

# Reading free Investing in kids early childhood programs and local economic development .pdf

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debates for understanding the mechanisms of program effects and for educators who wish to deepen their knowledge of practice robert c pianta university of virginia i urge all higher education faculty in service teacher trainers accreditation observers researchers text book writers and policymakers of standards to read this book from the foreword by louise derman sparks to learn more about rowman littlefield titles please visit us at rowmanlittlefield.com the long awaited new edition of naeyc's book developmentally appropriate practice in early childhood programs is here fully revised and updated since the first edition in 1987 it has been an essential resource for the early childhood education field early childhood educators have a professional responsibility to plan and implement intentional developmentally appropriate learning experiences that promote the social and emotional development physical development and health cognitive development and general learning competencies of each child served but what is developmentally appropriate practice dap dap is a framework designed to promote young children's optimal learning and development through a strengths based approach to joyful engaged learning as educators make decisions to support each child's learning and development they consider what they know about 1 commonality in children's development and learning 2 each child as an individual within the context of their family and community and 3 everything discernible about the social and cultural contexts for each child each educator and the program as a whole this latest edition of the book is fully revised to underscore the critical role social and cultural contexts play in child development and learning including new research about implicit bias and teachers own context and consideration of advances in neuroscience educators implement developmentally appropriate practice by recognizing the many assets all young children bring to the early learning program as individuals and as members of families and communities they also develop an awareness of their own context building on each child's strengths educators design and implement learning settings to help each child achieve their full potential across all domains of development and across all content areas comprehensive and authoritative this forward thinking book reviews the breadth of current knowledge about early education and identifies important priorities for practice and policy robert c pianta and his associates bring together foremost experts to examine what works in promoting all children's school readiness and social emotional development in preschool and the primary grades exemplary programs instructional practices and professional development initiatives and the systems needed to put them into place are described the volume presents cutting edge findings on the family and social context of early education and explores ways to strengthen collaboration between professionals and 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family child care and the creative curriculum for infants and toddlers the creative curriculum for preschool now in its fifth edition is the most widely used preschool curriculum in the united states she also served as content specialist or scriptwriter on over forty educational videos for pbs and reading is fundamental and developed online training for early childhood caregivers and family child care providers for naccrra national association of child care resource and referral agencies diane trister dodge founder and president of teaching strategies inc is the author of numerous books articles and training materials on early childhood education she is the lead author on all of teaching strategies books including the popular the creative curriculum series derry koralek is the president of dgk company an independent consultant in early childhood education and developer of training materials and guidebooks past clients include reading is fundamental the head start bureau military child development programs and the devereux foundation koralek is a past editor in chief of teaching young children national association for the education of young children and winner of the association for educational publishing golden lamp award 2014 for a course serving prospective and in service early childhood program administrators this text provides specific guidance on planning for implementing marketing and evaluating programs serving children from birth through school age designed to be useful for all early childhood administrators this text includes a balance of research based statements implementation strategies and resources to prompt further investigation it aids in the initial planning of early childhood programs and is a source of helpful information after programs are under way the purpose of this text will be realized when the student makes wiser judgments about planning and administering early childhood programs we live in a world that is transitioning from focus on early 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the communication and dissemination of the results of evaluations is included mp the authors of this practical timely work maintain that the public schools can and should play a role in delivering both a good educational start and high quality care to young children addressed to a wide readership including federal and state legislators state commissioners of social services and education policy planners education and advocacy organizations and public school administrators this book focuses on the major contemporary child care issues in a readable understandable format it will by virtue of its breadth and authority change the way those in the field perceive and respond to the critical and sensitive problems of early care with a focus on the leader s role in initiating and sustaining anti bias education in programs for young children and their families this book is both a stand alone text and a perfect companion for anti bias education for young children and ourselves it emphasizes that 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effectively with issues of race class gender family and ability and equity this book is a tool box for building early childhood programs that foster sentiments of justice and fairness in leaders teachers and young children and help them to act on these values herbert kohl educator and bestselling author of the herb kohl reader awakening the heart of teaching this resource book is intended for professionals and policy makers it reviews services for children including those for poor disadvantaged disabled english as a second language and infants and toddlers in this book early childhood authorities assist the readers in identifying the trends research and issues that are at the heart of important decisions in curriculum instruction and supervision this timely handbook presents evidence and recommendations to make informed decisions for planning funding and operating high quality educational programs for children ages 3 8 broadbent describes programs she created