

Health, Safety, Nutrition, and Physical Development

Caring for Our Children: National Health and Safety Performance Standards, Guidelines for Out-of-

Home Child Care Programs, 2nd Edition (a joint publication of the American Academy of Pediatrics, National Resource Center, and the American Public Health Association) http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView.cfm

The Changing Face of the United States: The Influence of Culture on Early Child Development http://main.zerotothree.org/site/DocServer/Culture_book.pdf?docID=6921

Child Development 101: The Difference Between Boys and Girls

http://www.first5la.org/articles/child-development-101-the-differences-between-boys-and-girls

Delaware Core Knowledge and Competencies for Early Childhood Professionals (Health, Safety, and Nutrition) http://www.dieec.udel.edu/sites/dieec.udel.edu/files/pdfs/early_childhood_professionals/EC_competenciesECEProf.pdf

Delaware Early Learning Foundations: Infant/Toddler (Physical Development and Health)

http://www.dieec.udel.edu/sites/dieec.udel.edu/files/pdfs/early_childhood_professionals/elfinfanttoddler9-10.pdf

Delaware Early Learning Foundations: Infant/Toddler in Spanish (Desarrollo físico y salud)

http://www.dieec.udel.edu/sites/dieec.udel.edu/files/pdfs/early_childhood_professionals/Infant%20Toddler%20Spanish%20ELF.pdf

Delaware Early Learning Foundations: Preschool (Physical Development and Health)

 $http://www.dieec.udel.edu/sites/dieec.udel.edu/files/pdfs/early_childhood_professionals/elfpreschool9-10.pdf$

Delaware Early Learning Foundations: Preschool (desarrollo físico y salud)

http://www.dieec.udel.edu/sites/dieec.udel.edu/files/pdfs/early_childhood_professionals/Pre-School%20Spanish%20ELF.pdf

Delaware Health Education Standards http://www.doe.k12.de.us/infosuites/staff/ci/content_areas/health.shtml
Delaware Physical Education Standards

http://www.doe.k12.de.us/infosuites/staff/ci/content_areas/phys_ed.shtml

Early Childhood Development: The Promise, the Problem, and the Path Forward

http://www.brookings.edu/research/articles/2013/11/25-early-childhood-development-atinc-gustafsson

The Effect of Poverty on Child Development and Educational Outcomes

http://digitalcommons.calpoly.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1002&context=psycd_fac

The Foundations for School Readiness: Fostering Developmental Competence in the Earliest Years http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/hs/resources/ECLKC_Bookstore/PDFs/TA6%5B1%5D.pdf

The Foundations of Lifelong Health are Built in Early Childhood

http://developingchild.harvard.edu/index.php/resources/reports_and_working_papers/foundations-of-lifelonghealth/

Highlighting the Positive Development of Minority Children

http://www.srcd.org/sites/default/files/documents/washington/spr_brief_minority_children_2013_10_11.pdf

National Association for Sport and Physical Education. (2009). Active Start: A Statement of Physical Activity Guidelines for Children From Birth to Age 5, 2nd Edition

http://www.aahperd.org/naspe/standards/nationalGuidelines/ActiveStart.cfm

National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC). (2009). Position on developmentally appropriate practice. http://www.naeyc.org/files/naeyc/file/positions/PSDAP.pdf

Positioning Young Black Boys for Educational Success

http://www.ets.org/Media/Research/pdf/PIC-PNV19n3.pdf

Prekindergarteners Left Behind: Expulsion Rates in State Prekindergarten Systems

http://www.plan4preschool.org/documents/pk-expulsion.pdf

Preventing Childhood Obesity in Early Care and Education Programs

http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView/SpcCol/Preventing_Childhood_Obesity

Prevention of Child Abuse in Early Childhood Programs and the Responsibilities of Early Childhood
Professionals to Prevent Child Abuse http://www.naeyc.org/files/naeyc/file/positions/PSCHAB98.PDF

Articles

Texts



RESOURCE TOOLKIT

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Aronson, S. S. (Ed.). (2012). *Healthy young children: A manual for programs*, 5th ed. Washington, DC: NAEYC.

Aronson, S. S., & Shope, T. R. (2008). *Managing infectious diseases in child care and schools: A quick reference guide*, 2nd ed. Washington, DC: NAEYC.

Bruns, D. A., & Thompson, S. D. (2012). Feeding challenges in young children: Strategies and specialized interventions for success. Baltimore, MD: Brookes.

Copple, C., & Bredekamp, S. (Eds.). (2009). *Developmentally appropriate practice in early childhood programs* serving children from birth through age 8. Washington, DC: National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC).

