



We are pleased to be able to continue to offer you quality trainings through a virtual platform during these unprecedented times.





In order to keep our attendance lists most accurate, we ask that you do not share the meeting link with anyone. If you are registering multiple people from your staff for training, please make sure we have a list of who will be attending in advance. **We need to know who is in our audience, as this will help us to send feedback surveys and certificates to the correct people.**





*Please know that failure to follow this process may prevent you from joining a training session.*






Here are some other items to keep in mind to make our trainings the best they can be:






- Join the training a few minutes early, particularly if you aren't familiar with attending Zoom. In addition, be sure you take some time to make sure the device you will use for the training is charged and ready to go! Check compatibility guidelines by clicking on the link prior to the event.
- Problems with the link? If for some reason your link does not take you directly to the training, go to [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us). Click "join meeting" at the top of the screen and enter the meeting ID and password provided.
- Be aware that the video feature will be used. It is both helpful to the conversation and nice to connect with faces! Keep this in mind and present yourself in a way you feel comfortable, yet professional.
- Avoid walking around with your device as you participate in the training! If your video feature is on, you are taking us with you - this can be very distracting.
- Join the training from a quiet space. You may be muted by the trainer to eliminate background noise.
- Use the "Chat" feature if you have a question specific to your classroom/home settings and we can arrange a time to talk in more details afterwards. As many training events are just one hour, there will not be much time to address individual concerns during the event.
- Be an active participant! Come ready to share your thoughts with others. Our trainers love learning from their participants.
- Plan to learn and have fun!
- Lastly, for security purposes, you may be placed in a waiting room upon activating your link. Access will be allowed before the start of the training.





**October – December 2020 Central Region Training Calendar**






Date and Time	Training	Description and Competencies	Location	Provided by
Thursday, October 1  1-2PM	Level 3 and Validation Visit 101 Information Session**  Cost: Grant Funded; <b>This session open to Virginia Quality participants only</b>	If your center is currently Virginia Quality Level 2 and getting ready to apply for Level 3, then don't miss the opportunity to learn more about what you need to do to prepare for your Validation Visit. Join us to get an overview of the Curriculum Checklist and Validation Visit process. This information session is designed for center directors or curriculum coordinators and includes a Q&A.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, September 29 <b>and</b> Tuesday, October 6  8:30-10:30AM  <b>Must attend both sessions!</b>	VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement Course: <b>Module 2</b> , Observation and Recording*  Cost: Grant Funded  <b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b>	Participants will explore why observation and recording information about children is critical to supporting classroom planning and teaching. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II  <b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a> , 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 6  7-8:30PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 8 (Self) and the CDA Professional Philosophy Statements  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 6 ( <b>Note: date changed from 10/7 on previous calendar</b> )  1-2:30PM	Virginia Milestones of Child Development Overview**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for	This training will give an overview of the Milestones of Child Development. Participants will learn more about the purpose of the Milestones and how to navigate this tool. We will explore the six domains of the Milestones of Child Development to better understand how to apply the Milestones to guide children's learning and development.	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.	






	non-Virginia Quality participants.	CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 6 1-2PM	Applying for VQRIS Level 2: Learnpoint Modules and Furthering Your Education**  Cost: Grant Funded; <b>This session open to Virginia Quality participants only.</b>	Making the move to Virginia Quality Level 2 is not always an easy one for providers. This webinar will explore the application process, the Learnpoint modules, and some opportunities to advance the education of you and your teaching team.  CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: VIII Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, October 7 12:30-1:30PM	Early Math for Toddlers**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants	Whether you love math or not, you can help stimulate an interest in math for the little ones in your care. How do we as caregivers nurture and facilitate a toddlers developing interest in mathematical topics and concepts? In this training we will identify strategies to support you in introducing early math content and processes to toddlers in your care.  CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, October 7 12:30-1:30PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 10 (Guidance) and the CDA Competency Statements  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Thursday, October 8 1-2PM	VA ITSN: Inclusion Fusion*  Cost: Grant Funded	The purpose of this training is to provide information on the benefits of inclusion and how to provide supportive, inclusive environments where all young children have opportunities to learn and grow. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	

<p>Friday, October 9 (<b>Note: date changed from 10/8 on previous calendar</b>)</p> <p>10-11AM</p>	<p>Virginia Quality Overview**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Curious about joining Virginia Quality? This information session offers an overview of the benefits of participation, and how it will help recognize your program for the quality services you provide to the children in your care.</p> <p><b>Note: This information session is intended for non-Virginia Quality participants.</b> Certificates will not be issued for attendance.</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Monday, October 12</p> <p>6-7PM</p>	<p>Sensory Development for Infants**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Infants are experiencing their world through their senses. This workshop will give insight on how to capitalize on sensory experiences within your classroom while meeting the developmental milestones for each of the children in your care.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: II</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Monday, October 12</p> <p>12-1:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Promoting Exploration and Discovery: Toddlers and Twos*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Participants will explore the reasons toddlers and twos need opportunities to freely explore and discover their world. There will also be discussion and involvement with “loose parts.” This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: V</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, October 13 <b>and</b> Tuesday, October 20</p> <p>8:30-10:30AM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement Course: <b>Module 3, Planning Activities*</b></p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p> <p><b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b></p>	<p>Participants will explore developmental domains and how they relate to creating age/stage appropriate learning experiences. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II</p> <p><b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a>, 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:nalexander@va-itsnetwork.org">nalexander@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, October 13</p> <p>6:30-8PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Promoting Exploration and Discovery: Toddlers and Twos*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Participants will explore the reasons toddlers and twos need opportunities to freely explore and discover their world. There will also be discussion and involvement with “loose parts.” This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p>	


