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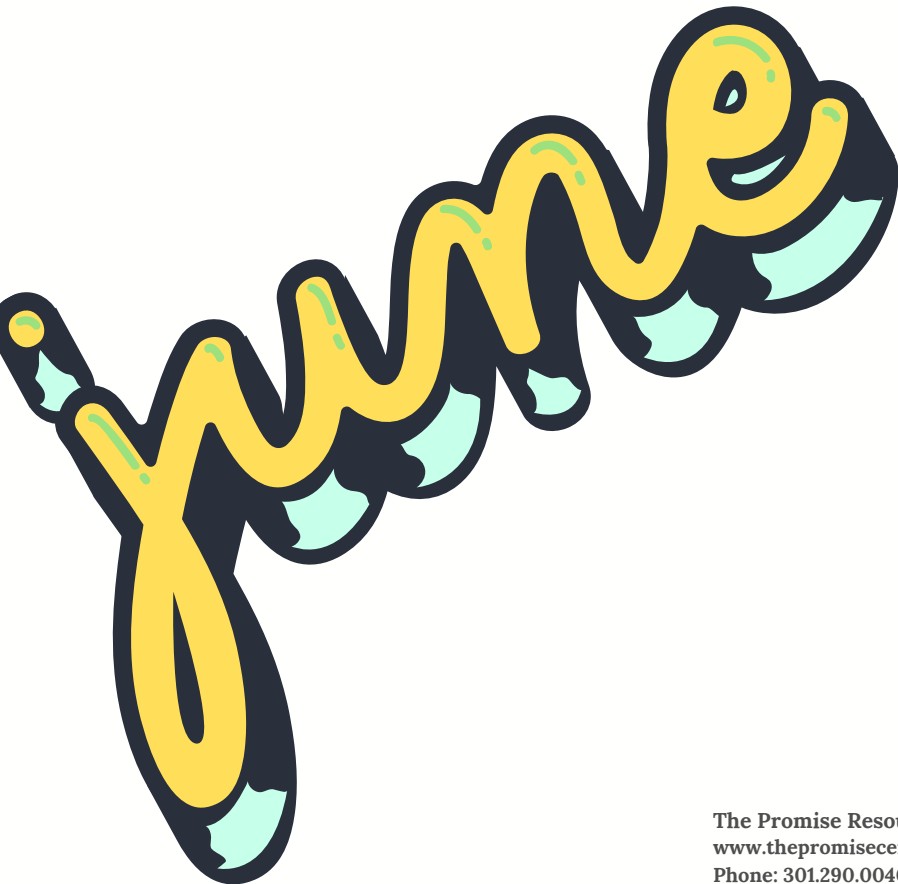
- Training Opportunities
- The Promise Center's Drive-In Event
- Early Childhood Development and Learning

BOGO IS BACK FOR JUNE,
JULY AND AUGUST TRAINING!



Buy One, Get One all summer long on all of our 2-hour trainings!

Call our office to register at 301.290.0040!



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Welcome to our new and returning members!

- Melissa Brown
- Brittany Kearney
- Markita Kelly
- Kendra Hunt



the Promise Center's

DRIVE-IN FAMILY EVENT

JULY 30, 2021

5:30PM @ ST. MARY'S CO.

FAIRGROUNDS

**A FUNDRAISER SUPPORTING PROGRAMS
PROVIDED BY THE PROMISE RESOURCE CENTER**

**TICKETS AVAILABLE JUNE 1
ON EVENTBRITE!**

FEATURING

**Disney
RAYA
AND
THE LAST DRAGON**

- DRIVE-IN STYLE PARKING
- 60' MOVIE SCREEN
- CONCESSIONS
- MOON BOUNCE
- LOCAL VENDORS & EXHIBITORS
- AND MORE!