and taught to combined first and second grade classes chapters include descriptions of programs designed to address a wide range of ages intellectual levels and abilities without limits for achievement programs that parallel opportunities for healthy cognitive growth children were involved in self initiated learning through exploration discovery and experimentation and motivating academic programs many programs with a different level of achievement are appropriate for younger older and gifted students upon reading this book another teacher may either adapt all or part of these programs as written or using the design of these programs create one s own her programs include a daily choice time discussing how cognitive gains formed are the tools required for successful achievement in all academic areas how each beginning reader read her own book and after supplying enough materials guidance and support each child taught herself to read two language experience approaches for those in greatest need a literature 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how writing is incorporated in many areas throughout the year stimulating supplementary activities in the math program with problem solving strategies patterning visual data and fun games and activities an extensive experiment with lima beans in the science program for social studies an emphasis upon personal development social interaction and cultural awareness a study of drama was learned after the class visited a professional theatre then returned to the classroom to create and perform their own plays peggy s web site peggybroadbent.com is included to view and copy materials for classroom use fundamentals of early childhood education provides a brief reader friendly introduction to the field of early childhood education fundamentals presents chapter features on early childhood programs professionals in practice diversity strategies technology issues and ethical decision making separate chapters on infants and toddlers preschoolers kindergartners and primary grade children explore each age group s unique developmental and educational needs fundamentals emphasis on professionalism throughout keeps the focus on meeting the needs of all children and providing up to date information and strategies to develop competent informed early childhood professionals book jacket this book represents the early childhood profession s consensus definition of developmentally appropriate practice in early childhood programs it is intended for use by teachers administrators parents and policy makers details the preparation planning implementation financing monitoring and evaluation of diverse early childhood care programming strategies this comprehensive book provides the knowledge and skills that prospective early childhood teachers need in order to confidently educate young children while effectively collaborating with parents other professionals and community agencies it encourages readers to take full advantage of the educational arena to give all young children the tools they need to succeed in school and in life the broadest foundational coverage available is organized around seven core themes professionalism in practice theory to practice diversity family centered community based practice timeliness developmentally appropriate practice and applying technology throughout the material special features showcase the reality of early childhood education as it happens today special coverage of child care facilitates students understanding of the field of child care offering ideas for developing plans to meet the childcare needs of the future discusses federal and state support for early childhood programs covering such programs as head start and even start this book first published in 1992 provides an overview of programs for young children in countries and territories of the pacific rim it focuses on programs which precede the beginning of formal schooling and that are part of the institutional structure of the country the term early childhood education is used in a broad sense and refers to education and care the contributors to this volume have extensive knowledge and experience of early education in the countries that they write about this book describes methods of support and intervention teachers can use to create social inclusion in preschool and the primary grades combining general early childhood education with special education this unique volume explains a wide variety of strategies ranging from environmental arrangement on the spot teaching and cooperative learning to more intensive individually targeted interventions for children experiences challenges and disabilities whether you direct administrate or lead early childhood education developing and administering an early childhood education program 10e provides the knowledge and skills you need for success this comprehensive edition highlights the director s role in leading both people and programs with an emphasis on business and interpersonal skills you also learn how to select and implement a high quality curriculum updates present the latest changes in the field including naeyc s 2020 statement on developmentally appropriate practice and new position statement advancing equity revised chapters integrate naeyc s power to the profession unifying framework a new chapter addresses leadership during change and crisis practical insights guide you through all aspects of directing a program from budgeting facility and equipment to selecting training and supervising staff working with children and parents and handling accrediting licensing evaluations and improvements public education begins with kindergarten for most children but an estimated 1 million prekindergarten children are also in public schools and the number is increasing in december 1997 the national institute on early childhood development and education in the u s department of education s office of educational research and improvement convened a group of national state and community early childhood and education leaders to discuss the interrelationship between preschool and public education meeting participants unanimously agreed on the need to move from the current state of fragmented programs to a coordinated preschool care and education system that is linked with the public school system based on discussions at that meeting and on recent related data and research this publication is intended to provide schools families and communities with information and ideas about public school prekindergarten and other preschool care and education initiatives that are linked with public schools the publication offers insights from meeting participants about public school involvement in early childhood and provides examples of how states and communities are designing programs to expand and improve preschool care and education following an introduction and background information on the meeting the publication explores the following questions pursued at the meeting 1 why should schools be involved in early childhood 2 what roles should schools play in early childhood 3 what facilitates school involvement in early childhood 4 what challenges do public schools face with involvement in