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Tuesday, October 13 2-3PM	Fine Arts: Beyond Arts & Crafts**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	The Fine Arts domain of the Virginia Milestones of Child Development includes Dance Arts, Music, Theater Arts, and Visual Arts. The arts are integral to nurturing children’s imagination and creative expression. We will discuss how to integrate the fine arts disciplines into your daily activities to enhance children’s experiences while also having fun. Must work with children 18-48 months.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 13 5-6PM	Voluntary Registration Orientation  Cost: Grant Funded	This orientation session is recommended for providers interested in becoming a Voluntary Registered Family Day Home. Participants will learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you.  Registration: <a href="mailto:dbillups@childsavers.org">dbillups@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 13 6:30-8:30PM	Program Subsidy Orientation  Cost: Grant Funded	This orientation session is recommended for individuals/programs interested in the VDSS Subsidy Vendor Program to learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you, such as Child Care Aware of Virginia’s technical assistance and training programs, in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS).  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday October 14 12:30-1:30PM	Especially for Early Childhood Teachers  Cost: Grant Funded	Join your Central Virginia Child Care Aware Specialists for an open discussion about your challenges and success of being an Early Childhood Educator. The agenda will be created by the participants. Technical Assistance will be offered and a listening ear. Be prepared to share and support in a respectful forum.  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, October 14 1-2PM	F.R.I.E.N.D.S.**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	Intentional interactions are vital in early childhood classrooms. We’ll discuss the positive impacts on student learning and your workday as we review strategies to <b>F</b> acilitate, <b>R</b> elate, <b>I</b> nspire, <b>E</b> ngage, <b>N</b> urture, and <b>D</b> esign children’s <b>S</b> uccess. Participants working in a classroom rather than virtually meeting with children will most benefit from this session.	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.	





		<p>Please come prepared to share, brainstorm, and reflect on your teaching style.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goals: I, II, III and VIII          VA Competency Goals: II, V, and VI          Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 14          1:00-2:30PM</p>	<p>VA ITSN:          Strengthening Families*          Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>The purpose of this training is to provide information on the characteristics of a positive parent-caregiver relationship, to discuss family-friendly practices in childcare, and to explore ways to enhance positive parent-caregiver relationships. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: IV          VA Competency Goal: IV          Registration: <a href="mailto:nalexander@va-itsnetwork.org">nalexander@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 14          7-8PM</p>	<p>CDA Orientation for New Students          No cost is associated with this orientation.</p>	<p>A Child Development Associate credential is a nationally recognized credential that will help you strengthen your skills and further your career as an early childhood educator. This informative orientation session will review the process and requirements for earning your CDA through ChildSavers.</p> <p><b>Attendance is mandatory at an orientation before enrollment can occur.</b></p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 14          1-2:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: It's all about the Fit*          Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This training will encourage participants to consider their program's environment and routines in relation to the individual needs and differences of the infants and/or toddlers in their care. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II          VA Competency Goal: II          Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, October 15          12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>CDA Class          Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must</b></p>	<p>Chapter 8 (Self) and the CDA Professional Philosophy Statements</p> <p>Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III          VA Competency Goal: VI          Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	





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Thursday, October 15 10-11:30AM	VAITSN: It's all about the Fit*  Cost: Grant Funded	This training will encourage participants to consider their program's environment and routines in relation to the individual needs and differences of the infants and/or toddlers in their care. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Thursday, October 15 6:30-7:30PM	Emotionally Supportive Interactions**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality	In this training we will discuss the pillars of supporting children emotionally through positive interactions. We will discuss examples and share how we can maintain emotional supportive positive interactions. This workshop is geared towards teachers of 3-5 year old children.  CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Saturday, October 17 10AM-12PM	Emergency Preparedness  Cost: Grant Funded	This workshop will focus on the following factors: to understand the threats and risks that can affect a program; to become familiar with recognized child care emergency preparedness standards and how to carry them out; to advance knowledge in business continuity concepts; and to support the emotional needs of children and caregivers.  CDA Competency Goal: I VA Competency Goal: I and VII Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Monday, October 19 6:30-7:30PM	Virginia Quality Overview**  Cost: Grant Funded	Curious about joining Virginia Quality? This information session offers an overview of the benefits of participation, and how it will help recognize your program for the quality services you provide to the children in your care.  <b>Note: This information session is intended for non-Virginia Quality participants.</b> Certificates will not be issued for attendance.  Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Monday, October 19 6:30-8PM	VAITSN: Promoting Exploration and Discovery: Toddlers and Twos*  Cost: Grant Funded	Participants will explore the reasons toddlers and twos need opportunities to freely explore and discover their world. There will also be discussion and involvement with "loose parts." This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: II	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.	





		VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 20 12-2PM	Subsidy Orientation  Cost: Grant Funded	This orientation session is recommended for individuals/programs interested in the VDSS Subsidy Vendor Program to learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you, such as Child Care Aware of Virginia's technical assistance and training programs, in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS).  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 20 1-2PM	Language and Literacy for Infants and Toddlers**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants	How do you develop the language and literacy for someone who doesn't talk? This training will provide you with critical tools and techniques to enhance your ability to communicate with the infants and toddlers in your care, and why it plays such a large role in the years after they have left you.  CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 20 6:30-8PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 8 (Self) and the CDA Process  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, October 21 1-2:30PM	Breaking Down the Cognition and General Knowledge Domain of the Virginia Milestones of Child Development**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	Together we will explore the three Cognition and General Knowledge Strands: Learning About Mathematical Concepts; Learning About the World; and Learning about Families and Communities. As you learn more about these areas and their sub-strands, we will discuss what learning looks like for children at different developmental stages and concrete ideas to implement with children.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, October 21 6-7:30PM	VAITSN: Promoting Exploration and	Participants will explore the reasons toddlers and twos need opportunities to freely explore and discover their world. There will also	Zoom Meeting	











	<p>Discovery: Toddlers and Twos*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>be discussion and involvement with “loose parts.” This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 21</p> <p>6-7:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: It’s all about the Fit*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This training will encourage participants to consider their program’s environment and routines in relation to the individual needs and differences of the infants and/or toddlers in their care. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 21</p> <p>12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>Targeting Transitions**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Transitions happen all day so we want to make the most of them. Not only do we want transitions to be short and smooth, we want them to be another chance for children to be learning! Join this session to get tips on how to improve your transitions. This is a basic to intermediate session geared to preschool age teachers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: I, II, III, and VIII VA Competency Goal: I, II, V, and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, October 22</p> <p>11:30-12:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Director Forum: Inclusion Fusion*</p>	<p>The purpose of this training is to provide information on the benefits of inclusion and how to provide supportive, inclusive environments where all young children have opportunities to learn and grow. This session is geared towards those in management or leadership roles.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: IV Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Saturday, October 24</p> <p>9:30-10:30AM</p>	<p>Creating Meaningful Learning**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>In this training, we will discuss the aspects of interactions that create deeper thinking skills in young children, as well as language development. This workshop is geared towards teachers of 3-5 year old children.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: II and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	






<p>Monday, October 26 6-7:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Promoting Exploration and Discovery: Toddlers and Twos*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Participants will explore the reasons toddlers and twos need opportunities to freely explore and discover their world. There will also be discussion and involvement with “loose parts.” This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, October 27 6:30-8:30PM</p>	<p>Let's Get Pumped with Inexpensive Creative Movement Activities</p> <p><b>There is no cost for this training, but participants must have the required list of supplies to attend.</b></p>	<p>Come prepared for a mini workout to get your heart pumping with inexpensive do-it-yourself activities. Your students will really get a kick out of these learning activities that will cost you next to nothing! This workshop is geared towards teachers of preschool and school age children.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p> <p><b>Required supplies:</b> colored construction paper, clear contact paper or laminator w/ laminating sheets, scissors, markers or crayons, glue, three manila folders, 2 decks of homemade or purchased number cards (each deck has 4 sets of cards numbered from 1-12; use index cards if making yourself); several sets of homemade picture cards of fruits and vegetables (will be provided prior to the workshop)</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, October 27 1-2PM</p>	<p>Preventing Bullying through Teacher Interactions**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Focusing on positive teacher-child interactions, we as educators can take steps to prevent bullying in our classrooms and shape the future adults we want children to become. This workshop is geared towards teachers of 3-5 year old children.</p> <p>An article will be sent to you upon registration. Please read it before training so we can have deeper discussion about this topic.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, October 27 1-2PM</p>	<p>No More Letter of the Week**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Research has shown that focusing on a letter each week is an outdated practice and not as beneficial as we once thought. So then how should you teach children letters? This training will explore developmentally appropriate practices for teaching language and literacy skills. We will also look at best practices for teaching children about the alphabet without focusing on a weekly letter. The content of this training is geared towards teachers of preschool age children.</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p>	