Marotz, L. R. (2009). *Health, safety, and nutrition for the young child*, 7th ed. Independence, KY: Cengage. Payne, V.G., & Isaacs, L.D. (2012). *Human motor development: A lifespan approach*, 8th ed. New York:

Rogoff, B. (2003). *The cultural nature of child development*. New York: Oxford University Press. Robertson, C. (2012). *Safety, nutrition, and health in early childhood*, 5th ed. Independence, KY: Cengage.

Child Hunger on the Rise and Causing Problems in the Classroom

http://www.care2.com/causes/child-hunger-on-the-rise-and-causing-problems-in-the-classroom.html#ixzz2dMJ6dorZ

Family Mealtimes Don't Predict Success in School

http://blogs.edweek.org/edweek/early_years/2013/07/family_mealtimes_dont_predict_success_in_school_study_states.html?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+EarlyYears+%28Early+Years %29

Food Insecurity http://www.childrenshealthwatch.org/publication-category/action-briefs/

Part 1: Too Hungry to Learn: Food Insecurity and School Readiness

Part 2: Feeding Our Human Capital: Food Insecurity and Tomorrow's Workforce

How We Play—Cultural Determinants of Physical Activity in Young Children

http://www.aahperd.org/headstartbodystart/activityresources/upload/HowWePlay_LitReview.pdf

The Motor-Cognitive Connection: Early Fine Motor Skills as an Indicator of Future Success

http://www.scilearn.com/blog/early-fine-motor-skills-cognitive-skills.php

Moving Bodies, Building Minds: Foster Preschoolers' Critical Thinking and Problem Solving Through Movement

http://www.naeyc.org/files/yc/file/201109/Moving%20Bodies_Russo_Marigliano_Online_0911.pdf
NEXT for Young Children (companion activities)

http://www.naeyc.org/files/yc/file/201109/NEXT%20YC0911.pdf

Natural Environments: A Letter From a Mother to Friends, Families, and Professionals.

http://yec.sagepub.com/content/5/3/21.full.pdf+html

Prevent Body Issues by Talking to Kids About Healthy Food, Not Weight

http://thinkprogress.org/health/2013/06/25/2211491/parents-body-image-childhood-obesity/

Preventing Childhood Obesity in Early Care and Education Programs

http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView/SpcCol/Preventing_Childhood_Obesity



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Assessment of Normal Child Development (motor, language, fine motor, social) http://pedsexam.mc.duke.edu/

Baby Center (videos on pregnancy, birth, newborn, etc.) http://www.babycenter.com/video

The Biology of Prenatal Development (video series) http://www.ehd.org/resources_bpd_illustrated.php

Breast Feeding in the Child Care Setting https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zz2ld5GQsno

Child Development Videos

http://www.readyforschool.org/Resources-Scholarship/Parents/Child-Development-Videos

Childhood Obesity in America http://justthink.org/about/childhood-obesity-in-america/

Clearing Your View (podcast) http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/tta-system/ehsnrc/Early%20Head%20Start/early-learning/assessment/ClearingYourVie.htm

Clips for Class (video series) http://clipsforclass.com/

Clips for Practicing Observation, Documentation and Assessment Skills (video)

http://www.cde.state.co.us/resultsmatter/RMVideoSeries.htm#01

The Developing Child Video Segments

http://www.pbs.org/wnet/humanspark/lessons/the-developing-child/video-segments/476/

Developmentally Appropriate Practice http://www.naeyc.org/dap

Early Recognition of Child Development Problems (video)

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KrUNBfyjlBk&noredirect=1

Family Style Meals in the Child Care Setting (includes consideration of children who are culturally and ability diverse) http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nj_s89ydnBs&feature=player_embedded

Gonzalez-Mena, J. (1996). *Diversity: Contrasting perspectives*. Crystal Lake, IL: Magna Systems. (7 minutes) http://learningseed.vidcaster.com/j7Dj/diversity-contrasting-perspectives/

Hand Washing and Basic Health Considerations http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=clkHWPW54jQ

Henry Gets Around http://www2.cde.state.co.us/media/resultsmatter/RMSeries/HenryGetsAround.asp

How Nutrition and Physical Activity Affect Early Childhood Development

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pp8Jwf1trH0

Human Development Milestones (video) http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eqdKhtyn0i4&feature=related Infant Nutrition in the Child Care Setting http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=55P4L3JIrJo

Infant-Toddler Development, Screening, and Assessment (online module with activities)

http://www.zerotothree.org/public-policy/state-community-policy/nitcci/multidisciplinary-consultant-module-

Investment in Parks and Recreation is Necessary for Children's Health

http://www.nemours.org/content/dam/nemours/wwwv2/filebox/service/healthy-

living/growuphealthy/nhps/policybrief/parksandrec.pdf

Little Kids, Big Questions http://www.zerotothree.org/about-us/funded-projects/parenting-resources/podcast/ Most Popular Resources on Early Childhood Mental Health

http://www.zerotothree.org/child-development/early-childhood-mental-health/most-popular-resources-on.html