- VEHICLE PASS - \$40/VEHICLE
 - UP TO 7 PEOPLE IN THE VEHICLE
- LAWN SEATING - \$8/PERSON
 - CHILDREN 4 AND UNDER FREE



LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE

ORDER ONLINE AT <https://prcdrivein2021.eventbrite.com>



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COMING UP:

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 - Summer Science Activities for Preschool Children
- **June 14 6:30-8:30PM @ The Promise Resource Center**
 - I am Full of Emotions: Why Social and Emotional Skills and Emergent Literacy are Important
- **June 30 6:30-8:30PM @ The Promise Resource Center**
 - Stranger Danger

IN-PERSON LEARNING COVID-19 REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES:

- All desks, chairs and pens provided will be sanitized prior to class beginning
- All attendees and trainers must wear face masks at all times
- Class sizes are limited to account for social distancing protocol
- Sanitizer stations are available in the lobby and by the training room
- Trainer will ask each attendee health screening questions prior to entering the training room and temperature will be taken upon arrival
- Visitors must use restroom in the lobby

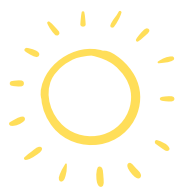
BOGO deal can only be used with paid registrations for the 2-hour Core of Knowledge courses listed on our calendar. Free class must be complete by August 31, 2021. No cash value or refunds for cancellations.

BOGO offer excludes 3-hour trainings, CPR & First Aid, Medication Administration, onsite trainings. Offer may be used between June 1 -August 31, 2021.

Location of class indicated by RED text.

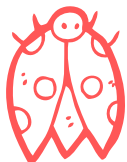
We have several class options available at this time. Please be aware that each training opportunity has the location indicated in red under each class name.

SUMMER SAFETY



Sun Protection and Insect Repellents

Sunburns and bug bits can be itchy or even painful. To avoid these issues, ask guardians to provide sunscreen and insect repellent in the summer months for each individual child.



Sunscreen and insect repellent are considered “Basic Care Products”. An individual does not need to have taken “Medication Administration” training to apply basic care products on a child. Be sure to log when a guardian gives you either product with the child's name, type of product and the date you received it.



Dehydration and Water Activities

Before prolonged physical activity in warm weather, provide water to aid with hydration and encourage children to drink water during any activity. If a child experiences heat exhaustion, have them rest in the shade, sit down, and bend forward at the waist, bringing the head between the knees, or lie down with the feet slightly elevated. Apply cool compresses and have water available for those alert enough to drink. Follow emergency procedures by calling 911 and contact parents/guardians.

Always make sure there is adult supervision in any situation that includes children and water to reduce risks of drowning. Lifeguard, family child care and child care center staff surveillance zones should be determined in swimming areas.

All information sourced from:

- https://earlychildhood.marylandpublicschools.org/system/files/filedepot/3/playgroundsafety_april08.pdf
- https://earlychildhood.marylandpublicschools.org/system/files/filedepot/3/11_health.pdf

Please visit these sites for further information on outdoor safety in the summer.

MARYLAND CHILD CARE RESOURCE NETWORK COMPLAINT POLICY

Every member agency of the Maryland Child Care Resource Network strives to provide high quality service to the child care programs and families in their jurisdiction and throughout Maryland. It is our mission to ensure that every interaction with staff at the Child Care Resource Centers is positive and professional.

If you have concerns about an incident or some aspect of service at a Child Care Resource Center, please contact the director/manager directly. Contact information for these individuals can be found here (<https://marylandfamilynetwork.org/for-providers/findyour-child-care-resource-center>). If you are not satisfied with the way your concern is handled by the director/manager at the Child Care Resource Center, please contact Maryland Family Network at 410-659-7701 or at MCCRNinfo@marylandfamilynetwork.org. As the Statewide Coordinating Entity of the Maryland Child Care Resource Network, MFN will investigate the complaint or concern regarding services and take appropriate action.

BECOME A PRC MEMBER TODAY!

Interested in becoming a member of The Promise Resource Center and receiving discounts on many of our classes?

For only \$10 a year, individual membership will earn you :

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\$5 off select trainings

1 free training for every 5 trainings completed

Satisfaction in knowing you are helping families in our community receive services for low or no cost!

Membership is also available for centers. These memberships are \$25 a year. Center staff will receive \$5 off select trainings if the training is paid for by the center.

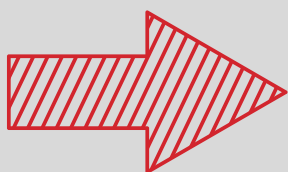
Visit thepromisecenter.org/register or call 301-290-0040 to register for membership today!