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<p>Tuesday, October 27  <b>and</b>          Tuesday, November 3</p> <p>8:30-10:30AM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>VA ITSN          Infant and Toddler Endorsement          Course: <b>Module 4</b>,          Creating Appropriate Learning Environments*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p> <p><b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b></p>	<p>Participants will explore appropriate learning environments and how to maximize space as well as create a safe, nurturing environment. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III          VA Competency Goal: II</p> <p><b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR  <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a>, 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:ttusing@Va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@Va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday October 28</p> <p>1-2:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Promoting Exploration and Discovery: Toddlers and Twos*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Participants will explore the reasons toddlers and twos need opportunities to freely explore and discover their world. There will also be discussion and involvement with “loose parts.” This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II          VA Competency Goal: V          Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 28</p> <p>7-8PM</p>	<p>Especially for Early Childhood Teachers</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Join your Central Virginia Child Care Aware Specialists for an open discussion about your challenges and success of being an Early Childhood Educator. The agenda will be created by the participants. Technical Assistance will be offered and a listening ear. Be prepared to share and support in a respectful forum.</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, October 29</p> <p>1-2:00PM</p>	<p>Social Emotional Learning to Support Children’s Behavior**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded;          Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Dive into the Social Emotional Domain of the Virginia Milestones of Child Development. The Social Emotional Milestones look at children’s relationships with others, their self-concept, as well as how children regulate themselves and their emotions. Together we will connect and explore ways to apply the strands with children. Come prepared to share and collaboratively brainstorm ideas to use to meet your children’s needs. Must work with children 18-48 months.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	

		VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>		
Thursday, October 29 6:30-7:30PM	Play is Learning, Learning is Play**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	An unknowing observer might comment that the children in your classroom aren't learning anything – they're just playing. But through play, children can develop social and cognitive skills, mature emotionally, and gain the self-confidence required to engage in new experiences and environments. In this training we will discuss how we can facilitate learning as children play.  CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 Virginia Quality Committed to Quality Early Learning
Tuesday, November 3 1-2:30PM	VAITSN: Let Me Move, See Me Learn*  Cost: Grant funded	This workshop will provide ideas and strategies for creating environments that provide choices, are familiar and stable, invite freedom to move, are appropriately challenging, and enhance learning and development. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 VIRGINIA INFANT & TODDLER SPECIALIST NETWORK CHILDSAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE *Achieving Excellence in Early Care*
Tuesday, November 3 7-8:30PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 9 (Social) and the Family Questionnaires and the application to take the CDA Exam  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, October 27 <b>and</b> Tuesday, November 3 8:30-10:30AM  <b>Must attend both sessions!</b>	VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement Course: <b>Module 4,</b> Creating Appropriate Learning Environments*  Cost: Grant Funded	Participants will explore appropriate learning environments and how to maximize space as well as create a safe, nurturing environment. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II  <b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a> , 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 VIRGINIA INFANT & TODDLER SPECIALIST NETWORK CHILDSAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE *Achieving Excellence in Early Care*





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Wednesday, November 4 1-2PM	Simple Science to Spark Children's Curiosity**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	Science doesn't have to be complicated! This training will look at different ways you can easily incorporate scientific inquiry into your class to get children exploring, observing, and curious. The content of this training is geared towards preschool age children.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, November 4 12:30-1:30PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 11 (Families) and the Professional Philosophy Statement  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: IV VA Competency Goal: IV Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, November 4 12:30-1:30PM	Creating Meaningful Learning**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	In this training, we will discuss the aspects of interactions that create deeper thinking skills in young children, as well as language development. This workshop is geared towards teachers of 3-5 year old children.  CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: II and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Thursday, November 5 10-11:30AM	VAITSN: Smile and Mean It*  Cost: Grant Funded	Burnout is real. Explore what burnout looks like and feels like and how it can impact your interactions with peers, the children, and their families. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Thursday, November 5 10-11AM	Setting a Quality Improvement Plan**	Quality Improvement Plans spell out your program's vision for the future. They are put in place to help you achieve your goals and move	Zoom Meeting	






	<p>Cost: Grant Funded; <b>This session open to Virginia Quality participants only.</b></p>	<p>forward in the Virginia Quality levels. This webinar will give you more insight into creating QIPs and sticking with them.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: XII VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>Virginia Quality Committed to Quality Early Learning</p>
<p>Thursday, November 5 12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>Especially for Early Childhood Teachers</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Join your Central Virginia Child Care Aware Specialists for an open discussion about your challenges and success of being an Early Childhood Educator. The agenda will be created by the participants. Technical Assistance will be offered and a listening ear. Be prepared to share and support in a respectful forum.</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>ChildCare Aware OF VIRGINIA Virginia's most trusted child care resource.</p>
<p>Saturday, November 7 9-11AM</p>	<p>Trauma Responsive Care in Early Childhood Programs (Part II)</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>In this training, you will learn about the complex needs of childhood and the effects trauma may have when basic needs are not met; how to recognize the effects of trauma on classroom interactions and behaviors; everyday caregiver practices that may trigger trauma-reactions in children; to identify techniques and strategies for addressing and redirecting trauma behaviors, and ways to manage the behaviors of children who have experienced trauma.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: III and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>ChildCare Aware OF VIRGINIA Virginia's most trusted child care resource.</p>
<p>Monday, November 9 12:30-2PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Smile and Mean It*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Burnout is real. Explore what burnout looks like and feels like and how it can impact your interactions with peers, the children, and their families. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>VIRGINIA INFANT &amp; TODDLER SPECIALIST NETWORK CHILDSAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE "Achieving Excellence in Early Care"</p>





