



Training Instructions

ET 2: Nurturing and Responsive Relationships

1 Training Hour

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Identify activities which foster positive relationships between children, parents, and caregivers
- Demonstrate knowledge of the importance of building relationships as the foundation to quality care

MATERIALS

Training hours will post to your Training Log after completing all steps (1 through 7) for this training. The completion date reflected on your Training Log will be the date the Training Office received your Training Quiz. Receive 1 training hour when the quiz has processed.

1. Training Disc:
 - a. *Nurturing and Responsive Relationships*
2. Supporting articles:
 - a. Building Positive Teacher-Child Relationships
 - b. Responding to Linguistic and Cultural Diversity Recommendations for Effective Early Childhood Education
3. Handouts:
 - a. Training Quiz
 - b. What You Will Learn
 - c. Checklist of Practice
 - d. IdahoSTARS Training Office Cover Sheet

INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1: Review Training Instructions

Step 2: Review What You Will Learn training handout

- What information was familiar to you, or a reminder of what you already knew?
- Was any of the information brand new to you? If so, will you need to make any changes to your practice based on this information?

Step 3: Watch Training Disc, *Nurturing and Responsive Relationships*, through your [provider account](#)

Step 4: Review 2 supporting articles

Step 5: Complete Training Quiz

Submit Training Quiz and Cover Sheet to the IdahoSTARS Training Office for review

Mail to: IdahoSTARS Training Office

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1187 Alturas Drive

Moscow, ID 83843-8331

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Step 6: Complete Checklist of Practice

Identify 2 items from the Checklist of Practices which you marked as “sometimes” or “not yet” which you would like to pay more attention to.

- Make a plan for how you can begin to implement those. Identify barriers to those practices and actions to address them.

Step 7: Complete the Evaluation through your [provider account](#)

Additional Training Information

IDAHO EARLY LEARNING EGUIDELINES

Multiple strategies in the Idaho Early Learning eGuidelines emphasize the importance of building nurturing responsive relationships, which includes embedding intentional strategies throughout the routine in early childhood settings. These strategies are summarized in the [Guiding Principles](#) and Essential Practices of the [Idaho Early Learning eGuidelines](#).

ESSENTIAL TRAININGS

This training is one of the Essential Trainings developed or identified by IdahoSTARS to meet our goal of improving child care through professional development. The Essential Trainings are embedded in Steps to Quality (Idaho’s Quality Rating and Improvement System), and introduce the basics of child development, health & safety, relationships with families & communities, and supporting children with diverse abilities. Think of this training and all Essential Trainings as introductions to a broad subject. You can explore other IdahoSTARS trainings to deepen your knowledge.