



EARLY CHILDHOOD
RESOURCE CENTER

A Ministry of the Sisters of Charity Health System

CHILD DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATE



MAHONING COUNTY - HYBRID CLASS

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!

Space is limited | Starting August 12, 2025

◆ *In-Person Course Location*

Early Childhood Resource Center

6414 Market St.

Boardman, OH 44512

◆ *Virtual Platforms Used*

TEAMS & Google Classroom

◆ *Requirement*

Must have reliable internet access and a computer/tablet with working video and audio.

◆ *Time*

Tuesdays, plus one (1) Thursday a month;
Evenings from 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

◆ *Credit Available*

Ohio Approved hours

ODJFS In-Service

TOP 5 REASONS

to enroll in the Early Childhood Resource Center's CDA classes

Finish classes in approximately 9 months using a combination of in-person and virtual.

Eight courses provide you with the required training to apply for your credential. Take all eight, or choose just the courses you need.

Scholarships are available for ODJFS programs serving publicly-funded children in Mahoning, Medina, Portage, Stark, Summit, and Trumbull counties. The only fee is \$100 out of pocket per student. Private pay options are available, too.

Great peer-to-peer networking opportunity for family child care providers.

A CDA credential will increase your Career Pathway Level (CPL), helping you achieve a Step Up To Quality (SUTQ) high-quality rating.

Ready to enroll? **Contact Jenna 330.491.3272 | jgraves@ecresourcecenter.org**

CDA - Mahoning County - Hybrid Class Schedule

Course 1: Safe, Healthy Learning Environments			Course 2: Child Development & Learning		
Date	Class		Date	Class	
8.12.25	CDA Orientation	In-Person	9.23.25	History of ECE	In-Person
8.14.25 (Thursday)	Establishing Safe Environments	virtual	9.30.25	Child Development Prenatal-2	virtual
8.19.25	Healthy Habits	In-Person	10.7.25	Child Development Ages 2-3	In-Person
8.26.25	Sanitary Environment	virtual	10.14.25	Child Development Ages 4-5	virtual
9.2.25	DAP Learning Environment I/T	In-Person	10.16.25 (Thursday)	Inclusion and Special Needs	virtual
9.9.25	Diapering, Toileting, Sleep Habits	virtual	10.21.25	Developmentally Appropriate Practice	In-Person
9.16.25	DAP Learning Environment Preschool	virtual			
Course 3: Physical & Intellectual Development			Course 4: Social Emotional Development		
Date	Class		Date	Class	
10.28.25	Supporting Learning Across all Domains	virtual	12.2.25	Secure Attachments & Temperaments	virtual
11.4.25	Writing Goals & Objectives	In-Person	12.9.25	Positive Guidance & Pro Social Behaviors	In-Person
11.11.25	Physical Activity: Fine & Gross Motor	virtual	12.16.25	Understanding DAP Behaviors	virtual
11.13.25 (Thursday)	Language/ Communication/ Literacy	virtual	12.18.25 (Thursday)	Promoting Sense of Self	virtual
11.18.25	Creative Arts	In-Person	1.6.26	Stages of Play & Transitions	virtual
11.25.25	Cognitive Development: Science, Math & SS	In-Person	1.13.26	Portfolio Class	In-Person
Course 5: Observing & Recording			Course 6: Establishing Family Relationships		
Date	Class		Date	Class	
1.20.26	Introduction to Observations	virtual	2.17.26	Family Partnerships	In-Person
1.22.26 (Thursday)	Observing with a Purpose	virtual	2.24.26	Ethnicity & Culture	virtual
1.27.26	Planning for Individual Children	In-Person	3.3.26	Communication with Families	In-Person
2.3.26	Assessments, Observations & ELDS	virtual	3.10.26	Supporting Family's Needs	virtual
2.5.26 (Thursday)	Strategies for Observing	virtual	3.12.26 (Thursday)	Writing a Parent Handbook	virtual
2.10.26	Sharing Observations & Assessments with Families	In-Person	3.17.26	Portfolio Class	In-Person
Course 7: Program Management			Course 8: Professionalism		
Date	Class		Date	Class	
3.24.26	Assuring a Smooth Running Classroom	virtual	4.28.26	Professionalism	virtual
3.31.26	Collaborations with Families and Community	In-Person	5.5.26	Your Role as an ECE Professional	In-Person
4.7.26	DAP Schedules & Routines	virtual	5.12.26	State Licensing Rules for Admin & Staff	virtual
4.9.26 (Thursday)	Record Keeping & Organization	virtual	5.14.26 (Thursday)	Building your Career	virtual
4.14.26	Lesson Planning	In-Person	5.19.26	Review of Verification Visit	In-Person
4.21.26	Portfolio Class	In-Person	5.26.26	CDA Last Steps	In-Person

Child Development Associate Training Registration Form

Please review ECRC CDA/Scholarship cancellation and attendance policies on our website!

Student Information

First Name _____
Last Name _____
Employer _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Email Address _____
Phone Number _____
County _____ - _____ OPIN# _____

Which class are you registering for?

What type of CDA are you pursuing?

☐ Infant/Toddler ☐ Preschool ☐ Family Child Care

What are you registering for?

Registration Type	Cost	Total
Full CDA Program (Modules 1-8)	\$720 \$100 Reg. Fee	
Select Module(s) (circle): 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	\$90/Module \$100 Reg. Fee	
CDA Scholarship: Form needs submitted with registration form. If your fee is waived, please indicate at registration.	\$100 Reg. Fee	
	Total Due	

* Would you like to request a learning accommodation form? No Yes (if yes, one will be sent to the email you provided by the instructor)

* Have you taken CDA classes before? No Yes (if yes, where & when? _____)

* Have you received your CDA credential in the past? No Yes (if yes, when? _____)

Credit Card Payment Information

Payment Type: Check____ Cash____ Credit Card____ (+ processing fee) Invoice____ ECRC Scholarship____

Cardholder's Name _____

Cardholder's Billing Address _____

Credit card # _____ Exp. Date _____ CCV Code (3-4) _____

Cardholder's Signature _____

**This registration fee is non-refundable*