<p>Tuesday, November 10 <b>and</b> Wednesday, November 11</p> <p>12:30-1:30PM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>Strengthening Business Practices for <b>Family Day Homes***</b></p> <p>Module I: Budget, Projections, and Planning for Family Child Care</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>The purpose of this training is to strengthen child care providers' foundational knowledge of fiscal terms, concepts, and practices. It encourages providers to realize the importance of fiscal planning to the sustainability of their business operations. It provides tips and best practices to help break down fiscal processes into manageable steps.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: V VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:dbillups@childsavers.org">dbillups@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>Virginia's most trusted child care resource.</p>
<p>Tuesday, November 10</p> <p>1-2PM</p>	<p>Gross Motor Skills When Stuck Indoors**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Unpredictable weather patterns can make getting outside with children challenging. Come together with other teachers to explore different ideas to get children moving indoors with purposeful activities aligned to the Physical Development and Health Domain of the Virginia Milestones of Child Development. Must work with children 18-48 months.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>Committed to Quality Early Learning</p>
<p>Tuesday, November 10</p> <p>6-7:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Smile and Mean It*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Burnout is real. Explore what burnout looks like and feels like and how it can impact your interactions with peers, the children, and their families. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>CHILD SAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE "Achieving Excellence in Early Care"</p>
<p>Tuesday, November 10 <b>and</b> Tuesday, November 17</p> <p>8:30-10:30AM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement Course: <b>Module 5, Beyond Babble*</b></p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p> <p><b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b></p>	<p>This course identifies and supports development of language and communication skills in children birth – 3yrs of age. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II</p> <p><b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a>, 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>CHILD SAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE "Achieving Excellence in Early Care"</p>
<p>Wednesday, November 11</p> <p>6-7:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Let Me Move, See Me Learn*</p>	<p>This workshop will provide ideas and strategies for creating environments that provide choices, are familiar and stable, invite freedom to move, are appropriately challenging, and enhance learning</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p>	 <p>CHILD SAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE "Achieving Excellence in Early Care"</p>






	Cost: Grant funded	and development. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Wednesday, November 11  12-2 PM	Subsidy Program Orientation  Cost: Grant Funded	This orientation session is recommended for individuals/programs interested in the VDSS Subsidy Vendor Program to learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you, such as Child Care Aware of Virginia's technical assistance and training programs, in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS).  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 Virginia's most trusted child care resource.
Wednesday, November 11  12:30-1:30PM	F.R.I.E.N.D.S.**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	Intentional interactions are vital in early childhood classrooms. We'll discuss the positive impacts on student learning and your workday as we review strategies to <b>F</b> acilitate, <b>R</b> elate, <b>I</b> nspire, <b>E</b> ngage, <b>N</b> urture, and <b>D</b> esign children's <b>S</b> uccess. Participants working in a classroom rather than virtually meeting with children will most benefit from this session. Please come prepared to share, brainstorm, and reflect on your teaching style.  CDA Competency Goals: I, II, III and VIII VA Competency Goals: II, V, and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 Committed to Quality Early Learning
Thursday, November 12  1-2:30PM	VA ITSN: Inclusion Fusion*  Cost: Grant Funded	The purpose of this training is to provide information on the benefits of inclusion and how to provide supportive, inclusive environments where all young children have opportunities to learn and grow. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 CHILDSAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE "Achieving Excellence in Early Care"
Thursday, November 12  1-2PM	Reading WITH (not to) Children**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	When should you start reading with children? When they are born! This training will review the importance of reading with children, while also diving into different strategies to use when reading with children of different ages. We will look at how bring some spark to your everyday story time by making it interactive and fun for everyone involved!  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 Committed to Quality Early Learning











<p>Thursday, November 12 12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>CDA Class</p> <p>Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants</p> <p><b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b></p>	<p>Chapter 9 (Social) and the Family Questionnaires and the application to take the CDA Exam</p> <p>Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, November 12 6:30-7:30PM</p>	<p>Play is Learning, Learning is Play**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>An unknowing observer might comment that the children in your classroom aren't learning anything – they're just playing. But through play, children can develop social and cognitive skills, mature emotionally, and gain the self-confidence required to engage in new experiences and environments. In this training we will discuss how we can facilitate learning as children play.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, November 12 12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>Infant Social and Emotional Development: Reality Bites**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants</p>	<p>As early educators, we understand that biting is a common and age appropriate behavior seen from the children in our care. But, that doesn't make dealing with it and reducing the behavior any easier. During this sessions we will explore biting from a variety of perspectives, understand what it at the core of the behavior, and develop tools to address the behavior while working with the families of the children in your care to reach a resolution meeting the needs of all parties involved.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: I, II, III, IV, and V VA Competency Goal: I, II, III, IV, and V Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, November 12 10-11AM</p>	<p>Virginia Quality Overview**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Curious about joining Virginia Quality? This information session offers an overview of the benefits of participation, and how it will help recognize your program for the quality services you provide to the children in your care.</p> <p>Note: <b>This information session is intended for non-Virginia Quality participants.</b> Certificates will not be issued for attendance.</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	






