INFANT & EARLY CHILDHOOD MENTAL HEALTH

Certificate Program

A project of the Taghi Modarressi Center for Infant Study









LOCATION:

University of Maryland, Baltimore Health and Human Services Library

Parking vouchers will be provided Registration begins at 8:30 Trainings are 9:00 - 5:00 (Breakfast & lunch provided)

Setting the Stage for IECMH October 19, 2018

Assessment & Diagnosis Part I November 16, 2018

Assessment & Diagnosis Part II
December 21, 2018

Engaging Families & Communities in IECMH January 18, 2019

Treatment of Parent-Child Relationships February 15, 2019

Treatment of Regulation
Problems in Early Childhood
March 15, 2019

Treatment of Trauma in Early
Childhood
April 19, 2019

Integrating IECMH into Child & Family Systems May 17, 2019

ABOUT INFANT & EARLY CHILDHOOD MENTAL HEALTH (IECMH):

Infant and early childhood mental health (IECMH) is a broad-based, interdisciplinary field that focuses on the social and emotional development and well-being of infants and young children within the context of their early relationships, family, community and culture. IECMH is a family-centered, trauma-informed, strengths and outcomes-based collaborative approach.

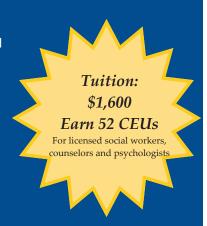
Our certificate program aims to advance the quality of mental health services for infants and young children in the context of their earliest relationships. Participants have the opportunity to learn directly from faculty and leaders in the field of infant and early childhood mental health from Kennedy Krieger Institute, Georgetown University, Johns Hopkins University & the University of Maryland.

Recent research has found that experiences in a child's first three years significantly influence a child's ability to learn, cope and establish healthy relationships throughout life. Research has also identified factors that put infants at risk and has demonstrated the effectiveness of early intervention with infants and toddlers as well as the importance of working to develop the capacities of caregivers and their families.

WHO ATTENDS?

This certificate program is designed for a broad range of masters-level, front-line service providers, supervisors and agency leadership, working in a variety of community- based and institutional settings, including:

- Child Protection. Welfare & Foster Care
- Workers and Administrators
- Early Childhood Educators
- Early Interventionists (OTs, PTs, SLPs)
- Mental Health Providers (including counselors, social workers, psychologists, psychiatrists & NPs)
- Primary Care Providers



For more information or to apply contact Kay Connors at 410-328-3522 or kconnors@som.umaryland.edu.

Applicants will be selected on the basis of their work history and commitment to the field. Priority application deadline is

September 14, 2018. We will continue to accept applications after the deadline if space is available.