



March - April 2021 Provider Newsie



Regulation Update!

On January 6th, 2021 Parts 414,416 and 417 and Subparts 418-1 and 418-2 of Title 18 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of NY (NYCRR) were amended to include adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) as a required training topic for child care providers. All parts of the regulations have been updated and are posted on the OCFS website at: <https://www.ocfs.ny.gov/programs/childcare/regulations/>

For more information on training and topic areas please contact our training dept:

Kristin Olsen @ 607-776-2126 Ext. 144 Olsenk@proactioninc.org

Hailey Friesema @ 607-438-0754 haighh@proactioninc.org (Hailey is now working virtually!)

Need First aid and CPR or information on CACFP?

Contact Rachel Hurd @ 607-661-2244 hurdr@proactioninc.org

Upcoming Training's

Dates: Monday, March 8th 6-8:30pm

Training Topic Areas: 1,3,4,7

Cost: \$87.50

Training Title: Risky Play:

Registration Fee \$7.00

Do you find yourself constantly saying, "no" "get down" "you can't do that" while the children in your care are exploring their environment? Do you cringe when you see a child balancing on a log...? Come explore the benefits of allowing children to participate in risky play and why sometimes allowing children to take risks in their play can help them in the long run.

Dates: Saturday, March 27th 8-11am

Training Topic Areas: 1,3,5,7

Cost \$105.00

Training Title: Observation and Assessment:

Registration Fee \$7.00

In this course participants learn the importance of observation and assessment and effective tools and strategies for gathering and using observational information about children. Areas of focus will include; learning to observe children accurately and objectively, observation tools and goals, overcoming obstacles to observation, and interpreting and using observation data

Need CACFP or CPR/FA Training?

Contact Rachel Hurd @ 607-661-2244 hurdr@proactioninc.org

CPR/FA class for Blended Learning has a training fee of \$95. And \$7 Registration fee.

CPR/FA class for full in person has a training fee of \$125 and a \$10 Registration fee.

CPR/FA trainings will cover NYS OCFS Training Topic Areas: 2, 4, 7

Date/Time Training:

Wednesday, March 10th 6-7:30pm CPR/FA Blended Learning Skills

Wednesday, March 17th 6-7:30pm CPR/FA Blended Learning Skills

Wednesday, March 24th 6-7:30p CPR/FA Blended Learning Skills

DO YOU KNOW HOW TO STAY SAFE FROM A HOME FIRE?



Did you know you may have as little as two minutes to escape your home during a fire?

Having a home fire escape plan can increase your chance of getting out of your home quickly and safely in the event of a fire.

The American Red Cross is providing **FREE** one-on-one home fire safety education to any individuals or families interested!

In just 15 minutes you will learn:

- How to develop a home fire escape plan.
- How to make sure your smoke alarms are up to date.
- How to quickly and safely evacuate a home.
- Home fire prevention tips.



SOUND THE ALARM
Save a Life
American Red Cross

If you are interested in scheduling a 15-minute education session with the American Red Cross, please give us a call at (585)242-4390 or visit Redcross.org/homefiresafetyWNY

March Fun Facts and Tidbits

March, in like a lion, out like a lamb, or so the saying goes!

March is the month of spring and with it come a lot of activity in nature. Birds migrate. Animals begin to mate. (They give us the phrase, "Mad as a March hare," too.) Plants begin to grow. Even the full moon gets involved. The full moon in March is called the Worm Moon. It earns this name because of all the insects beginning to hatch.

Day light saving time also adds an element of tradition and rancor to the season as many (though not all) spring forward and change their clocks one hour.

Please contact Child Care Aware® of Steuben & Schuyler at our Schuyler office: 607-535-6806 with any questions or suggestions for our Newsie!

