

THE CHILD CARE HEALTH CONNECTION

Health, Safety and Nutrition News
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CLASS SCHEDULE June 2004

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DATE	TIME	CLASS	LOCATION	PAYMENT
6/3/04 Thursday	6:30 PM – 9:00 PM	First Aid for Child Care Providers ☆ Please arrive on time because the door will be locked at 6:45.	Child Care Health* Public Health-Seattle & King Co. 1916 Boren, 2nd Floor, Seattle For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	\$16 Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH
6/8/04 Tuesday	6:30 PM – 8:30 PM	Food Safety in Child Care 1.5 STARS Credit PLUS Option of taking test to obtain your food handler card Please see class description on p. 3	Denise Louie Education Center 3327 Beacon Ave. South, Seattle For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	Please see page 3 for information on payment for STARS credit and for food handler card.
6/9/04 Wednesday	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	*2 STARS CREDITS* Positive Child Guidance	Eastgate Public Health 14350 SE Eastgate Way Bellevue For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	\$16 Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH
6/10/04 Thursday	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	*2 STARS CREDITS* Food Safety at School and on Field Trips	Eastgate Public Health 14350 SE Eastgate Way Bellevue For directions, please call (206) 296-2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	\$16 Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH

* 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 \$2 or on the street (meters are free after 6 PM).



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CHILD CARE HEALTH PROGRAM CLASS REGISTRATION FORM



Name: _____ Phone (work): _____ (home): _____

Class Name and Date: _____

STARS Identification Number _____ (Required for STARS credit)

Center or Home Address: _____

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

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June 2004 Classes, Continued

DATE	TIME	CLASS	LOCATION	PAYMENT
6/26/04 Saturday	9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon	*3 STARS CREDITS* Fun in the Sun: Keeping Children Safe and Healthy Over the Summer <i>Co-sponsored by Renton Technical College</i>	Renton Technical College, Building B (Health Occupations Building), Room B109 3000 NE Fourth Street, Renton For directions, please call (206) 296- 2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	\$24 Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH
6/24/04 Thursday	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	*2 STARS CREDITS* Giving Medication Safely in Child Care and Conversations on Care Plans for Children with Chronic Illnesses	Columbia Health Center 4400 – 37th Ave. South, 2nd Floor Seattle For directions, please call (206) 296- 2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	\$16 Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH

July 2004

Registration is now open for this class:

DATE	TIME	CLASS	LOCATION	PAYMENT
July 7/1/04 Thursday	6:30 PM – 9:00 PM	First Aid for Child Care Providers ☆ Please arrive on time because the door will be locked at 6:45.	Child Care Health Public Health-Seattle & King Co. 1916 Boren, 2nd Floor, Seattle For directions, please call (206) 296- 2770 or visit our web site @ www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare	\$16 Please make checks payable to: SKCDPH



Do you...

- Have Questions about Food Safety in Child Care?
- Need a Food Handler Card?
- Need Some STARS Credits?

We are offering a new class on Food Safety in Child Care which includes the option to take the test to get your Food Handler Card.

When: Tuesday, June 8 from 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Where: Denise Louie Education Center
3327 Beacon Ave. South, Seattle

Designed for people working in child care programs, this class will cover food safety concerns in a child care setting. The training will also include all the essential components required to take the Food Handler Card test. The Food Handler Card test will be offered at the end of the class.

We are offering 3 different options for this class:

- Option 1 To receive 1.5 STARS Credits and a Food Handler Card:**
Plan to stay until 8:30 pm and send us a **registration payment of \$18.**
- Option 2 To receive a Food Handler Card only:**
Plan to stay until 8:30 pm and send us a **registration payment of \$10.**
- Option 3 To receive 1.5 STARS credits only:**
Plan to stay until 8:00 (you will not have to take the food handler test) and send us a **registration payment of \$8.**

If you have questions or need more information, please call us at (206) 296-2770.

Pre-registration is required for all classes. 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. Please see the back page of the newsletter for more information about registering for classes. 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.



More STARS Training Opportunities...



