

EARLY CHILDHOOD RESOURCES ON SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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Center for Parent Information and Resources (CPIR) - <http://www.parentcenterhub.org/resources> - The CPIR serves as a central resource for parent information and resources for children with disabilities.

Center on the Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning (CSEFEL) - <http://www.vanderbilt.edu/csefel> - The CSEFEL is a national resource center funded by the Office of Head Start and Child Care Bureau to disseminate research and evidence-based practices to early childhood programs.

Early Childhood Learning and Knowledge Center (ECLKC) of the Office of Head Start, Administration for Children and Families (ACF), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - <https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/tta-system/health/mental-health.html> - This website includes information for professionals and families to support the mental, social and emotional development of children from birth to age five.

Early Childhood Technical Assistance Center (ECTA) - <http://ectacenter.org> - The ECTA Center provides many resources on recommended practices for families and providers, including training modules and other materials.

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) - <http://idea.ed.gov> - This federal website is a comprehensive source for information about IDEA, which is the federal law that governs how states and public agencies provide early intervention, special education and related services to children with disabilities.

Pyramid Model Consortium - <http://www.pyramidmodel.org> - Promoting the high fidelity use of the Pyramid Model for Supporting Social Emotional Competence in Infants and Young Children, this website includes resources for parents and early childhood professionals, training materials and research articles.

Technical Assistance Center on Social Emotional Intervention for Young Children (TACSEI) - <http://challengingbehavior.org> - The TACSEI website includes training and technical assistance for caregivers on social and emotional interventions.

ZERO TO THREE - <http://zerotothree.org> - This website includes articles, tip sheets and pod casts to support infants and toddlers and their caregivers.

NEW YORK STATE

Early Care & Learning Council - <http://www.earlycareandlearning.org> - The Early Care & Learning Council is a statewide organization that provides training and technical assistance to early care and education professionals. The website includes contact information for the State's regional infant and toddler specialists.

Early Childhood.org - <http://www.earlychildhood.org> - This website provides a one-stop source of information for those exploring or working in early childhood programs.

Family Child Care Association of New York State, Inc. - <http://www.fccanys.org> - This Association provides professional development and support to family child care providers.

New York State Association for the Education of Young Children (NYSAEYC) - <http://nysaeyc.org> - NYSAEYC provides resources for early childhood professionals to support the social-emotional, physical and cognitive development of young children.

New York State Council on Children and Families (CCF) - <http://www.ccf.ny.gov/> -The CCF brings together the state's health, education and human service agencies to build a coordinated system of services for children and their families.

New York State Department of Health Bureau of Early Intervention (EI) - http://www.health.ny.gov/community/infants_children/early_intervention/ - The EI Program offers therapeutic and support services to eligible infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families.

New York State Early Childhood Advisory Council (ECAC) - <http://www.nysecac.org> - The ECAC provides strategic direction and advice to the State of New York on early childhood issues.

New York State Education Department Office of Early Learning - <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/earlylearning> - This Office works closely with parents, early care and education agencies, schools and state agencies to coordinate programs and resources on early learning.

New York State Education Department Office of Special Education - <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/specialed/> - Under this Office, there are two Centers: (1) the Early Childhood Direction Centers which provide information on programs and services for young children who have physical, mental or emotional disabilities and help families obtain services for their children - <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/specialed/techassist/ecdc/home.html>; (2) Special Education Parent Centers which provide information to parents of children with disabilities of all ages - <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/specialed/techassist/parentcenters.htm>.

New York State Office of Children and Family Services Division of Child Care Services (OCFS) - <http://ocfs.ny.gov/main/childcare/default.asp> -The OCFS is the state agency responsible for licensing and regulating child care programs in New York State and overseeing initiatives to improve the quality of such programs.

New York State Parenting Education Partnership (NYSPEP) - <http://nyspep.org> - The NYSPEP provides tools, skills and support for professionals, parents and primary caregivers of children.

New York State Pyramid Model Partnership - <http://www.nysecac.org/news-and-events/pyramid-model> - This Partnership, which includes a team of public and private representatives, is working to promote the statewide use of the Pyramid Model, an evidence-based framework proven to be an effective approach to building social and emotional competence in early care and education programs.