early childhood 5 what are the key issues for professional development and 6 what are the key research and evaluation questions the publication concludes with a 52 item bibliography and lists of meeting participants and state early childhood education contacts hth the training of trainers tot evaluation investigated the efficacy of the high scope model for improving the quality of early childhood programs on a national scale to address this question the high scope foundation undertook a multimethod evaluation that collected anecdotal records from the consultants and 793 participants in 40 tot projects surveyed a random sample of 203 endorsed trainers around the country interviewed and observed highly qualified teachers in 244 high scope and 122 non high scope settings and assessed 97 children in high scope and 103 in comparison programs in addition to the particular question about high scope s effectiveness in doing training the study also addressed broader questions about the role of inservice training in improving early childhood program quality and enhancing young children s development some of the results of the study include the following 1 high scope training is effective and evidence indicated that inservice training contributes significantly to program quality and children s development 2 although both high scope and comparison settings offered high quality programs there were significant differences high scope programs were better than comparison programs at organizing the environment encouraging independent thought and action and using adult child interaction to promote reasoning and language skills 3 teachers formal education inservice training and experience were all significant predictors of program quality contains 56 references tjq

# ***Culture and Child Development in Early Childhood Programs***

2010

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## ***Early Childhood Programs***

1992

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## **The Preschool in Action**

1977

the long awaited new edition of naeyc's book developmentally appropriate practice in early childhood programs is here fully revised and updated since the first edition in 1987 it has been an essential resource for the early childhood education field early childhood educators have a professional responsibility to plan and implement intentional developmentally appropriate learning experiences that promote the social and emotional development physical development and health cognitive development and general learning competencies of each child served but what is developmentally appropriate practice dap dap is a framework designed to promote young children's optimal learning and development through a strengths based approach to joyful engaged learning as educators make decisions to support each child's learning and development they consider what they know about 1 commonality in children's development and learning 2 each child as an individual within the context of their family and community and 3 everything discernible about the social and cultural contexts for each child each educator and the program as a whole this latest edition of the book is fully revised to underscore the critical role social and cultural contexts play in child development and learning including new research about implicit bias and teachers own context and consideration of advances in neuroscience educators implement developmentally appropriate practice by recognizing the many assets all young children bring to the early learning program as individuals and as members of families and communities they also develop an awareness of their own context building on each child's strengths educators design and implement learning settings to help each child achieve their full potential across all domains of development and across all content areas

## **Developmentally Appropriate Practice in Early Childhood Programs Serving Children from Birth Through Age 8, Fourth Edition (Fully Revised and Updated)**

2021-08

comprehensive and authoritative this forward thinking book reviews the breadth of current knowledge about early education and identifies important priorities for practice and policy robert c pianta and his associates bring together foremost experts to examine what works in promoting all children's school readiness and social emotional development in preschool and the primary grades exemplary programs instructional practices and professional development initiatives and the systems needed to put them into place are described the volume presents cutting edge findings on the family and social context of

early education and explores ways to strengthen collaboration between professionals and parents

## **Handbook of Early Childhood Education**

2012-02-23

over the past decade early childhood education and care has moved onto the policy agenda in many countries there is growing recognition that early access to quality education and appropriate care provides young children with a good and fair start in life while scientific research constantly brings new insights into brain development and the enormous importance of the first years of a child's life the early 20th century theories of one russian psychologist lev s vygotsky 1896 1934 have had profound and diverse impacts upon the early childhood education traditions in both the east and the west and remain highly relevant today recently more than 750 early childhood education researchers practitioners policymakers and ngo activists from around the world met in prague at exploring vygotsky's ideas crossing borders the 17th annual conference of the european early childhood education research association eecera hosted by the international step by step association issa in an effort to share many of the intriguing ideas and practices discussed during the conference with a broader audience issa invited leading presenters to explore their experiences in early childhood through the prism of vygotsky's theories and ideas the result of issa's initiative is this volume of papers which examine vygotsky's legacy on early childhood education systems in both the east and the west offering ideas which can be used to work for the benefit of children and societies across the globe