<p>Monday, November 16 6-7PM</p>	<p>Quality Interactions with Infants and Toddlers**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Quality teacher-child interactions are the building blocks of every child's learning experience, especially for our littlest ones. This workshop will share best practice techniques to increase the quality of your classroom interactions as we examine the importance they play in your daily routine.  CDA Competency Goal: III and VI VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Monday, November 16 12:30-2PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Smile and Mean It*  Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Burnout is real. Explore what burnout looks like and feels like and how it can impact your interactions with peers, the children, and their families. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, November 17 6:30-7:30PM</p>	<p>Preventing Bullying through Teacher Interactions**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Focusing on positive teacher-child interactions, we as educators can take steps to prevent bullying in our classrooms and shape the future adults we want children to become. This workshop is geared towards teachers of 3-5 year old children.  An article will be sent to you upon registration. Please read it before training so we can have deeper discussion about this topic.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, November 17 6:30-8PM</p>	<p>CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b></p>	<p>Chapter 9 (Social) and the CDA Resource Items  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, November 17 3-4:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Let Me Move, See Me Learn*  Cost: Grant funded</p>	<p>This workshop will provide ideas and strategies for creating environments that provide choices, are familiar and stable, invite freedom to move, are appropriately challenging, and enhance learning and development. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p>	





		<p>CDA Competency Goal: II          VA Competency Goal: II          Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, November 17  <b>and</b>          Wednesday, November 18</p> <p>12:30-1:30PM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>Strengthening Business Practices for <b>Family Day Homes</b>**</p> <p>Module II: Financial Reports and Internal Controls</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>The purpose of this training is to strengthen child care providers' foundational knowledge of fiscal terms, concepts, and practices. It encourages providers to realize the importance of fiscal planning to the sustainability of their business, and it provides tips and best practices to help break down fiscal processes into manageable steps.</p> <p>CDA Competency: V          VA Competency: VII          Registration: <a href="mailto:dbillups@childsavers.org">dbillups@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, November 18</p> <p>12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>Encouraging Children's Engagement**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>We'll discuss ways you can boost students' involvement, interest, and opportunities to learn during your everyday activities. This is a basic to intermediate session geared to preschool age teachers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goals: I, II, III, and VIII          VA Competency Goals: II, V, and VI          Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, November 18</p> <p>1-2PM</p>	<p>Teaching Children about Race and Diversity**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Children begin to notice race at a very young age, and by 2 ½ years old most children use race to choose playmates. As educators, it is our job to help children better understand others and the world around them. In this session we will discuss why it is important to talk about race and diversity with young children. We will also look at different ways you can start to teach children about race and diversity. Must work with children 18-48 months.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III          VA Competency Goal: II          Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, November 18</p> <p>6:30-8:30PM</p>	<p>Subsidy Program Orientation</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This orientation session is recommended for individuals/programs interested in the VDSS Subsidy Vendor Program to learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you, such as Child Care Aware of Virginia's technical assistance and training programs, in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS).</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	

<p>Thursday, November 19 7-8PM</p>	<p>Especially for Early Childhood Teachers  Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Join your Central Virginia Child Care Aware Specialists for an open discussion about your challenges and success of being an Early Childhood Educator. The agenda will be created by the participants. Technical Assistance will be offered and a listening ear. Be prepared to share and support in a respectful forum.  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Saturday, November 21 9:30-10:30AM</p>	<p>Emotionally Supportive Interactions**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>In this training we will discuss the pillars of supporting children emotionally through positive interactions. We will discuss examples and share how we can maintain emotional supportive positive interactions. This workshop is geared towards teachers of 3-5 year old children.  CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Monday, November 23 1-2PM</p>	<p>Virginia Quality Overview**  Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Curious about joining Virginia Quality? This information session offers an overview of the benefits of participation, and how it will help recognize your program for the quality services you provide to the children in your care.  <b>Note: This information session is intended for non-Virginia Quality participants.</b> Certificates will not be issued for attendance.  Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, November 24 <b>and</b> Tuesday, December 1 8:30-10:30AM  <b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement Course: <b>Module 6, Health Screening*</b>  Cost: Grant Funded  <b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b></p>	<p>Participants will learn early childcare environment health and safety practices regarding daily health observations, OSHA, reporting diseases, etc. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: I VA Competency Goal: I  <b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a>, 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:nalexander@va-itsnetwork.org">nalexander@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, December 1 9:30-11AM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Step Out of the Box with Blocks!*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Is your block shelf turned to the wall so children cannot access blocks? Does your block area need some pizzazz? Come participate in this training for fun and new ideas. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal II</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p>	





		VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, December 1  7-8:30PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 10 (Guidance) and the CDA Observation  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, December 1  1-2PM	Fine Arts Beyond Arts and Crafts**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	The Fine Arts domain of the Virginia Milestones of Child Development includes Dance Arts, Music, Theater Arts, and Visual Arts. The arts are integral to nurturing children's imagination and creative expression. We will discuss how to integrate the fine arts disciplines into your daily activities to enhance children's experiences while also having fun. Must work with children 18-48 months.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 Committed to Quality Early Learning
Tuesday, December 1  6-7:30PM	VAITSN: Step Out of the Box with Blocks!*  Cost: Grant Funded	Is your block shelf turned to the wall so children cannot access blocks? Does your block area need some pizzazz? Come participate in this training for fun and new ideas. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 VIRGINIA INFANT & TODDLER SPECIALIST NETWORK CHILDSAVERS CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE *Achieving Excellence in Early Care*
Wednesday, December 2  12:30-1:30PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 12 (Program Management) and the Family Questionnaires and the application to take the CDA Exam  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: V VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Thursday, December 3	CDA Orientation for New Students	A Child Development Associate credential is a nationally recognized credential that will help you strengthen your skills and further your	Zoom Meeting	





7-8PM	No cost is associated with this orientation.	<p>career as an early childhood educator. This informative orientation session will review the process and requirements for earning your CDA through ChildSavers.</p> <p><b>Attendance is mandatory at an orientation before enrollment can occur.</b></p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, December 3</p> <p>1-2PM</p>	<p>No More Letter of the Week**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Research has shown that focusing on a letter each week is an outdated practice and not as beneficial as we once thought. So then how should you teach children letters? This training will explore developmentally appropriate practices for teaching language and literacy skills. We will also look at best practices for teaching children about the alphabet without focusing on a weekly letter. The content of this training is geared towards preschool age children.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Saturday, December 5</p> <p>9:30-10:30AM</p>	<p>Play is Learning, Learning is Play**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>An unknowing observer might comment that the children in your classroom aren't learning anything – they're just playing. But through play, children can develop social and cognitive skills, mature emotionally, and gain the self-confidence required to engage in new experiences and environments. In this training we will discuss how we can facilitate learning as children play.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, December 8</p> <p>6-7:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Early Math*</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This workshop will provide participants with information on early math concepts and discuss how to incorporate those concepts into daily routines, activities, and play for infants and toddlers. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, December 8 <b>and</b> Tuesday, December 15</p>	<p>VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement</p>	<p>Participants will explore strategies to follow to help ensure infants and toddlers in your care are safe from injury. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p>	



<p>8:30-10:30AM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>Course: <b>Module 7, Preventing Injuries*</b></p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p> <p><b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b></p>	<p>CDA Competency Goal: I VA Competency Goal: II</p> <p><b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a>, 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org">ttusing@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, December 8</p> <p>6:30-8:30PM</p>	<p>Subsidy Program Orientation</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This orientation session is recommended for individuals/programs interested in the VDSS Subsidy Vendor Program to learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you, such as Child Care Aware of Virginia's technical assistance and training programs, in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS).</p> <p>Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Tuesday, December 8 <b>and</b> Wednesday, December 9</p> <p>12:30-1:30PM</p> <p><b>Must attend both sessions!</b></p>	<p>Strengthening Business Practices for <b>Family Day Homes***</b></p> <p>Module III: Marketing Your Program</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>The purpose of this training is to strengthen child care providers' understanding of marketing tools, audiences, and elements necessary to develop a marketing plan. It encourages providers to tailor marketing practices to the audience they are trying to reach and to develop effective communication strategies to promote their services.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: V VA Competency Goal: VII Registration: <a href="mailto:dbillups@childsavers.org">dbillups@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, December 9</p> <p>1-2PM</p>	<p>F.R.I.E.N.D.S**</p> <p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Intentional interactions are vital in early childhood classrooms. We'll discuss the positive impacts on student learning and your workday as we review strategies to <b>F</b>acilitate, <b>R</b>elate, <b>I</b>nspire, <b>E</b>ngage, <b>N</b>urture, and <b>D</b>esign children's <b>S</b>uccess. Participants working in a classroom rather than virtually meeting with children will most benefit from this session. Please come prepared to share, brainstorm, and reflect on your teaching style.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goals: I, II, III and VIII VA Competency Goals: II, V, and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, December 9</p> <p>6-7PM</p>	<p>Infant Social and Emotional Development: Can You "Spoil" an Infant? **</p>	<p>We've all heard someone say, <i>If you keep picking the baby up every time she cries, you're going to spoil her.</i> But the real question is: Can you spoil an infant? What happens to our children when we respond to their needs immediately and what happens when we delay our responses? During this training we will address all of these questions and many</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p>	