Overview of Typical and Atypical Cognitive Development Birth Through Adolescence (PowerPoint)

http://www.nichd.nih.gov/vision/vision_themes/cognition/Documents/Nelson_Cognition_Workshop.pdf

Pathways Awareness Foundation Motor Development Videos

http://www.youtube.com/user/PathwaysAwareness

Physical Activity in the Child Care Setting http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F-mcKvLKNtk

Piaget's Stages of Development (video series) http://search.about.com/?q=piaget&SUName=video

Play & Motor Development: A Multicultural Perspective http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ly6AxV1TVe8

The Rules of Safe Sleep http://www.dfps.state.tx.us/Room_to_Breathe/

Safe Sleep http://www.michigan.gov/dhs/0,4562,7-124-5453 7124 57836---,00.html

Safe Sleep for Your Baby http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=29sLucYtvpA

Audiovisual Resources



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The Science of Early Childhood Development

http://developingchild.harvard.edu/index.php/resources/multimedia/videos/inbrief_series/inbrief_science of ecd/

Three Core Concepts in Early Development http://developingchild.harvard.edu/resources/multimedia/videos/
Tummy Time

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A49xH_9x5ts&list=PL_cZR66Kfa2inexg9H8Xmh9CaKYJ1CNUk&index=6

University of Northern Iowa Empowering Preschool Quality

http://www.uni.edu/coe/regentsctr/epq/search (to view clips online)

http://www.uni.edu/coe/regentsctr/epq/dvd-order-form (to order free DVDs)

Using Video for Really Watching

http://www.cde.state.co.us/resultsmatter/RMVideoSeries_EarlyIntervention.htm#top

Video Library (physical development, environment/environmental hazards, play, child abuse/maltreatment) http://www.ecetp.pdp.albany.edu/videolibrary.shtm

Well Fed: Nourishing Our Children for a Lifetime http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wH2pJRly0-U

The Whole Child Development Guide: Early School Years (4-8)

http://cache.lego.com/upload/contentTemplating/ParentsChildDevelopment/otherfiles/2057/uploadDF1454F4-DED5-4B71-AAF2-05557D80CA04.pdf

Women and Children's Health Network Web Pages on Child Development (3 years, etc.)

http://www.cyh.com/HealthTopics/HealthTopicDetails.aspx?p=114&np=122&id=1963

Ages and Stages for Caregivers Fact Sheets (1-4 months, etc.) http://ohioline.osu.edu/asc-fact/

Alignment of the Delaware Early Learning Foundations for School Success With The Creative Curriculum For Preschool and the Goals and Objectives of The Creative Curriculum Developmental Continuum for Ages 3-5 http://www.dieec.udel.edu/sites/dieec.udel.edu/files/pdfs/early_childhood_professionals/Delaware_Alignment.pdf

Allergies and Food Sensitivities http://fnic.nal.usda.gov/diet-and-disease/allergies-and-food-sensitivities
American Academy of Pediatrics/Healthy Children.org

http://www.healthychildren.org/english/Pages/default.aspx

(NOTE: If asked for a username and password, click CANCEL and you'll be redirected to the site)

Brain Development http://main.zerotothree.org/site/PageServer?pagename=key_brain

Caring for Children with HIV or AIDS in Child Care

http://www.childcarelaw.org/docs/caringforchildrenwithhivoraids.pdf

Center on Everyday Child Language Learning http://www.cecll.org/

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention http://www.cdc.gov/

Child Development http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/childdevelopment/index.html

Child Development http://www.pbs.org/parents/child-development/

Developmental and Behavioral Screening Initiative

http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ecd/news/developmental-and-behavioral-screening-initiative

Education and Training on Feeding Your Children (EAT) http://ehs.siu.edu/eat/

Foundation for Child Development http://fcd-us.org/

From Playpen to Playground—The Importance of Physical Play for the Motor Development of Young Children http://www.aahperd.org/headstartbodystart/activityresources/upload/BenefitsOfPlay AnnoBib.pdf

Games for Growing: Teaching Your Baby With Early Learning Games

http://www.researchtopractice.info/productSolutionsGG.php

Grow It, Try It, Like It! Preschool Fun With Fruits and Vegetables

http://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/Resources/growit.html?utm_source=BUILD+ECE+News%2C+November+27%2C+2013&utm_campaign=Build+news&utm_medium=email



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Health Tips for Families Series http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/tta-system/health/center/health-literacy-family-engagement/family-education/tipsheetfamily.htm

