



Child Care Enhancement Program

Preparing Infants and Toddlers for School and Life Success!



Is CCEP For Me?

- Are you a **RELATIVE CARE PROVIDER** or **DAY CARE AIDE** enrolled with the Michigan Department of Human Services (DHS)?
 - Do you care for an infant or toddler (birth to 36 months)?
- Is the child's behavior upsetting or hard to handle? Does it worry you?



If you answered yes to the questions above, check out the Child Care Enhancement Program (CCEP).

What is CCEP?

CCEP is a free, confidential consultation service. CCEP consultants assist parents and childcare providers with ways to help infants and toddlers with behavior problems (for example, a 9-month old who cries and can't be calmed or a two-year old who bites a lot).

How Does CCEP Work?

Parents and providers can talk with CCEP consultants over the phone or by email to get answers to questions about the child's behavior. You don't even need to identify yourself.

OR

Parents and providers can ask the consultant to meet with them to figure out what is causing the child's problem behavior. Then the consultant can show them ways to help the child. The consultant will not label the child. The consultant's job is to help you help the child.

OR

Providers can attend "get-togethers" with other relative care providers and day care aides. At "get-togethers," everyone shares ideas about handling problem behaviors and guiding children to manage their feelings and get along with others. Young children need to learn these skills so they will be ready for school.

Prizes are raffled off at each get-together.

Why Should I Call CCEP Right Now?

Problem behaviors can get in the way of learning. The sooner we find out what is causing a problem behavior, the easier it is to help the child. Then the child can get back to his "job" - playing and learning!

See Page Two for a CCEP Project in Your Area!
or call 1-877-61GREATSTART





CCEP Project Contact List

CCEP – CENTRAL REGION

Clinton-Eaton-Ingham Community Mental Health

Barry Kaufman, 517/887-5259

kaufman@ceicmh.org

Clare, Clinton, Eaton, Gladwin, Gratiot, Ingham,
Ionia, Isabella, Midland, Shiawassee

CCEP – EASTERN REGION

North

Saginaw Co. Community Mental Health Authority

Nicole Jeavons, 989/797-3487

njeavons@sccmha.org

Arenac, Bay, Huron, Saginaw, Sanilac, Tuscola

South

Genesee Co. Community Mental Health

June Hall, 810/257-3676

jhall@gencmh.org

Genesee, Lapeer, St. Clair

CCEP – NORTHEAST REGION

Pine Rest Northern Michigan Services - a contract agency of the Northern Lakes Community Mental Health Authority

Rene' Beyette, 231/947-2255 ext. 8145

rene.beyette@pinerest.org

Alcona, Alpena, Cheboygan, Crawford, Iosco,
Montmorency, Ogemaw, Oscoda, Otsego,
Presque Isle, Roscommon

CCEP – NORTHWEST REGION

Pine Rest Northern Michigan Services - a contract agency of the Northern Lakes Community Mental Health Authority

Rene' Beyette, 231/947-2255 ext. 8145

rene.beyette@pinerest.org

Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse,
Kalkaska, Leelanau, Manistee, Missaukee, Wexford

CCEP – OAKLAND-MACOMB REGION

Macomb Co. Community Mental Health

Pam Pitlanish, 586/466-6912

pam.pitlanish@mccmh.net

Macomb, Oakland

CCEP – SOUTHEAST REGION

Monroe Co. Community Mental Health Authority

Susan Revels, 734/384-8760

srevels@monroecmha.org

Hillsdale, Jackson, Lenawee, Livingston, Monroe, Washtenaw

CCEP – SOUTHWEST REGION

Community Healing Center - a contract agency of Kalamazoo Co. Community Mental Health

Sharyl St. John, 269/343-1651 ext. 155

sstjohn@chcmi.org

Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Branch, Calhoun, Cass,
Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, Van Buren

CCEP – UPPER PENINSULA REGION

Copper Country Community Mental Health

Angie Van Tassel, 906/482-4880

angie@theinst.org

Alger, Baraga, Chippewa, Delta, Dickinson, Gogebic,
Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw, Luce, Mackinac, Marquette,
Menominee, Ontonagon, Schoolcraft

CCEP – WAYNE REGION

***The Guidance Center:** A Circle of Caring

Emily Kleinglass, 734/785-7705 ext. 7220

ekleinglass@guidance-center.org

Downriver Area and Southwestern Wayne County

***Development Centers, Inc.:** Care Connections

Lynnell Morrison, 313/531-2500 ext. 2125

lmorrison@develctr.org

Western Wayne County and Northwest Detroit

***Southwest Counseling Solutions:** Child Care Solutions

Rosalva Osorio, 313/963-2266

rosorio@swsol.org

Eastside and Southwest Detroit

*a contract agency of Detroit-Wayne County CMH

CCEP – WESTERN REGION

Arbor Circle – a contract agency of network180

Ruth DeRuiter, 616/456-6571 ext. 1327

rderuiter@arborcircle.org

Kent, Lake, Mason, Mecosta, Montcalm, Muskegon,
Newaygo, Oceana, Osceola, Ottawa

