family and Community Engagement (FCE)	Family and Community Engagement or Strengthening Families Framework (2. Family and Community partnerships)		Х	Е, А
	Supporting and engaging with diverse communities (7. Serving Diverse Populations)		Х	
Workforce Development and Supports (WDS)	Key Characteristics and Skills of High-Impact Leaders (8. Professionalism and Leadership)		Х	Α
Administration and Management Practices (AMP)	Environment Rating Scales (9. Program Organization and Management/Program Evaluation)	Level 3 and above		Α
Additional Points	HEART of Leadership Training (8. Professionalism and Leadership)		Х	Α
	Three module Pyramid Training Series (1. Child Growth and Development)		Х	E
	Keeping Babies and Children in Mind (1. Child Growth and Development)		Х	E
	Implementation and benefits of Home Visiting (2. Family and Community partnerships)		Х	E, A