



2010 Training Information and Registration

DECA for Infants and Toddlers

Training Descriptions



2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training

The Devereux Early Childhood Assessment (DECA-I/T) Program for Infants and Toddlers is a strength-based system designed to promote the protective factors central to social and emotional health and resilience in our youngest children. In this interactive, hands-on training, participants will learn how to implement the DECA-I/T Program within the 5-step system including 1) Collecting information on individual children, the home, and the group care environment, 2) Administering the assessment, 3) Scoring the assessment and summarizing results, 4) Developing and implementing plans for the environment (home and group care), the child, and the adult caregiver, and 5) Evaluating progress.

2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training

The 2-Day Local Program Mentor Training will help prepare DECA-I/T Program Implementation Training participants to return to their local programs and offer technical assistance and workshops as necessary on the DECA-I/T Program. Time will be spent on reviewing DECA-I/T Program key messages, discussing training and mentoring tips and techniques, and troubleshooting with program staff. **In order to attend this training, participants need to have attended both days of the DECA for Infants and Toddlers Training conducted by a DECA -I/T Program Certified Trainer.



2010 Training Dates and Locations



Dates	Training	Location	Cost
February 1-2	2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training	Tempe, AZ (Suburb of Phoenix)	Early Bird: \$270 Regular Rate: \$300
February 3-4	2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training	Tempe, AZ (Suburb of Phoenix)	Early Bird: \$495 Regular Rate: \$550
June 21-22	2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training	Kansas City, MO	Early Bird: \$270 Regular Rate: \$300
June 23-24	2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training	Kansas City, MO	Early Bird: \$495 Regular Rate: \$550
November 15-16	2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training	Newport, KY (Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)	Early Bird: \$270 Regular Rate: \$300
November 17-18	2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training	Newport, KY (Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)	Early Bird: \$495 Regular Rate: \$550

Early bird rate valid when registering 30 days or more prior to training start date

- Order a DECA-I/T Kit for an additional cost of \$200.
- Order companion resources (*Infant and Toddler Strategies Guide, For Now and Forever Parent Guides, and Building Your Bounce Adult Resilience Journal*) for \$80.



Travel information for trainings in Tempe, Arizona

Training Location: Rio Salado College, 2323 West 14th Street, Tempe, AZ 85281

Airport: Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (PHX) is 4 miles from the training site.

Lodging Information: A limited block of rooms has been reserved at the **Comfort Suites**, 1625 S. 52nd Street, Tempe, AZ 85281. This hotel is in walking distance from the training site. **For reservations, call (480) 446-9500.** The block room rate is \$89 plus tax/night, and **reservations need to be made by January 2, 2010** to secure this rate. Please make sure to mention the "Devereux" Group when booking your lodging to receive this special rate.

Ground Transportation: Car rental is an option but is certainly not required. The hotel offers a complimentary shuttle service to and from the airport.

Travel information for trainings in Kansas City, Missouri

Training Location: The Kauffman Foundation, 4801 Rockhill Rd, Kansas City, MO, 64110

Airport: Kansas City International Airport (MCI) is 26 miles from the training site.

Lodging Information: A limited block of rooms has been reserved at the **Q Hotel and Spa** at 560 Westport Rd., Kansas City, MO 64111. This hotel is 1.5 miles from the training site. **For reservations, call (800) 942-4233.** The block room rate is \$94 plus tax/night (includes hot breakfast, manager's reception in the evening, and bicycles!) and **reservations need to be made by May 30, 2010** to secure this rate. Be sure to ask for the "DECA Training" group rate when booking your lodging to receive this special rate.

Ground Transportation: Car rental is an option but is certainly not required. Shuttle services to/from the airport cost approximately \$18 one way or \$31 round trip. The Q Hotel and Spa offers free shuttle service to/from the training.

Travel information for trainings in Newport, Kentucky

Training Location: Comfort Suites Riverfront, 420 Riverboat Row, Newport, KY 41071, 859-291-6700

Airport: Greater Cincinnati International Airport (CVG) is the closest airport to the training facility. It is approximately 12 miles from the training site and the lodging listed.

