




Serving Families Together: Home-Visiting, Early Intervention & Child Welfare Cross-Training

Coordinating services can have a bigger, better, and longer-lasting impact for the children and families we serve! This cross-training will help early childhood providers to:

- Better understand the impact of trauma on early childhood development, and how a combination of services can best support a child's recovery and developmental trajectory.
- Gain knowledge of how each early childhood system involved works.
- Network and problem-solve across systems to improve collaboration and coordination.
- Identify community-level planning needs for ensuring families receive services.



If you already have a DCFS Virtual Training Center (VTC) account, please register online at www.dcfstraining.org.

If you do NOT yet have a DCFS Virtual Training Center (VTC) account, please register by emailing DCFSTraining@Illinois.gov or calling 877-800-3393.

Please contact Brooke Taylor (Brooke.Taylor@Illinois.gov) for questions and assistance with registration.

CEUs, CPDUs, Gateways, and Early Intervention training credits available and lunch provided at all locations.

Please arrive 30 minutes prior to training start time for registration.

Springfield - April 12th

NEW LOCATION: Illinois Education Association | 3440 Liberty Drive |
9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Decatur - April 13th


Decatur Public Library | 130 North Franklin Street | 9:30 AM-3:30 PM

Champaign/Urbana - April 17th

Illinois Law Enforcement Training Building | 1701 East Main Street (Urbana, IL) |
9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Peoria - April 20th

Illinois Central College - East Peoria Campus | 1 College Drive (East Peoria, IL) |
9:00 AM-3:00 PM



For general information about any of the cross-trainings, please contact Carie Bires at cbires@ounceofprevention.org or 312-291-2160