



Dear Interested Parties,

EEC is pleased to invite providers, early childhood administrators and educators, licensees and all others interested in participating in a meeting at one of the local Massachusetts' Community Colleges (dates and locations below) to hear more about the new regulations that will be promulgated in January, 2010.

The new regulations seek to make the most of the critical early years of development and are in the best interests of high quality care for children. These requirements, which were passed after a thorough public review throughout the state, are part of a larger emphasis on early education and the connection between early learning and later success in school.

Each two hour session is focused on the changes in regulations for *either* center-based child care or family child care. We hope you can join us to hear more about the proposed regulations and the resources available to help programs comply with the new requirements.

October 21, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

MassBay Community College
19 Flagg Drive Framingham, MA 01702
Framingham Campus Auditorium

<http://www.massbay.edu/AboutUs/CampusLocations/DrivingDirections.aspx>

October 21, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

MassBay Community College
19 Flagg Drive Framingham, MA 01702
Framingham Campus Auditorium

<http://www.massbay.edu/AboutUs/CampusLocations/DrivingDirections.aspx>

October 24, 2009 (11:00-1:00)

Center-based Child Care

Fitchburg State College
160 Pearl St., Fitchburg MA 01420
Kent Recital Hall

<http://www.fsc.edu/aboutus/directions/>

October 24, 2009 (1:30-3:30)

Family Child Care

Fitchburg State College
160 Pearl St., Fitchburg MA 01420
Kent Recital Hall

<http://www.fsc.edu/aboutus/directions/>

November 7, 2009 (11:00-1:00 PM)

Center-based Child Care

Berkshire Community College
1350 West St, Pittsfield, MA 01201-5786
Rm. Koussevitzky 111

<http://www.berkshirecc.edu/MapsDirections>

November 7, 2009 (1:30-3:30 PM)

Family Child Care

Berkshire Community College
1350 West St, Pittsfield, MA 01201-5786
Rm. Koussevitzky 111

<http://www.berkshirecc.edu/MapsDirections>

November 9, 2009 (4:30-6:30)

Center-based Child Care

Mount Wachusett Community College
444 Green St., Gardner, MA 01440-1000
South Cafeteria

<http://www.mwcc.edu/info/locations.html>

November 9, 2009 (7:00-9:00)

Family Child Care

Mount Wachusett Community College
444 Green St., Gardner, MA 01440-1000
South Cafeteria

<http://www.mwcc.edu/info/locations.html>

November 12, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Greenfield Community College
One College Drive, Greenfield, Massachusetts 01301-9739
EAST Building, Rooms 154/147

<http://www.gcc.mass.edu/maps/>

November 12, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Greenfield Community College
One College Drive, Greenfield, Massachusetts 01301-9739
EAST Building, Rooms 154/147

<http://www.gcc.mass.edu/maps/>

November 18, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Attleboro High School Auditorium
100 Rathbun Willard Drive
Attleboro, MA 02703

<http://www.attleboroschools.com/apssite/directions.html>

November 18, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Attleboro High School Auditorium
100 Rathbun Willard Drive
Attleboro, MA 02703

<http://www.attleboroschools.com/apssite/directions.html>

November 21, 2009 (9:00-11:00)

Center-based Child Care

North Shore Community College
300 Broad Street, Lynn, MA 01901
McGee Building, MBTA Building Room 102
<http://www.northshore.edu/directions/>

November 21, 2009 (11:30-1:30)

Family Child Care

North Shore Community College
300 Broad Street, Lynn, MA 01901
McGee Building, MBTA Building Room 102
<http://www.northshore.edu/directions/>

November 30, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Wheelock College, Brookline Campus
43 Hawes St. Brookline, MA 02446
Ladd room
<http://www2.wheelock.edu/wheelock/x639.xml>

November 30, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Wheelock College, Brookline Campus
43 Hawes St. Brookline, MA 02446
Ladd room
<http://www2.wheelock.edu/wheelock/x639.xml>

December 3, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Bristol Community College
777 Elsbree Street, Fall River, MA 02720
Building G, The Atrium
<http://www.bristolcc.edu/About/directions.cfm>

December 3, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Bristol Community College
777 Elsbree Street, Fall River, MA 02720
Building G, The Atrium
<http://www.bristolcc.edu/About/directions.cfm>

December 8, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Holyoke Community College
303 Homestead Ave
Holyoke, MA 01040
Kittredge Center for Business & Workforce Development
<http://www.hcc.edu/about/around.html>

December 8, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Holyoke Community College
303 Homestead Ave
Holyoke, MA 01040
Kittredge Center for Business & Workforce Development
<http://www.hcc.edu/about/around.html>

December 9, 2009 (5:00-7:00 PM) *Please note this time change.*

Center-based Child Care

South Lawrence East School
165 Crawford St.
Lawrence, MA 01843
http://www.lawrence.k12.ma.us/about_schools.htm

December 10, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Massasoit Community College
770 Crescent Street, Brockton, Ma. 02302
Conference Center
http://www.massasoit.mass.edu/conference_center/directions.cfm

December 10, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Massasoit Community College
770 Crescent Street, Brockton, Ma. 02302
Conference Center
http://www.massasoit.mass.edu/conference_center/directions.cfm

December 14, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Quinsigamond Community College
670 West Boylston Street, Worcester, MA 01606-2092
Auditorium
http://www.qcc.edu/pages/Campus_Map.html

December 14, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Quinsigamond Community College
670 West Boylston Street, Worcester, MA 01606-2092
Auditorium
http://www.qcc.edu/pages/Campus_Map.html

December 16, 2009 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Wheelock College, Brookline Campus
43 Hawes St. Brookline, MA 02446
Ladd room
<http://www2.wheelock.edu/wheelock/x639.xml>

December 16, 2009 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Wheelock College, Brookline Campus
43 Hawes St. Brookline, MA 02446
Ladd room
<http://www2.wheelock.edu/wheelock/x639.xml>

January 7, 2010 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Child Care Network
115 Enterprise Road
Hyannis, MA 02601

<http://www.childcarenetwork.cc>

January 7, 2010 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Child Care Network
115 Enterprise Road
Hyannis, MA 02601

<http://www.childcarenetwork.cc>

January 13, 2010 (4:00-6:00)

Center-based Child Care

Bunker Hill Community College
250 New Rutherford Ave
Boston, Massachusetts 02129-2925
A300 Auditorium

<http://www.bhcc.mass.edu/inside/494>

January 13, 2010 (6:30-8:30)

Family Child Care

Bunker Hill Community College
250 New Rutherford Ave
Boston, Massachusetts 02129-2925
A300 Auditorium

<http://www.bhcc.mass.edu/inside/494>