## **Access to Early Childhood Programs for Children at Risk**

1994

this popular guide offers future early childhood administrators all the information they will need to succeed in directing successful early childhood care programs its understandable format helps familiarize readers with the growth and development of children the needs of families and the laws and requirements for safe environments and healthy children families and employees topics include the needs of children and families programs for children programs for diverse populations philosophy of the center organizational structure management of personnel management of programs resources and time health safety in child care planning space and purchasing equipment record keeping and finance and budgeting for early childhood administrators

## ***Early Childhood Programs as the Doorway to Social Cohesion***

2020-05-15

an invaluable tool for the director supervisor striving to identify what aspects of an early childhood program need improvement the detailed descriptions of what one should see in high quality programs and why gives readers a strong foundation of child development knowledge and of principles translated into practice laura colker is the author of over 100 publications and instructional guides including co authorship of the creative curriculum for preschool the creative curriculum for family child care and the creative curriculum for infants and toddlers the creative curriculum for preschool now in its fifth edition is the most widely used preschool curriculum in the united states she also served as content specialist or scriptwriter on over forty educational videos for pbs and reading is fundamental and developed online training for early childhood caregivers and family child care providers for naccrra national association of child care resource and referral agencies diane trister dodge founder and president of teaching strategies inc is the author of numerous books articles and training materials on early childhood education she is the lead author on all of teaching strategies books including the popular the creative curriculum series derry koralek is the president of dgk company an independent consultant in early childhood education and developer of training materials and guidebooks past clients include reading is fundamental the head start bureau military child development programs and the deveurex foundation koralek is a past editor in chief of teaching young children national association for the education of young children and winner of the association for educational publishing golden lamp award 2014

## **Early Childhood Program Management**

2002

for a course serving prospective and in service early childhood program administrators this text provides specific guidance on planning for implementing marketing and evaluating programs serving children from birth through school age designed to be useful for all early childhood administrators this text includes a balance of research based statements implementation strategies and resources to prompt further investigation it aids in the initial planning of early childhood programs and is a source of helpful information after programs are under way the purpose of this text will be realized when the student makes wiser judgments about planning and administering early childhood programs

## ***High-Quality Early Childhood Programs***

2018-01-09

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## **Planning and Administering Early Childhood Programs**

1984

establishes the power of early care and education to change children s lives particularly children in poverty

## **Early Childhood Programs**

1996-07

here s the practical hands on information educators need in order to become successful administrators of childcare centers and child development centers with a focus on what center directors need to know and what they need to be able to do the book guides readers through the process of identifying a program s core values and drafting mission and vision statements included is coverage of current issues such as the factors affecting supply and demand for childcare as well as the initiatives to enhance program quality ensure affordability and provide access to all children and families planning and administering early childhood programs addresses the latest trends affecting the childcare workforce and provides specific guidance for recruiting hiring and retaining quality personnel including job descriptions and hiring practices the role of the program administrator as mentor coach and instructional leader are covered along with important business issues within the administrator s responsibilities such as financial planning and budget development and management how to use social media effectively program evaluation facility planning and management and much more

## **Early Childhood Programs**

1993

intended for students in early childhood education programs with a focus on children with special needs disabilities inclusion in existing children s programs discussion of early childhood development and how best to support it discussion of various disabilities and challenges cognitive learning physical how to identify and plan to support



# **Planning and Administering Early Childhood Programs: Pearson New International Edition PDF eBook**

2013-10-03

prepared by the panel on outcome measurement in early childhood demonstration programs this report attempts 1 to characterize recent developments in programs and policies for children and families that challenge traditional approaches to evaluation and 2 to trace the implications of these developments for outcome measurement and for the broader conduct of evaluation studies the report is divided into two parts part i begins by tracing the historical evolution of demonstration programs and their evaluations from 1960 to the mid 1970s next the policy issues and programs that have evolved in recent years and that appear to be salient for the 1980s are examined in detail some important implications of these programs and policy developments for outcome measurement and evaluation design are then identified finally implications of the evaluation process for the dissemination and utilization of results for the organization and conduct of applied research and for the articulation between applied research and basic social science are pointed out part ii includes six background papers which were prepared by the panel members together with outside consultants to facilitate the panel s discussion of the evaluation of children s programs each paper covers a specific type of program health day care family service preschool compensatory education programs and programs for the handicapped in addition a paper on the communication and dissemination of the results of evaluations is included mp