Healthy Child Care America http://www.healthychildcare.org/

Healthy Eating for Preschoolers http://www.nal.usda.gov/wicworks/Topics/Preschooler.pdf

Healthy From the Start: How Feeding Nurtures Your Young Child's Body, Heart and Mind

http://www.zerotothree.org/child-development/health-nutrition/health_eng.pdf (English)

http://www.zerotothree.org/child-development/health-nutrition/health_sp.pdf (Spanish)

Heartland Equity and Inclusion Project: Health, Safety and Nutrition in Early Childhood http://www.heartland.edu/heip/faculty/chld202.jsp

KidsHealth http://kidshealth.org/parent/kh_misc/nemours.html

Learn about Fine Motor Skills and How to Improve Them

http://learningdisabilities.about.com/od/df/p/finemotorskills.htm

Let's Move http://www.healthykidshealthyfuture.org/

- Early Care and Education Learning Collaboratives
 http://www.healthykidshealthyfuture.org/home/collaborate/ecelcproject.html
- Healthy Eating http://www.healthykidshealthyfuture.org/home/nutrition.html
- Physical Activities http://www.healthykidshealthyfuture.org/home/activities.html

Most Popular Resources on Health and Nutrition

http://www.zerotothree.org/child-development/health-nutrition/professional-resources-on.html Motor Delays: Early Identification and Evaluation

http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/early/2013/05/22/peds.2013-1056.abstract (abstract)

http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/early/2013/05/22/peds.2013-1056.full.pdf+html (full article)

National Center on Health http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/tta-system/health

National Center for Physical Development and Outdoor Play http://www.aahperd.org/headstartbodystart/ National Resource Center for Health and Safety in Child Care and Education http://nrckids.org/

- A-Z Child Care Information Links http://nrckids.org/index.cfm/resources/a-z-child-care-information-links1/
- Checklist for Assessing Health and Safety in Child Care Programs
 http://nrckids.org/default/assets/File/Stepping%20Stones%203rd%20Ed%20Compliance_Comparison%20Checklist booklet%20Final.pdf
- Oral Health in Child Care and Early Education http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView/SpcCol/Oral-Health

The Negative Effects of Instability on Child Development: Fact Sheet

http://www.urban.org/UploadedPDF/412908-The-Negative-Effects-of-Instability-on-Child-Development.pdf
New Strategies to Improve Food Marketing to Children

http://www.rwjf.org/en/about-rwjf/newsroom/newsroom-content/2013/09/strategies-to-improve-food-marketing-to-children.html?cid=XEM A7540

Nutrition & Wellness Tips for Young Children: Provider Handbook for the Child and Adult Care Food Program http://www.teamnutrition.usda.gov/Resources/nutritionandwellness.html

Preventing Childhood Obesity in Early Care and Education Programs

http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView/SpcCol/Preventing_Childhood_Obesity

Raising Boys and Girls: Differences in Physical Development

http://www.babycenter.com/0_raising-boys-and-girls-differences-in-physical-development_3659011.bc

Recipes for Healthy Kids http://www.teamnutrition.usda.gov/Resources/recipes_for_healthy_kids.html

Recommended Child Care Health and Safety Resources

http://www.healthychildcare.org/pdf/health&safetyresources.pdf



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Resources on Health and Safety in Early Child Care

http://www.naeyc.org/files/naeyc/Resources_Health_Safety_ECC.pdf

Safe Sleep Practices and SIDS/Suffocation Risk Reduction

http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView/SpcCol/Safe_sleep

Safe to Sleep Public Information Campaign Materials http://www.nichd.nih.gov/sts/Pages/default.aspx

Safe Kids Worldwide http://www.safekids.org/

Sanitation Policies and Procedures http://cfoc.nrckids.org/StandardView/9.2.3.10

Supporting Growth and Development of Babies in Child Care: What Does the Research Say

http://main.zerotothree.org/site/DocServer/ChildCareResearchBrief.pdf?docID=3542

Supporting Outdoor Play and Exploration for Infants and Toddlers

http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/tta-system/ehsnrc/docs/ehs-ta-paper-14-outdoor-play.pdf

Time to Act: Investing in the Health of Our Children and Communities

http://www.rwjf.org/content/dam/farm/reports/reports/2014/rwjf409002/subassets/rwjf409002_1 (summary)

http://www.rwjf.org/content/dam/farm/reports/reports/2014/rwjf409002 (full report)

Twelve principles of child development and learning that inform practice

http://www.naeyc.org/dap/12-principles-of-child-development

US Consumer Product Safety Commission http://www.cpsc.gov/

US Department of Agriculture

- Center for Nutrition Policy and Promotion http://www.cnpp.usda.gov/
- Choose My Plate http://www.choosemyplate.gov/
- Child and Adult Care Food Program http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/care/

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