Lodging Information: A limited block of rooms has been reserved at the **Comfort Suites Riverfront**. The training is at this hotel. **For reservations, call (859) 291-6700.** The block room rate is \$90 per night and **reservations need to be made by October 20, 2010** to secure this rate. Participants are responsible for booking and paying for their own lodging. Please make sure to mention the "DECA Training Group #4861" when booking your lodging to receive this special rate.

Ground Transportation: There is an airport shuttle to/from the area for \$30 round trip. Should you want more information about airport shuttles, please visit www.cvgairport.com Car rental is also an option but certainly not required.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

Registration deadline is Friday, January 22, 2010, for all trainings offered the week of February 1, 2010.

Registration deadline is Friday, June 11, 2010, for all trainings offered the week of June 21, 2010.

Registration deadline is Friday, November 5, 2010, for all trainings offered the week of November 15, 2010.

Continuing Education: We offer continuing education units for a minimal cost. Certificates of attendance will be given to each participant.

Cancellation Policy: If for any reason you are unable to attend the training, you may send someone in your place. A \$50 cancellation fee is assessed if you cancel at least two weeks prior to the conference; with less than two weeks notice, no refund is given. For issues related to cancellations please contact Debi Mahler at (610) 574-6141 or at dmahler@devereux.org.

Training Times: Registration (8am-8:30am), Training (8:30am-4:30pm), lunch and afternoon snack will be included in the registration fee.

To register ON-LINE by Check, Credit Card, or PO:
www.devereuxearlychildhood.org



2010 DECI National Training Calendar

Join us for other trainings offered by the Devereux Early Childhood Initiative and Devereux Regional Training Centers!

Dates	Training	Location
February 1-2	2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training	Tempe, AZ
February 3-4	2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training	Tempe, AZ
March 1-2	2-Day DECA Program Implementation Training	Newport, KY <i>(Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)</i>
March 3	1-Day DECA-C Training	Newport, KY <i>(Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)</i>
March 4-5	2-Day DECA Local Program Mentor Training	Newport, KY <i>(Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)</i>
March 29-30	2-Day FLIP IT Train-the-Trainer Session	Renton, WA <i>(Suburb of Seattle)</i>
April 26-28	2.5-Day Facing the Challenge: Helping Teachers Better Work with Children with Challenging Behaviors Train-the-Trainer Session	Westminster, CO <i>(Suburb of Denver)</i>
June 14-15	2-Day DECA Program Implementation Training	Raleigh, NC
June 16	1-Day DECA-C Training	Raleigh, NC
June 17-18	2-Day DECA Local Program Mentor Training	Raleigh, NC
June 21-22	2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training	Kansas City, MO
June 23-24	2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training	Kansas City, MO
July 22-23	2-Day Building Your Bounce, Building Their Bounce Training	Detroit, MI
September 27-29	2.5-Day Facing the Challenge: Helping Teachers Better Work with Children with Challenging Behaviors Train-the-Trainer Session	Villanova, PA <i>(Suburb of Philadelphia)</i>
October 4-5	2-Day DECA Program Implementation Training	Kansas City, MO
October 6	1-Day DECA-C Training	Kansas City, MO
October 7-8	2-Day DECA Local Program Mentor Training	Kansas City, MO
October 21-22	2-Day FLIP IT Train-the-Trainer Session	San Antonio, TX
November 15-16	2-Day DECA for Infants and Toddlers Implementation Training	Newport, KY <i>(Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)</i>
November 17-18	2-Day DECA-I/T Local Program Mentor Training	Newport, KY <i>(Suburb of Cincinnati, OH)</i>

For more information or to register for any of these trainings, please go to www.devereuxearlychildhood.org. For questions or to bring any of these trainings to your community, please contact Debi Mahler, Training Coordinator, at dmahler@devereux.org or (610) 574-6141.