



# The Seventh National Early Childhood Inclusion Institute

Supporting Natural Environments  
& Inclusion for Children  
Birth - Age Five

The William and Ida Friday Center for  
Continuing Education, Chapel Hill, NC

July 31 - August 2, 2007

## Building Opportunities for Inclusion Through:

- Evidence-based practices
- Qualified personnel
- System developments
- Effective models

## Institute Goals

- To learn about research findings and resources to guide inclusive policy, professional development and practice
- To develop better collaborative relationships and cross-agency systems to support early childhood inclusion
- To gain awareness of strategies and models to support inclusive services
- To meet, learn from and problem solve with peers

## Institute Features

- Strand on Social-Emotional Development and Challenging Behavior
- SpecialQuest Training of Trainers

## Who Should Attend?

- State and Local Administrators
- Teachers
- Early Interventionists
- Allied Health Professionals
- Inclusion Specialists
- Technical Assistance Providers
- Staff from Federally Funded Projects
- Parents

## From Which Programs?

- Child Care
- Head Start/Early Head Start
- IDEA Part C/Infant-Toddler and Section 619/Preschool Programs
- State Pre-Kindergarten Programs
- Parent Training and Information Centers (PTIs) and Community Parent Resource Centers (CPRCs)
- Developmental Disabilities (DD)
- Institutions of Higher Education
- Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies (CCR&Rs)

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- OSEP Preschool LRE and Part C Settings Communities of Practice
- US Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP)
- US Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Head Start, Administration on Developmental Disabilities, Child Care Bureau
- Center for Evidence-Based Practice: Young Children with Challenging Behavior
- Center on the Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning
- Hilton/Early Head Start Training Program
- National Consortium on Deaf-Blindness

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**Registration Fee:** \$200

**CEUs will be available for attendees**