Become a member today!

Complete and mail this form + payment to:

The Promise Resource Center
8395 Old Leonardtown Rd.
Hughesville, MD 20637



Membership Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Membership Type

Renewal _____ New _____

Center/Group _____ Individual _____

REGISTRATION POLICY

Here at PRC, we have a passion for education and are excited to have you join us in the pursuit of knowledge!

We are now offering both webinars and face-to-face learning opportunities. Classes will be announced on our training calendar and website with the appropriate meeting location - webinar or our office location.

We currently accept cash, checks, money orders or credit card payments for class registration. Please either mail, visit our office, or call in to pay. Payment for a class will also be accepted online at thepromisecenter.org/register. Please note that classes must be paid for in advance, so please pay promptly to secure your spot. Participants may not reserve a seat without payment.

Confirmations will automatically be sent via email from our class registration service. Please call 301-290-0040 to verify your enrollment in a class if you do not have an email set up with us.

You must be present and participate in the entire class to receive a certificate for the clock hours listed. Classes begin at the stated time and no admittance is permitted 15 minutes after the class has started. Late arrivals past the 15-minute grace period will not receive certificates, refunds, or transfers for the class.

For all trainings, class participation is required. For webinars, you must have video and microphone capabilities. Participation in chats, class discussion and polls are required to receive your certificate. We ask that you eliminate as many distractions as possible when attending classes. Certificates will be distributed upon completion of the assessment and evaluation either in-person or via email.

If you have lost or misplaced a certificate, there is a \$5.00 replacement fee.

Please call 301-290-0040 in advance of class if you need assistance or require special accommodations.

All classes are open to the public.

The Promise Resource Center provides low-cost workshops for child care providers, parents and the community. Our workshops meet MSDE/Office of Child Care requirements for Core of Knowledge training.



CANCELLATION POLICY

We do not issue refunds if a student cancels their enrollment in a class. If you need to cancel, you must call the Promise Resource Center **24-hours in advance** and we will gladly give you a credit for another class. ***Cancellations must be made 48 hours in advance for CPR and First Aid and Medication Administration** or your payment will be forfeited and no credits will be issued. Our cancellation policy includes webinar registration.

Credit for cancelled classes must be used to attend another class within 60 days of the cancellation or it is forfeited.

The Promise Resource Center reserves the right to cancel a class at any time for reasons such as inclement weather, low registration numbers, etc.

You will receive a call notifying you of any cancellation. A refund or class credit will be issued at that time. Refunds will only be issued upon request if PRC cancels class.

LOCATE: CHILD CARE



LOCATE: Child Care

Every day, parents contact LOCATE: Child Care. Parents need comprehensive information to help them make informed decisions for their child. The more complete and current your information is, the better we can help parents find and choose your program. Please review and update your provider record today. You can update your record now at <https://locate.marylandfamilynetwork.org/Provider/login>. Once you enter your information, it will be reviewed and activated in our database within just two business days.

Update your record now
at <https://locate.marylandfamilynetwork.org/Provider/login>

LOCATE Complaint Policy

Through the LOCATE service, parents share feedback with the LOCATE staff on the programs in the files: licensed child care centers, registered family child care providers and accredited preschools and camps. While this feedback is at times positive, it sometimes concerns complaints parents have about child caregivers. Of course, LOCATE and the Maryland Child Care Resource Network want to use this information in a way that is fair to providers and parents, while protecting children, as well.

Therefore, the LOCATE Complaint Policy was developed and has been in effect since its approval by the Maryland Committee for Children Board in November, 1983. According to this policy, all complaints made to LOCATE about child care providers/facilities are recorded. The type of complaint is then determined:

Less Serious Complaint - No Violation: complaints which do not involve violations of child care regulations; complaints about situations which do not pose a threat to the safety, health or welfare of a child.

Less Serious Complaint Involving Violation: complaints of any violation of Office of Child Care (OCC), Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) regulations, and/or the Health Department which do not pose a threat to the health, safety or welfare of a child.

