

New Hampshire's Most Trusted Child Care Resource

2025-2026 Trainings At-a-Glance

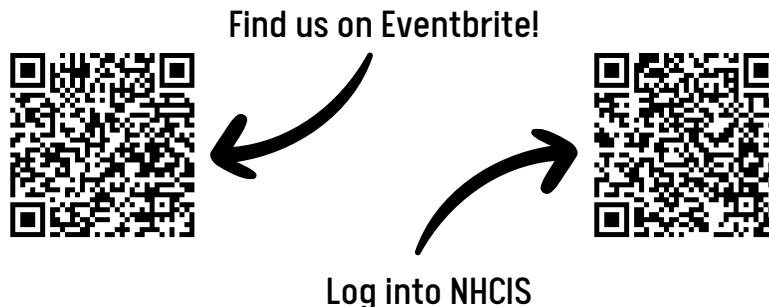


Hello and Welcome!

Welcome to the 2025-2026 Child Care Aware of NH Trainings At-a-Glance Calendar, your go-to resource for discovering a wide array of training opportunities! Here, you can quickly glance through the various training sessions and professional development opportunities offered through Child Care Aware of NH. This calendar is released on a quarterly basis. We believe in fostering continuous growth and learning within the early childhood education community, and this calendar is designed to make the process of finding and registering for our events seamless.

The best part is that all the events listed in this calendar are clickable! By simply clicking on any event, you will be directed to either the NHCIS login page or Eventbrite, where you can access more detailed information and secure your spot in a training. Please note that events such as our conference, and Annual Celebration of NH Early Childhood Professionals can be found on the [Child Care Aware of NH Eventbrite](#) page.

If you have any questions or need assistance, our team is here to support you. Feel free to reach out to us at [**\(603\) 578-1386**](tel:6035781386) ext. 2526 and ext. 2532. We're thrilled to have you join us on this rewarding learning adventure!



Registering in NHCIS

For a smooth experience, we recommend using Google Chrome or Firefox when logging in to your NHCIS account.

1. Login to your NHCIS account
2. Click on the **Professional Development** tile
3. On the menu on the left, click **"Find Trainings"**
4. You can view trainings in three (3) formats: by list, week, or month
5. On the right, next to the training listed, click on **"View Details"**
6. On the bottom right, click the button that says **"Register"**
7. If the training is offered multiple times, please click on **"Sessions"** to register for your intended date

If you are unable to attend a training for which you registered, please follow the above directions and click the button that says **"Withdraw."**

If you need assistance logging into your NHCIS account, please give us a call at [**855-393-1731**](tel:8553931731) ext. 2532.

Types of Professional Development Opportunities



Virtual Learning Communities

Formerly known as Collaboratives, our Early Childhood Virtual Learning Communities (VLC) are designed for Directors, Administrators, Teachers, and other Early Childhood Professionals and are offered on a monthly basis, September through June. These meetings are carefully crafted to cater to your specific needs and interests. Our main goal is to provide you with valuable information on the topics that matter most to you.

During these virtual learning communities, you'll have the opportunity to engage with like-minded professionals, sharing insights and best practices to enhance your skills and expertise. Our commitment goes beyond just enhancing your professional growth; we strive to foster a strong sense of community by providing you with essential local and state information through valuable partnerships with community organizations.

Infant and Toddler

Nurture infants' and toddlers' development through shared knowledge, expertise, and resources.

1st Tuesday, 6:00-7:30 PM

Family Engagement & Communication

Foster strong family and community ties in early childhood settings.

1st Wednesday, 1:00-2:30 PM

Preschool

Enhance preschoolers' care and learning through shared knowledge, expertise, and resources.

3rd Wednesday, 6:00-7:30 PM

Business Management Practices

Enhance business practices with shared tools and strategic solutions.

2nd Tuesday, 6:00-7:30 PM

Directors Speak

Strengthen administrative practices, elevating program efficiency and quality.

3rd Monday, 9:30-10:30 AM

Family Child Care

Supporting family child care educators, enriching home-based early childhood environments.

2nd Thursday, 6:00-7:30 PM

Social Emotional Topics

Explore various facets of social-emotional development in early childhood settings.

3rd Monday, 6:00-7:30 PM

Revive & Thrive

Empower providers to prioritize well-being through self-care strategies and reflection.

4th Wednesday, 6:00-7:30 PM

Specials

Child Care Aware of New Hampshire offers virtual multi-part training series for in-depth professional development on key topics. We also host in-person Special Events—including our Annual Conference and summits focused on leadership, infant toddler care, and family child care—that provide focused learning and networking opportunities. Whether virtual or in-person, our trainings support your growth and success in early childhood education.

Registration for the annual conference is online through [Eventbrite](#).

*The **NH Cares Scholarship** is awarded to New Hampshire child care providers who are currently working 30 hours per week or more in a licensed program. This scholarship will cover the total fee to attend designated Child Care Aware of New Hampshire hosted conferences, specials, and training sessions, giving child care providers the benefit to attend and earn professional development hours at no-cost.*

Registration is online through the [NHCIS Training Tile](#). Subscribe to our [newsletter](#) to receive Monthly VLCs Topics.

Upcoming Professional Development Specials

Beyond Limits: Celebrating Children's Diverse Abilities Series

Beginning Thursday, January 15th, 2026

A 5-part training series on inclusive education, focusing on Universal Design for Learning, educator resources, and building strong family partnerships to support diverse abilities and unique health needs in early childhood settings.

Registration is required through the [NHCIS Training Tile](#).

Successful Director Cohort

Meeting on Thursday evenings 2 times a month.
Beginning Thursday, January 7th, 2026

This cohort is designed for new directors and family child care providers who want to build a strong foundation in business practices that support stability and growth. This four-month series (14 total hours of PD) explores key business systems through a 2-hour foundational training and a 1.5-hour expert session each month.

Complete the [application](#) to be considered to join.



2026 CPR/First Aid Trainings for NH Providers

Registration will open on the first day of the month prior of the training date.

No fee to attend.

Registration is required through the [NHCIS Training Tile](#).





On-Site Mini Conferences

Bring professional development directly to your program with our exclusive on-site mini-conferences. Choose up to four engaging topics from our curated list and enjoy dynamic, in-person workshops designed for you and your staff—all at no cost.

To schedule your mini-conference, contact Program Manager Dee Dee Thurber at [**dthurber@caphr.org**](mailto:dthurber@caphr.org).

December 2025

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7	8	9 <u>Business</u> <u>Management</u> <u>Practices: Virtual</u> <u>Learning Community</u> 6:00-7:30 PM	10 <u>Revive & Thrive</u> 6:00-7:30 PM	11 <u>Family Child Care:</u> <u>Virtual Learning</u> <u>Community</u> 6:00-7:30 PM	12	13
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25	26	27 <u>Credential Guidance:</u> <u>Why and how to</u> <u>apply for a credential</u> 6:00-7:30 PM	28 <u>Revive & Thrive</u> 6:00-7:30 PM	29	30	31

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February 2026

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"Play is often talked about as if it were a relief from serious learning. But for children, play is serious learning. Play is really the work of childhood."

- Fred Rogers