## **Common Characteristics and Unique Qualities in Preschool Programs**

2012-11-29

the authors of this practical timely work maintain that the public schools can and should play a role in delivering both a good educational start and high quality care to young children addressed to a wide readership including federal and state legislators state commissioners of social services and education policy planners education and advocacy organizations and public school administrators this book focuses on the major contemporary child care issues in a readable understandable format it will by virtue of its breadth and authority change the way those in the field perceive and respond to the critical and sensitive problems of early care

## ***Administering Early Childhood Education Programs***

1976

with a focus on the leader s role in initiating and sustaining anti bias education in programs for young children and their families this book is both a stand alone text and a perfect companion for anti bias education for young children and ourselves it emphasizes that this work is not only about changing curriculum but requires thoughtful strategic long term planning that addresses all components of an early childhood program with a powerful combination of conceptual frameworks strategies and practical tools louise derman sparks renowned expert on anti bias education together with experienced early childhood directors debbie leekeen and john nimmo explain the structural and individual changes leaders must foster featuring the authors extensive experience in the field supplemented with insights from other anti bias educators they build on and expand current thinking about best early childhood leadership practices this is an essential resource for anti bias education leaders engaged in change in the wide range of early childhood care and education settings book features the principles guidelines and strategies needed for school and program wide transformation activities for working with teachers and families to integrate an anti bias approach strategies for supporting and strengthening the leader s ability to initiate and sustain anti bias education change including resources to increase staff skills for implementing anti bias education with children tools for assessing anti bias education progress and managing mandated standards and assessments a concise and powerful message for anti bias leaders in early childhood education everywhere a truly inspired gift of lessons from the movement for the movement carol brunson day president of the board national association for the education of young children if you are an educator wanting to see more equity and inclusiveness in the world at times discouraged confused or overwhelmed with how to manage the conflict that always emerges in the change process you ll find reassurance resources and strategic thinking to engage in this anti bias work margie carter author the visionary director and international early childhood consultant it is never too early to prepare children to deal effectively with issues of race class gender

family and ability and equity this book is a tool box for building early childhood programs that foster sentiments of justice and fairness in leaders teachers and young children and help them to act on these values herbert kohl educator and bestselling author of the herb kohl reader awakening the heart of teaching

## **Early Care and Education for Children in Poverty**

1998-01-01

this resource book is intended for professionals and policy makers it reviews services for children including those for poor disadvantaged disabled english as a second language and infants and toddlers

## **Planning and Administering Early Childhood Programs**

2016-02-09

in this book early childhood authorities assist the readers in identifying the trends research and issues that are at the heart of important decisions in curriculum instruction and supervision

## ***Early Childhood Education and Child Care***

1989

this timely handbook presents evidence and recommendations to make informed decisions for planning funding and operating high quality educational programs for children ages 3 8

## **The Complete Book of Forms for Managing the Early Childhood Program**

1990

broadbent describes programs she created and taught to combined first and second grade classes chapters include descriptions of programs designed to address a wide range of ages intellectual levels and abilities without limits for achievement programs that parallel opportunities for healthy cognitive growth children were involved in self initiated learning through exploration discovery and experimentation and motivating academic programs many programs with a different level of achievement are appropriate for younger older and gifted students upon reading this book another teacher may either adapt all or part of these programs as written or using the design of these programs create one s own her programs include a daily choice time discussing how cognitive gains formed are the tools required for successful achievement in all academic areas how each beginning reader read her own book and after supplying enough materials guidance and support each child taught herself to read two language experience approaches for those in greatest need a literature study with questions incorporating six levels of thinking with aspects of literature building a town or a city providing the basis for learning reading skills through discussion and writing a writing program beginning with story writing and then including how writing is incorporated in many areas throughout the year stimulating supplementary activities in the math program with problem solving strategies patterning visual data and fun games and activities an extensive experiment with lima beans in the science program for social studies an emphasis upon personal development social interaction and cultural awareness a study of drama was learned after the class visited a professional theatre then returned to the classroom to create and perform their own plays peggy s web site [peggybroadbent.com](http://peggybroadbent.com) is included to view and copy materials for classroom use