	<p>Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants</p>	<p>more. We will work collaboratively by sharing our experiences and by diving into the social and emotional development of the infant and how we can best support them as caregivers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: II, III, and IV VA Competency Goal: II and VI Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, December 9 1-2:30PM</p>	<p>VAITSN: Early Math* Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This workshop will provide participants with information on early math concepts and discuss how to incorporate those concepts into daily routines, activities, and play for infants and toddlers. This training is geared for those who work with infants and toddlers.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, December 9 1-2PM</p>	<p>Simple Science to Spark Children's Curiosity** Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>Science doesn't have to be complicated! This training will look at different ways you can easily incorporate scientific inquiry into your class to get children exploring, observing, and curious. The content of this training is geared towards preschool age children.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Wednesday, December 9 2-3PM</p>	<p>Requesting Virginia Quality Technical Assistance – What Is It and Why Do I Need It? ** Cost: Grant Funded; <b>This session open to Virginia Quality participants only.</b></p>	<p>As a Virginia Quality provider, you are eligible to receive free technical assistance on your environment (using the Environmental Rating Scale), teacher-child interactions (using the CLASS tool), and curriculum (as it relates to the Virginia Milestones of Child Development). This webinar will discuss the process of requesting this support and why it is a great free resource for your program.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: VI VA Competency Goal: VIII Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	
<p>Thursday, December 10 12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>CDA Class Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants</p>	<p>Chapter 10 (Guidance) and the CDA Observation</p> <p>Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.</p> <p>CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting</p> <p>Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p> <p>Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	



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Saturday, December 12 9:30-10:30AM	Books to Expand the World**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.	In this training we will discuss the benefits of exposing children to the bigger world through books. We will talk about where to look for books and how to talk about them with young children.  CDA Competency Goal: II and III VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	 Committed to Quality Early Learning
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<p>Tuesday, December 15 1-2PM</p>	<p>Reading WITH (not to) Children**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for non-Virginia Quality participants.</p>	<p>When should you start reading with children? When they are born! This training will review the importance of reading with children, while also diving into different strategies to use when reading with children of different ages. We will look at how bring some spark to your everyday story time by making it interactive and fun for everyone involved!  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>Virginia Quality Committed to Quality Early Learning</p>
<p>Tuesday, December 15 6:30-8PM</p>	<p>CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b></p>	<p>Chapter 10 (Guidance) and the CDA Competency Statements  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: VI Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>ChildSavers</p>
<p>Tuesday, December 15 12-2PM</p>	<p>Subsidy Program Orientation  Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>This orientation session is recommended for individuals/programs interested in the VDSS Subsidy Vendor Program to learn about the application process, all program requirements, and resources available to assist you, such as Child Care Aware of Virginia's technical assistance and training programs, in collaboration with the Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS).  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>ChildCare Aware OF VIRGINIA Virginia's most trusted child care resource.</p>
<p>Thursday, December 17 7-8PM</p>	<p>Especially for Early Childhood Teachers  Cost: Grant Funded</p>	<p>Join your Central Virginia Child Care Aware Specialists for an open discussion about your challenges and success of being an Early Childhood Educator. The agenda will be created by the participants. Technical Assistance will be offered and a listening ear. Be prepared to share and support in a respectful forum.  Registration: <a href="mailto:pkoon@childsavers.org">pkoon@childsavers.org</a></p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session</p>	 <p>ChildCare Aware OF VIRGINIA Virginia's most trusted child care resource.</p>
<p>Thursday, December 17 12:30-1:30PM</p>	<p>Early Math for Toddlers**  Cost: Grant Funded; Space is limited for</p>	<p>Whether you love math or not, you can help stimulate an interest in math for the little ones in your care. How do we as caregivers nurture and facilitate a toddlers developing interest in mathematical topics and concepts? In this training we will identify strategies to support you in introducing early math content and processes to toddlers in your care.</p>	<p>Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.</p>	 <p>Virginia Quality Committed to Quality Early Learning</p>

	non-Virginia Quality participants	CDA Competency Goal: II VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:training@childsavers.org">training@childsavers.org</a>	Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Tuesday, December 22 <b>and</b> Tuesday, December 29  8:30-10:30 AM  <b>Must attend both sessions!</b>	VA ITSN Infant and Toddler Endorsement Course: <b>Module 8, Guiding Behaviors*</b>  Cost: Grant Funded  <b>There are a total of 12 Modules for completion to earn the Endorsement.</b>	This course is designed to identify the behavioral characteristics and temperaments of infants and toddlers. We will define the difference between guidance and punishment and learn age appropriate strategies. This endorsement is for those who teach infants and toddlers.  CDA Competency Goal: III VA Competency Goal: II  <b>Paperwork must be completed in advance</b> by contacting Mary Sheldon, Professional Development Coordinator, CDR <a href="mailto:marys@cdr.org">marys@cdr.org</a> , 757-378-3172 or <a href="mailto:ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org">ebullen@va-itsnetwork.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	
Thursday, December 31  6:30-8PM	CDA Class  Cost: \$10 for Virginia Quality Participants, \$20 for non-Virginia Quality Participants  <b>Payment for attendance must be received prior to class.</b>	Chapter 3 (Learning Environment) and the CDA Philosophy Statement  Participants must have attended an orientation prior to attending class.  CDA Competency Goal: I VA Competency Goal: V Registration: <a href="mailto:ckern@childsavers.org">ckern@childsavers.org</a>	Zoom Meeting  Capability to connect to Zoom with a web camera and microphone is required for participation.  Log in information will be provided prior to date of session	

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**For trainings associated with a fee, payment is due at the time of registration.**