Serious Complaint: any threat to the immediate health, safety, or welfare of a child.

When a parent calls LOCATE with a complaint, the referral specialist advises him/her to register the complaint directly with the appropriate regulatory agency and/or Protective Services. Names and telephone numbers of the person with whom the parent should speak are provided.

When a Serious Complaint is received concerning one of the providers of facilities in the LOCATE system, no referrals are made by the referral specialists to that provider/facility. The LOCATE Director also communicates with the appropriate regulatory agency personnel about the complaint, and maintains the "hold" on the provider/facility until the agency's disposition of the complaint is known. Should the investigation result in no action, the "hold" status is removed from that provider's/facility's records. Should the license or registration be revoked, the record is removed from the LOCATE files. Providers are advised of LOCATE's actions in writing.

A provider may appeal the LOCATE Director's decision to cease referrals. Appeals are first addressed to the LOCATE Advisory Committee. Final appeals may be made to the board of the Maryland Family Network.

It is the position of LOCATE and MFN that the Complaint Policy is both fair and workable. Safeguards and due process are afforded to the care givers in the files, and parents' and children's rights to safety are addressed, as well. Any questions on this policy should be addressed to FloJean Speck, LOCATE: Child Care Director.



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MARYLAND CHILD CARE
RESOURCE NETWORK

The Promise Resource Center is a member of the Maryland Child Care Resource Network with funding provided from the Maryland State Department of Education, through Maryland Family Network.

TRAINING

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JUNE



Summer Science Activities for Preschool Children

@ The Promise Resource Center
BOGO Eligible

June 3, 2021 | 6:30pm-8:00pm
In-Person Learning | COK: 2 hours of Curriculum
\$25 for members or \$30 for non-members

Summer is an ideal time to explore many science concepts. Flowers are in bloom, bees are gathering nectar, and animals have awoken from their sleep. This workshops explores the importance of science in the preschool classroom and looks at science activities that are related to summer.

CPR and First Aid

@ The Promise Resource Center

June 7, 2021 | 6:00pm-10:00pm
Instructor: Jay Hyde
In-Person Learning | OCC Requirement
\$85 for members and non-members

Participants will be trained in CPR for the infant, child and adult. This class meets the Maryland Child Care Administration's requirements for child care facilities.

Imagineering in the Classroom

Webinar

June 8, 2021 | 6:00pm-9:00pm
Instructor: Stacey Heidt
Webinar | COK: 3 hours of Curriculum
\$30 for members or \$35 for non-members

In today's engineering marketplace it has become apparent that adults who are able to use their creativity and imaginations are in high demand, studies have shown however that adult creativity is on the decline. In this workshop we will look at strategies and materials in which you can use to support the child's innate creative ability and imagination while he or she explores engineering in the classroom.



I Am Full of Emotions: Why Social and Emotional Skills and Emergent Literacy are Important
@ The Promise Resource Center

BOGO Eligible

June 14, 2021 | 6:30pm-8:30pm
In-Person Learning | COK: 2 hours of Child Development
\$25 for members or \$30 for non-members

This workshop discusses the importance between emergent literacy, social emotional skills, and self-regulation skills. Participants will gain strategies to use in their programs that encourage their children to use positive behaviors and express themselves.

What to Do: Ethics and the Early Childhood Educator

Webinar

June 23, 2021 | 6:00pm-9:00pm
Instructor: Stacey Heidt
Webinar | COK: 3 hours of Professionalism
\$30 for members or \$35 for non-members

***Free for St. Mary's County Providers through funding received from the St. Mary's County Department of Economic Development ***

As an early childhood educator, your actions and words impact children, their families, your colleagues, the community, and society. A knowledge of ethics and the NAEYC Code of Ethical Conduct provides the guidance all early childhood educators need to be caring and competent professionals.

Medication Administration

@ HYBRID Webinar and The Promise Resource Center

June 24&26, 2021 | 6:00pm-10:00pm & 9:00am-11:00am
Instructor: Patricia Jennings
Hybrid Learning | OCC Requirement
\$75 for members and non-members

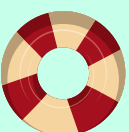
This training course is a 6-hour competency-based class approved by MSDE/OCC to train child care providers to safely administer oral, topical and emergency medication to children in a child care setting. Upon successful completion of this course each participant will receive a certificate of completion which will allow the participant to administer MSDE/OCC approved medications to infants, toddlers, and preschoolers.



