

# 2042 Summer Conference

## One Goal: Building The Future Together

### “Putting Families And Children First”



Hilton Tampa Downtown • Tampa, Florida  
July 42/44.'4244

## 2044 SUMMER CONFERENCE

### Wednesday, July 42.'4244

<b>9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.</b>	<b>EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS &amp; SERVICES EXHIBITS</b>	<b>Bayshore I</b>
<b>12:00 NOON-12:45 P.M.</b>	<b>FIRST TIMERS' ORIENTATION SESSION</b>	<b>Palma Ceia II</b>
<b>1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.</b>	<b>OPENING GENERAL SESSION</b> Keynote Speaker: Dr. Nekeshia Hammond	<b>Bayshore II</b>
<b>3:15 P.M.-4:45 P.M.</b>	<b>CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS</b>	
1. The Federal Landscape: Assessing The Opportunities For Early Care And Education	Public Policy & Advocacy	Bayshore V
2. Put It All Together: Cleverly Dealing With Challenging Behaviors At The Moment!!	Mental Health/Behaviors	Bayshore VI
3. Building Connections, Building Brains	Child Growth and Development	Bayshore VII
4. Managing Developmental Screenings: Our Road To Compliance	Screenings/Assessments/Eval	Palma Ceia I
5. Play with Me! Connecting Play To The CLASS Dimensions	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia II
6. Parents as Partners	Family Engagement	Palma Ceia III
7. Creating A Community Of Providers Through High-Quality Professional Development	Management& Leadership	Palma Ceia IV
8. Phonological Awareness, Phonics And The Alphabet, Oh My!	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Esplanade I
9. Hiring Made Easy: 7 Tools And Strategies To Overcome Child Care Hiring Crisis	Management & Leadership	Esplanade II
10. Essentials For Early Childhood Programs - Evidence-Based Practices	Special Needs & Inclusion	Esplanade III
11. The Language Of Learning For Infants, Toddlers And Twos	Child Growth & Development	Garrison
<b>5:00 P.M.-6:00 P.M.</b>	<b>“REDISCOVERING YOUR CHILD”</b>	<b>Bayshore II</b>

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Vj wt sday, July 43.'4244

**8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.**

**COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS**

**Bayshore I**

**8:30 A.M.-10:00 A.M.**

**CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

12. With Thoughtfulness, Diligence, And Caring	Child Growth & Development	Bayshore V
13. Who Moved My Motivation: Dealing With Lingering Stressors	Management & Leadership	Bayshore VI
14. Are You Asking The Right Question? Supporting Higher Order Thinking Skills	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore VII
15. Helping Young Children Develop Mathematical Thinking Skills	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia II
16. Positive Behavior Supports: Making It Work For You	Mental Health/Behaviors	Palma Ceia III
17. Leading A Healthy Environment:The Essentials Of A Positive Center Culture/Climate	Management & Leadership	Palma Ceia IV
18. Essentials For Teaching Social, Emotional, And Behavioral Skills	Special Needs & Inclusion	Esplanade I
19. The Journey Starts With You: Understanding The Resources And Referral Process	Child Growth/Special Needs	Esplanade II
20. ¿Qué Sabemos Sobre El Desarrollo Infantil?	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Esplanade III
21. The Language Of Learning For Preschool	Child Growth & Development	Garrison

**10:15 A.M.-11:45 A.M.**

**CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

22. Interactions And Relationships: Making Connections That Change Lives	Mental Health/Behaviors	Bayshore V
23. Positive Looking: Maximizing The Development Of Visual Skills Within Stories	Special Needs/Child Growth	Bayshore VI
24. Why Science? How Science Can Drive High-Quality Teaching And Learning	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore VII
25. 2022 State And Federal Legislative Review	Public Policy & Advocacy	Palma Ceia II
26. Descubriendo El Espectro: Comprendiendo El Autismo	Special Needs & Inclusion	Palma Ceia III
27. Leadership in Early Childhood Programs	Management & Leadership	Palma Ceia IV
28. Ages and Stages Questionnaires® (ASQ) Best Practices	Screenings/Assessments/Eval	Esplanade I
29. PEEP (Parental Education And Engagement Through Positioning And Play)	Child Growth/Infant & Toddler	Esplanade II
30. What Do We Know About Child Development?	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Esplanade III
31. Teaching Diversity, Equity And Inclusion In The Early Childhood Classroom	Cultural Diversity/Special Needs	Garrison

**12:00 NOON-1:15 P.M.**

**RESEARCH PRESENTATION**

**Bayshore II**

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Charles Bleiker

**1:30 P.M.-2:30 P.M.**

**CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

32. Art For Art's Sake - It's ALL About The Process	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore V
33. Sticks And Stones May Break My Bones, But Words Will Always Hurt Me	Mental Health/Behaviors	Bayshore VI
34. What's New In Child Care	Health, Safety & Nutrition	Bayshore VII
35. Powering It Up: Partnering With Families To Strengthen Program Implementation	Family Engagement	Palma Ceia I
36. Integrating CLASS And The Florida Early Learning and Developmental Standards	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Palma Ceia II
37. "Coaching" The Secret Sauce To Staff Development!	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia III
38. Preschool Development Renewal Grant Update	Collaboration	Palma Ceia IV
39. Wee The People: Fostering Civic Literacy In The Preschool Classroom	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Esplanade I
40. Advanced Communication Skills For Leaders	Management & Leadership	Esplanade II
41. Engaging All Students During Story Time	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Esplanade III
42. Promoting Healthy Habits For Kids By Establishing A Healthy Child Care Program	Child Growth/Health	Garrison

