



NEW MEXICO
Family Infant
Toddler Program

Annual Meeting Agenda
June 16-17, 2010

At the



9201 Balloon Museum Dr., NE Albuquerque, NM 87113
(See Map + Directions)



Day One (Cont...)

1:15 PM to 2:45 PM

Plenary – The Early Childhood Landscape in Washington D.C. & New Mexico

**Sharon Walsh,
Division of Early Childhood (DEC) & Infant
Toddler Coordinators Association (ITCA)**

**Dan Haggard
CYFD Early Childhood Division**

Pugash Hall

2:45 PM – 3:00 PM

Break

3:00 PM – 4:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions

“Reflective Supervision”

Mary Zaremba, UNM-ECLN

Mara Brenner, UNM-ECLN

Sky Lounge

This session will provide an overview reflective supervision and explore how to use this practice to support staff in the implementation of quality early intervention services

“Using Technology for Professional Development and promoting quality early intervention services”

Sbicca Brodeur, FIT Program

Jen Brown, UNM-ECLN

Kimberly Summers – UNM-ECLN

West Meeting Room

This session will provide a demonstration a variety of technology and software including iLinc and Articulate that UNM-ECLN will be using to provide a variety of training and technical assistance to FIT Providers. The session will also show an overview of the new Service Coordination course, which will involve both online learning and two in-class days. Providers will have an opportunity to discuss the use of this software application in the year ahead.

“Inclusion – Providing Early Intervention in Early Head Start and Child Care Settings”

Verna Trujillo, FIT Program

Sophie Bertrand, UNM-ECLN

Alejandra Rebolledo Rea, PMS Head Start

Linda Littlewolf & Sheryl Faulconer, Inclusion Specialists

Pugash Hall

This session will focus on how providers can deliver services to children in inclusive natural environments, such as Early Head Start and childcare. Ideas for how to incorporate mutual outcomes and strategies as part of a comprehensive and integrated service model. The session explores the “how” not just the “where” services are provided

“Billing Under SIG ARRA / Formula ARRA and Regular Provider Agreements”

Albert Ericson, FIT Program

Monique Garza, DDS

Andy Gomm, FIT Program

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This segment will provide an over view of billing under the 3 types of FIT Provider Agreements – 1) SIG ARRA 2) Formula ARRA and 3) the regular Provider Agreement and how to keep them straight! Ideas for tracking utilization will also be provided and participants will have the opportunity to pose questions and discuss issues related to billing.

4:30 PM

Adjourn for the day.



Enjoy your evening!

Day Two (Cont...)

1:15 PM – 2:45 PM

Concurrent Sessions

**“Primary Service Provider Approach
in Early Intervention”**

Sky Lounge

*Cathy Riley, UNM-ECLN
Mary Zaremba, UNM-ECLN*

Jen Brown, UNM-ECLN

This session will give a brief overview of the Primary Service Provider approach / model, as articulated by a number of researchers in the field of early intervention and the National Early Childhood TA Center key principles. Participants will have opportunity to discuss experiences and ask questions about this approach and explore implications for working with contracted team members.

“Transition Changes”

West Meeting Room

*Sophie Bertrand, UNM-ECLN
IDA Tewa, PED-SEB*

Sbicca Brodeur, FIT Program

This session will provide an overview of all of the transition changes made this year and the Extended Part C Option. Providers will have the opportunity to discuss successes and challenges. Implications for transition will also be discussed related to at risk children.

“FIT Scenarios – Questions and Answers”

Pugash Hall

Andy Gomm, FIT Program

Patti Ramsey, FIT

This session will address questions that have been received from providers throughout the year regarding billing, service definitions/standards and regulations. Other questions will be fielded from participants in the session and a discussion will be facilitated. The session will also allow for discussion of the changes planned in FY11.

“Environmental Risk Assessment Tool”

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Verna Trujillo, FIT Program

Michelle Staley, UNM-ECLN

This session offers an overview of the revised Environmental Risk Assessment tool, which will be required for eligibility determination under Environmental Risk. Participants will have opportunity to discuss experience with the tool as well as strategies for effective implementation

2:45 PM – 3:00 PM

Break

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM

**Plenary:
Annual Performance
Report (APR) –
Changes for FY10**

Patti Ramsey, FIT Program

Pugash Hall

3:30 PM

Adjourn

