

# THE CHILD CARE HEALTH CONNECTION

Health, Safety and Nutrition News  
from the Child Care Health Program



A Program of Public Health - Seattle & King County

## CLASS SCHEDULE July/August 2006

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DATE	TIME	CLASS	LOCATION	PAYMENT
<b>July 2006 Classes</b>				
<b>7/06/06 Thursday</b>	6:30 PM – 9:00 PM	<b>First Aid for Child Care Providers</b> ☆ Please arrive on time because the door will be locked at 6:45.	<b>Child Care Health* Public Health-Seattle &amp; King Co. 1916 Boren 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Seattle 98101</b> For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ <a href="http://www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare">www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare</a>	<b>\$16</b> Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH
<b>7/18/06 and 7/19/06 Tuesday and Wednesday</b>	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	<b>*10 STARS CREDITS* Disaster and Emergency Preparedness for Child Care Providers</b> Please see yellow flyer for more information.	<b>The 2100 Building 2100 – 24<sup>th</sup> Avenue South Seattle 98144</b> For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ <a href="http://www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare">www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare</a>	<b>\$80</b> Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH
<b>7/22/06 Saturday</b>	9:00 AM – 3:00 PM	<b>*6 STARS CREDITS* Bringing the World into your Kitchen: Culturally Relevant Mealtimes and Menu Planning</b> Please see the pink flyer for more information.	<b>Duwamish Apprenticeship and Education Center 6770 E. Marginal Way S. Seattle, WA 98108</b> For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ <a href="http://www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare">www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare</a>	<b>\$48</b> Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH
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\* 1916 Boren is next to Dollar Rent-A-Car between Stewart St. and Virginia St. (west of I-5 and a few blocks from REI). Parking is available in nearby lots for \$3 or on the street (meters are free after 6 PM). The Child Care Health Program entrance is on the southeast side of the building.



# Class Registration Information

Pre-registration is required for all classes. To register, please mail the registration form on page 3.

**Classes fill quickly so send in the registration form and payment as soon as possible.** We do not accept registrations by telephone. Please make your check payable to: SKCDPH (Seattle – King County Department of Public Health) & return the registration form with payment to:

Child Care Health Program – Class Registration  
1916 Boren Ave, Suite #200, Seattle, WA 98101.

If you have any questions, please call (206) 296-2770. Space is limited. Please register early or call us at (206) 296-2770 to check for class openings.

Classes fill quickly so please send in the registration form and payment as soon as possible. If a class fills before we receive your registration, your check will be returned to you. If a money order or cashier's check is used as payment, we will issue a refund. To avoid disrupting the class, and to receive full credit, please try to arrive on time. We also request that you make other child care arrangements so that your attention can be focused on the class.

## Our Class Cancellation Policy

- ☆ If we cancel a class (due to low enrollment, snow, or other reason) you may choose between receiving a refund or a credit toward another class.
- ☆ If you register for a class and find you cannot attend, please notify us at (206) 296-2770 **at least 24 hours** before the class. No refunds will be made, but if you notify us at least 24 hours before the class you will be eligible for a credit toward another class.

## IMPORTANT RECALL INFORMATION

There have been many recalls these past two months that involve products relating to children. Please visit the CPSC web site at [www.cpsc.gov](http://www.cpsc.gov) and click on "Recalls and Product Safety News" or call the CPSC hotline at 1-800-638-2772 for detailed information on these recalls.

**Information on recalled car seats and booster seats is posted on the website of the Safety Restraint Coalition, Washington's Child Passenger Safety Program: Please visit [www.800BUCKLUP.org](http://www.800BUCKLUP.org).**

- **Battery Packs sold with Disney-brand DVD Players**
- **Children's Necklaces with "In Style" and UPC #041838140766 on the package**
- **Mountain Buggy Urban Single and Urban Double Breeze Strollers**
- **Phil and Teds e3 Twin Strollers**
- **Cordless Push Button Toy Telephones**
- **Metal Charms sold with Twentieth Century Fox DVDs**
- **Adventure Playsets Wooden Swing Sets**
- **Juicy Couture Children's Jewelry**
- **Rainbow Play Systems Sling Swing Sets**
- **"Baby 2 Pack" Pacifiers**
- **Light-Up Yo-Yo Toy distributed with kid's meal purchase at Ruby's Diner restaurants**

Information in this newsletter is available in alternate formats upon request by people with disabilities. Reasonable accommodations at workshops and trainings are available upon request by people with disabilities. For information call (206) 296-2770.