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**2:45 P.M.-3:45 P.M.**

## **CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

43. Music And You: Moving And Grooving!	Health, Safety & Nutrition	Bayshore II
44. Multisensory Approach To Phonemic Awareness And Phonics Instruction	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore V
45. Rising Above Your Inner Muggle: Building Positive Work Relationships	Management & Leadership	Bayshore VI
46. Transportation In Child Care - What's New?	Health, Safety & Nutrition	Bayshore VII
47. Take Time For Me	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia I
48. The Science Of Read-Alouds: Accelerating Literacy Growth For Early Learners	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Palma Ceia II
49. Sound Beginnings: Early Language Development - Best Practices For Early Learning	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia III
50. The Impact Of Mentorship Programs Designed By Teachers For Teachers	Collaboration	Palma Ceia IV
51. Promoting Infant Mental Health Practices Among Our Early Learning Workforce	Mental Health/Infant & Toddler	Esplanade I
52. Building Family Partnerships From The Ground Up	Family Engagement	Esplanade II
53. Even SuperHeroes Need Support-The Power of Emotional Intelligence	Mental Health/Behaviors	Esplanade III
54. Art And Art Exploration In The Early Childhood Years	Cultural Diversity/Multicultural Ed	Garrison

**4:00 P.M.-5:00 P.M.**

## **CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

55. Sing, Dance And Learn	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore II
56. Missing Milestones: When To Take Action With Infants And Toddlers	Special Needs/Infant & Toddler	Bayshore V
57. You're Letting Them Climb UP The Slide? - The Many Benefits Of Risk Taking	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore VI
58. Differential Monitoring: Key Indicator System For Abbreviated Inspection	Health, Safety & Nutrition	Bayshore VII
59. Setting the Stage for Learning: Intentional Environments	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia I
60. Defining The Problem And Understanding The Impact Of Trauma On Children	Mental Health/Behaviors	Palma Ceia II
61. Grassroots Advocacy And You	Collaboration	Palma Ceia III
62. Using STEM To Make CLASS Instructional Support Relevant	Child Growth & Development	Palma Ceia IV
63. Ordinary Magic	Family Engagement	Esplanade I
64. The Science Of Goal Setting	Management & Leadership	Esplanade II
65. Let's Give Them Something To Talk About	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Garrison

**7:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.**

## **"COME ALIVE WITH MUSIC AND KARAKOKE/LIP SYNC PARTY"**

**Bayshore II**

# 2044 SUMMMER CONFERENCE

Friday, July 4, 2024

**8:00 A.M.-11:45 A.M.**

**COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS**

**Bayshore I**

**8:30 A.M.-10:00 A.M.**

**CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

66. Creating a Positive Environment: Attention To Detail	Mental Health/Child Growth	Bayshore II
67. The Power of Simple Interactions: Understanding/Promoting Everyday Interactions	Child Growth & Development	Bayshore V
68. Laying Foundations To Make Literacy Alive For Children W/Complex Learning Needs	Special Needs & Inclusion	Bayshore VI
69. Planting The Seeds For Social-Emotional Growth In The Preschool Classroom	Mental Health/Behaviors	Bayshore VII
70. It Takes A Village: Cultivating Family Engagement	Family Engagement	Palma Ceia I
71. Interactive Math Experiences With Infants And Toddlers	Dev Appropriate/Infant & Toddler	Palma Ceia II
72. Inclusion - Una Introduccion A La Inclusion	Special Needs & Inclusion	Palma Ceia III
73. Analyzing Staff For Optimal Performance	Management & Leadership	Palma Ceia IV
74. Self-Care For Heroes	Management & Leadership	Esplanade I
75. I Think It Might Be Autism - What Can I Do? Strategies For Supporting Children	Special Needs & Inclusion	Esplanade II
76. Do COVID Babies Talk Less?	Child Growth & Development	Esplanade III
77. Building Brains With Music	Child Growth & Development	Garrison

**10:15 A.M.-11:45 A.M.**

**CONCURRENT PRESENTATIONS**

78. Creativity And Problem-Solving: Keys To Optimize Learning	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Bayshore V
79. Let's Make Stories SPARKLE! (A Model Of Literacy In Action!)	Special Needs & Inclusion	Bayshore VI
80. Top 10 List Of Licensing Violations And Ways To Stay Compliant	Health, Safety & Nutrition	Bayshore VII
81. Building Capacity For Continued Success	Management & Leadership	Palma Ceia I
82. Let's Play Games That Teach Early Literacy, Reading, And Math!	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Palma Ceia II
83. Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Policy Updates	Dev Appropriate Curriculum	Palma Ceia III
84. Giving Your Program A Strong Foundation: Florida's Pyramid Model/Prog Success	Mental Health/Behaviors	Palma Ceia IV
85. Dev Appropriate Practices- What Does It Really Look Like For Infants/Toddlers/Twos	Child Growth/Infant & Toddler	Esplanade I
86. Ants In The Pants	Special Needs & Inclusion	Esplanade II
87. Add "POP" To Parent Participation	Family Engagement	Esplanade III
88. Mindful Caregivers, Mindful Children	Mental Health/Behaviors	Garrison

**12:00 NOON-1:30 P.M.**

**CLOSING GENERAL SESSION**

**Bayshore II**

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Dana Winters