## ***Inclusion in Early Childhood Programs***

2020

fundamentals of early childhood education provides a brief reader friendly introduction to the field of early childhood education fundamentals presents chapter features on early childhood programs professionals in practice diversity strategies technology issues and ethical decision making separate chapters on infants and toddlers preschoolers kindergartners and primary grade children explore each age group s unique developmental and educational needs fundamentals emphasis on professionalism throughout keeps the focus on meeting the needs of all children and providing up to date information

and strategies to develop competent informed early childhood professionals book jacket

## **Learning from Experience**

1982-02-01

this book represents the early childhood profession s consensus definition of developmentally appropriate practice in early childhood programs it is intended for use by teachers administrators parents and policy makers

## **Early Childhood Programs and the Public Schools**

1989-08-30

details the preparation planning implementation financing monitoring and evaluation of diverse early childhood care programming strategies

## ***Leading Anti-Bias Early Childhood Programs***

2015

this comprehensive book provides the knowledge and skills that prospective early childhood teachers need in order to confidently educate young children while effectively collaborating with parents other professionals and community agencies it encourages readers to take full advantage of the educational arena to give all young children the tools they need to succeed in school and in life the broadest foundational coverage available is organized around seven core themes professionalism in practice theory to practice diversity family centered community based practice timeliness developmentally appropriate practice and applying technology throughout the material special features showcase the reality of early childhood education as it happens today special coverage of child care facilitates students understanding of the field of child care offering ideas for developing plans to meet the childcare needs of the future discusses federal and state support for early childhood programs covering such programs as head start and even start

## **Families and Early Childhood Programs**

1989

this book first published in 1992 provides an overview of programs for young children in countries and territories of the pacific rim it focuses on programs which precede the beginning of formal schooling and that are part of the institutional structure of the country the term early childhood education is used in a broad sense and refers to education and care the contributors to this volume have extensive knowledge and experience of early education in the countries that they write about

## **A Resource Guide to Public School Early Childhood Programs**

1988

this book describes methods of support and intervention teachers can use to create social inclusion in preschool and the primary grades combining general early childhood education with special education this unique volume explains a wide variety of strategies ranging from environmental arrangement on the spot teaching and cooperative learning to more intensive individually targeted interventions for children experiences challenges and disabilities

## **Directory of Selected Early Childhood Programs**

1993

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public education begins with kindergarten for most children but an estimated 1 million prekindergarten children are also in public schools and the number is increasing in december 1997 the national institute on early childhood development and education in the u s department of education s office of educational research and improvement convened a group of national state and community early childhood and education leaders to discuss the interrelationship between preschool and public education meeting participants unanimously agreed on the need to move from the current state of fragmented programs to a coordinated preschool care and education system that is linked with the public school system based on discussions at that meeting and on recent related data and research this publication is intended to provide schools families and communities with information and ideas about public school prekindergarten and other preschool care and education initiatives that are linked with public schools the publication offers insights from meeting participants about public school involvement in early childhood and provides examples of how states and communities are designing programs to expand and improve preschool care and education following an introduction and background information on the meeting the publication explores the following questions pursued at the meeting 1 why should schools be involved in early childhood 2 what roles should schools play in early childhood 3 what facilitates school involvement in early childhood 4 what challenges do public schools face with involvement in early childhood 5 what are the key issues for professional development and 6 what are the key research and evaluation questions the publication concludes with a 52 item bibliography and lists of meeting participants and state early childhood education contacts hth

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the training of trainers tot evaluation investigated the efficacy of the high scope model for improving the quality of early childhood programs on a national scale to address this question the high scope foundation undertook a multimethod evaluation that collected anecdotal records from the consultants and 793 participants in 40 tot projects surveyed a random sample of 203 endorsed trainers around the country interviewed and observed highly qualified teachers in 244 high scope and 122 non high scope settings and assessed 97 children in high scope and 103 in comparison programs in addition to the particular question about high scope s effectiveness in doing training the study also addressed broader questions about the role of inservice training in improving early childhood program quality and enhancing young children s development some of the results of the study include the following 1 high scope training is effective and evidence indicated that inservice training contributes significantly to program quality and children s development 2 although both high scope and comparison settings offered high quality programs there were significant differences high scope programs were better than comparison programs at organizing the environment encouraging independent thought and action and using adult child interaction to promote reasoning and language skills 3 teachers formal education inservice training and experience were all significant predictors of program quality contains 56 references tjq

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