



FREE Cavity Free Kids Training!

For Washington's Head Start, Migrant/Seasonal Head Start, Tribal Head Start, Early Head Start and ECEAP Programs

Offered free of charge by Washington Dental Service Foundation
In partnership with Washington State Association of Head Start & ECEAP

Monday, January 26, 2009

10 a.m. – 4 p.m. • Olympia • Red Lion Hotel

This training is a special pre-conference track of the WSA Winter Meeting
(attendance at the winter meeting is *not* required, however).

OR

Monday, February 9th, 2009

10 a.m. – 4 p.m. • Moses Lake • Family Services of Grant County

In preparation for the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry/Head Start Dental Home Initiative, designed to link all Washington Head Start children with a dentist and “dental home,” all Washington’s Head Start and Early Head Start programs are offered this *opportunity* for training or retraining in the Cavity Free Kids curriculum.

What is Cavity Free Kids? The Cavity Free Kids curriculum presents oral health as *an ongoing part of preschool education* through:

- *classroom activities* that use oral health concepts to meet the requirements of the Child Learning Outcomes (Domain Elements) in language development, literacy, math, science, creative arts, social & emotional development, and approaches to learning and physical health and development
- *parent education materials* for use in parent meetings and home visits

The Early Start curriculum is oral health *education designed for pregnant women, infants and toddlers.*

Who will benefit from the training? *Everyone* benefits– whether learning how to use Cavity Free Kids for the first time or retraining to brush up on the curriculum. This training is designed to “Train the Trainers” ...so plan to *send those people (administrators, teachers, health coordinators & technical assistants) who are responsible for training classroom teachers, home visitors, family advocates and others.* Ideally, send two people from your organization for the training.

To register: by January 19, 2009 at www.wsaheadstarteceap.com

Complimentary lunch and refreshment are included in your registration.

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