

**May 2024**

# TLC Monthly Minder



Directions to meeting locations are available on the [TLC homepage](#).

## Infant Toddler Service Delivery Learning Path

[EITA's webpage](#) includes information about this series of self-paced, online modules, webinars, and resources that provide foundational knowledge about the Family-Guided Routines-Based Intervention (FGRBI) approach that Pennsylvania has adopted to guide infant toddler early intervention service delivery.

Providers who worked in Philadelphia infant toddler programs (PITEI) last year should have already completed the first two modules: EI Service Delivery Online Course and FGRBI Online Course.

We encourage all providers with experience in PITEI to continue to progress through the Learning Path as part of their self-choice professional development activity during the 2023-24 year. These programs will familiarize participants with the FGRBI approach and help them gain competence in using these coaching strategies to support parents and caregivers to promote their infants' and toddlers' development.



## 2023-24 Competency: Practicing Coaching Methods

This is a required professional development program for all Intermediate and Experienced providers to complete by June 30, 2024. Register for this training using the link below. Only 2 groups remain open.

[Click here to register](#)

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## 2023-2024 County Update

Registration is now open for the online training for all personnel to complete by June 30, 2024.

## May is Mental Health Awareness Month, and May 3-9 is Children's Mental Health Awareness Week.

Pennsylvania's Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation (IECMH) Program is a free resource that supports children's social-emotional development from birth through age 5 within early learning programs participating in Keystone STARS. Click on links below for more information.

[IECMH brochure](#)

[PA Keys IECMH](#)

[PA Promise for Children - Keystone Stars](#)

**Self Choice:** We strongly encourage providers to continue to complete OCDEL's [Learning Path](#) for their Self-Choice hours.

If you need additional Self-Choice options before or after June 30, see list on next page for more options.

## Coaching Corner

Congratulations to *Mindy King and Tiffany Jackson Williams* who recently met coaching endorsement from EITA.

We strongly encourage providers to continue to complete OCDEL's [Learning Path](#) for their Self-Choice credits. If you need additional Self-Choice options before or after June 30, here are programs recommended for providers in the Philadelphia Infant Toddler Early Intervention Program.

- ♦ [Early Childhood Outcomes \(ECO\) 101 Self Enrollment \(1 hour\)](#) and [Early Childhood Outcomes \(ECO\) 201 - Effective Strategies to Ensure High Quality Data - Self Enrollment \(3 hours\)](#)
- ♦ For Early Interventionists who are implementing Z10 services and are not currently enrolled in Project ImPACT certification (3 hours): [Naturalistic Intervention for Early Learning](#)
- ♦ TLC in-person training "Providing Inclusive Infant Toddler Early Intervention Services in the Childcare Setting: A Collaborative Training" on May 17th, 2:00-4:00PM, at Brightside Academy (3rd & Westmoreland Street). [Click here to register](#)

**Invited Early Interventionists only.** Your agency supervisor will confirm whether you have been invited by the University of Pennsylvania's PEACE for ImPACT grant, in cooperation with Philadelphia ITEI to complete the following:

- A. Project ImPACT pre-course (6 hours)
- B. Project ImPACT workshop (15 hours)

*\*Enrollment information will be emailed directly from the folks running the PEACE for ImPACT grant.*

**Invited SI's and SLPs only.** Your agency supervisor will confirm whether you have been invited by Philadelphia ITEI to complete the following:

[SI - Hanen SPARK Communications \(16.5 hours\)](#)

[SPARK Communication Workshop Schedule](#)

[SPARK Communication Online Workshop Schedule](#)

[SLP - It Takes Two to Talk \(21.5 Professional Development Hours\)](#)

[It Takes Two to Talk Certification Workshop Schedule](#)