Child Care Health Program staff are teaching two classes for Child Care Resources:

- **Recognizing and Reporting Child Abuse and Neglect**
Thursday, June 10, 2004, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Luv N Care Day Care Ministries
1225 – 29th St. SE, Auburn

- **Fit for Life** (with the City of Seattle Child Care Nutrition Program)
Thursday, June 24, 2004, 6:30 – 8:30 PM
Child Care Resources
1225 S. Weller St. #300, Seattle

- **To Register**
Pre-registration is required. **Call Sandy at Child Care Resources (206) 329-1011, ext. 0 for registration and cost information.** PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR REGISTRATION FOR THIS CLASS TO THE CHILD CARE HEALTH PROGRAM.

- **For more information**
More information and class descriptions are available on the Child Care Resources website at www.childcare.org.

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.



IMPORTANT RECALL INFORMATION

The following products have recently been recalled by the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC). For more information on these and other recalled products, please visit the CPSC web site at www.cpsc.gov and click on "Recalls/news," or call the CPSC hotline at 1-800-638-2772.

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.

Radio-Control Toy Trucks are being recalled by Nikko America Inc. because a problem with the circuit board causes the toy truck to overheat, posing a fire and burn hazard. The recalled trucks are approximately 18 inches in length and have one of the following model numbers on the body of the truck: 100021A, 100022A, 100022B, 100023A, 100023B, 100024A, or 100024B. Major toy and discount department stores sold the trucks from July 2003 through February 2004 for about \$60. Consumers should stop using the toy trucks and contact Nikko America toll-free at (866) 232-6013 or www.nikkoamerica.com/recall.

BATMAN™ BATMOBILE™ Toy Vehicle is being recalled by Mattel Inc. because the rear tail wings of the Batmobile™ are made of rigid plastic and come to a point, posing a potential puncture or laceration hazard to young children. The toy is a 20-inch blue and gray plastic vehicle with a detachable motorcycle. Model number B4944 is written on the bottom of the toy. Consumers should take these toys away from children immediately and contact Mattel at (888) 271-9891 or www.service.mattel.com to receive a free replacement wing repair kit.

Ride-On Toys are being recalled by Tek Nek Toys International, L.P. because the screw and nut assembly attaching the steering wheel can come loose, posing a choking and aspiration hazard to young children. The ride-on toys were sold for about \$30 under five model names including Butterfly Girl, Fire Rescue, Mermaid, Police Car and Tonka Construction Crew. The toys can be used as a ride-on or push walker toy, with a handle on the back of the seat rest. On the dash of the toys are buttons which produce sounds when activated. Sold for children age 1 to 3 years old, the toys have a date code from 20021127 to 20030319 located in the battery compartment on the top panel next to the steering wheel. Consumers should take these recalled ride-on toy vehicles away from young children immediately and contact Tek Nek Toys at (888) 661-0222 or www.teknekt toys.com to receive free replacement parts.

Children's Mirror Books are being recalled by Kids II Inc. because the mirror in the books can crack or break, posing a laceration hazard to young children. The recalled picture books are brightly colored, made of flexible vinyl, and contain a plastic mirror on one of the inside pages. The recalled books come in four models: "Baby's Fun Book," "Baby's Photo Album," "Picture This Vinyl Book," and "Carter's Imagination Picture Book." Consumers should take the books away from children immediately and detach and mail the mirror page of the product to Kids II at 1015 Windward Ridge Parkway, Alpharetta, GA 30005 for a refund.

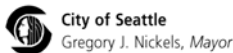
Bunk Beds made by Ashley Furniture Industries, Inc. are being recalled for repairs because there are gaps between parts of the bunk bed that violate federal safety standards and can be entrapment or strangulation hazards to children. These bunk bed models are recalled for repairs: B383-58T, B383-57T, B213-58, and B233-58. The model numbers are on product stickers on each bunk bed. Consumers should stop using the bunk beds and contact the dealer who sold the bunk bed for a free repair kit. Consumers can contact Ashley Furniture Industries at (800) 999-2936 or www.ashleyfurniture.com for more information.



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Class Registration Information

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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. Register early or call us at (206) 296-2770 to check for class openings. **Please check out our web site at <http://www.metrokc.gov/health/childcare>**

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**Our office is in Seattle at 1916 Boren (between Stewart and Virginia) on the second floor.
The entrance is located on the southeast side of the building.**

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.
- ☆ Remember, our classes fill quickly. If you register for a class and find you cannot attend, please notify us at (206) 296-2770 as soon as possible, so another child care provider can attend. You may be eligible for a credit toward another class.