Stranger Danger
@ The Promise Resource Center
BOGO Eligible

June 30, 2021 | 6:30pm-8:30pm
In-Person Learning | COK: 2 hours of Health, Safety and Nutrition
\$25 for members or \$30 for non-members

This workshop will focus on teaching children about personal safety and the many ways strangers access children: outside, at home and online. It will also delve into tips and skills to keep children safe from strangers.





= BOGO Eligible Training

JUNE

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INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY PRC CLOSED	INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY PRC CLOSED	06 Including All Children and The Americans with Disabilities Act 6:00pm-9:00pm Instructor: Sarah Sutherland WEBINAR \$30/\$35	07	08  Jumping into Social- Emotional Development 6:30pm-8:30pm @ The Promise Resource Center \$25/\$30 BOGO Eligible	09	10
11	12  SIDS, SUID, and Other Sleep related Infant Deaths 6:30pm-8:30pm @ The Promise Resource Center \$25/\$30 BOGO Eligible	13	14	15	16	17
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25	26	27	28  Reality Bites: Understanding and Addressing Biting 6:30pm-8:30pm @ The Promise Resource Center \$25/\$30 BOGO Eligible	29	30 DANCE-IN EVENT FUNDRAISER PRC CLOSED	31

JULY

Including All Children and the Americans with Disabilities Act ***Webinar***

July 6, 2021 | 6:00pm-9:00pm

Webinar | COK: 3 hours of Special Needs
\$30 for members or \$35 for non-members

This training will go over the requirement of the ADA and inclusionary practices in early childhood and school age programs. Also, learn about local, state and national resources available to child care providers.

Ants in Their Pants: Teaching Children Who Must Move to Learn ***Webinar***

July 19&20, 2021 | 1:00pm-2:30pm

Webinar | COK: 3 hours of Curriculum
\$30 for members or \$35 for non-members

Kinesthetic learners are naturally active and have a lot of energy to expend. The ideas and strategies in this workshop will help the child care professional work with and meet the needs of all the children in their care, especially the kinesthetic learner.

CPR and First Aid

@ The Promise Resource Center

July 21, 2021 | 6:00pm-10:00pm

Instructor: Jay Hyde
In-Person Learning | OCC Requirement
\$85 for members and non-members

Participants will be trained in CPR for the infant, child and adult. This class meets the Maryland Child Care Administration's requirements for child care facilities.

Reality Bites: Understanding and Addressing Biting

@ The Promise Resource Center

BOGO Eligible

July 28, 2021 | 6:30pm-8:30pm

In-Person Learning | COK: 2 hours of Child Development
\$25 for members or \$30 for non-members

In this training, participants will learn why a child's development can be a key factor in understanding why children bite. Included are strategies on how to handle several types of biting situations as well as how to discuss a biting incident with parents.

Children's social and emotional health affects their overall development and learning. Participants will explore the importance of developing social-emotional skills in young children and how they can support those skills with simple materials. Participants will experience using the social-emotional materials and will create materials to utilize in their own program.

Jumping Into Social-Emotional Development

@ The Promise Resource Center

BOGO Eligible

July 8, 2021 | 6:30pm-8:30pm

In-Person Learning | COK: 2 hours of Curriculum
\$25 for members or \$30 for non-members



SIDS, SUID and Other Sleep Related Infant Deaths

Webinar

BOGO Eligible

July 13, 2021 | 6:30pm-8:30pm

Instructor: Stacey Heidt

Webinar | COK: 2 hours of Health, Safety, and Nutrition
\$25 for members or \$30 for non-members

As infant and toddler caregivers, it is important to understand SIDS and sleep-related deaths, including the many strategies which can be implemented to reduce the risk of sleep-related death. Participants will review what is SIDS and sleep-related death, review recent research and statistics, gain greater understanding of the role child care plays in keeping infants safe, and the recommendations and strategies for keeping children safe.

TRAINING



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