# CHILD CARE HEALTH PROGRAM CLASS REGISTRATION FORM



Class Name & Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (work): \_\_\_\_\_ (home): \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_ (zip code) \_\_\_\_\_

STARS ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the child care program where you work: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this a center? \_\_\_\_\_ or a family child care home? \_\_\_\_\_ Program's phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Program's e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your program in Seattle? Yes  No  Number of children enrolled: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Register Early! Enclose your payment & return this registration form to:  
Child Care Health Program – Class Registration – 1916 Boren Ave, Suite 200 Seattle, WA 98101**

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## **New Varicella (Chickenpox) Immunization Requirements**

Beginning July 1, 2006 all children 19 months through 12 years of age who attend a licensed child care or preschool in Washington State will be required to show varicella (chickenpox) immunity. Immunity can be a result of a single dose of vaccine, verbal history of disease or a lab test showing antibodies to chickenpox.

More information about this new immunization requirement can be found at [www.doh.wa.gov/cfh/immunize](http://www.doh.wa.gov/cfh/immunize). If you have questions about chickenpox disease or the varicella vaccine, please contact Public Health – Seattle & King County Communicable Disease and Immunization Section at (206) 296-4774 or your Public Health Nurse at (206) 296-2770.

## **Soil Safety Program Starts in Late Summer**

The Tacoma Smelter Plume Project will begin providing free soil sampling of outside play areas in southeast King County and Vashon-Maury Island to help protect children from arsenic and lead in the soil. If a child care program has arsenic and lead in amounts that are a concern, the Washington Department of Ecology will pay for actions that will make the child care a healthier and safer place for children. Public Health will begin contacting eligible child care programs in late summer 2006.

For more information, contact Mark Kastenbaum, Ecology's Soil Safety Program Coordinator at 360-407-6262 or [Mkas461@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:Mkas461@ecy.wa.gov). A service area map and more information can be found on the Soil Safety Program website at [http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/tacoma\\_smelter/ts\\_hp.htm](http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/tacoma_smelter/ts_hp.htm)



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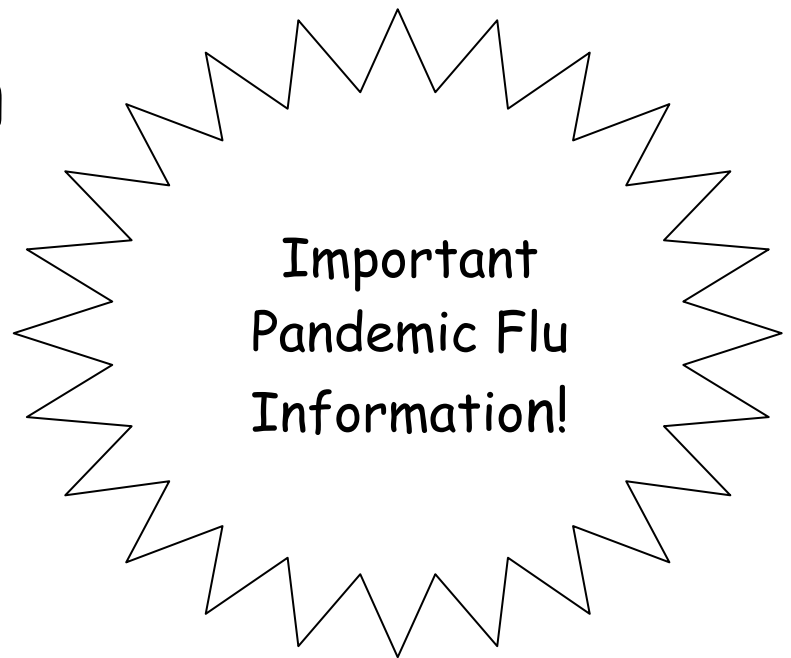


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