# ARUNDEL CHILD CARE CONNECTIONS IS PROUD TO PRESENT: THE CHICAGO PARENT PROGRAM

#### What is the Chicago Parent Program?

The Chicago Parent Program is an 8-session group-based parenting program designed to strengthen parenting skills and communication and improve young children's behavior.



#### How does the Chicago Parent Program work?

The <u>FREE</u> weekly 2-hour Chicago Parent Program sessions are delivered by trained group leaders guided by *The Chicago Parent Program Group Leader Manual (2nd edition)*. Parents learn during highly interactive group sessions using video examples of parents managing common but often challenging parenting situations at home and in public, group discussion and problem-solving, role play, and practice activities.

#### What are the benefits of the Chicago Parent Program?

Parents who participated in the Chicago Parent Program had:

- Improvements in children's behavior problems (based on independent observations, teacher ratings, and parent-report)
- Reductions in parents' use of corporal punishment
- Increases in parents' consistency with discipline
- Increases in parenting confidence
- Improvements in children's behavior in the classroom based on teachers' report of behavior problems
- Equivalent benefits compared to other evidence-based programs but greater parent satisfaction and at lower cost

#### Other important information:

- This is an eight (8) week program. Classes will be held via webinar every Tuesday 5:00 PM-7:00 pm, beginning July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020.
- You must be present and participate in all of the workshops to receive a certificate.

For more information please contact our office training coordinator or ECMH staff:

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Or call our office (443) 782-5001



## Chicago Parent Program Training Registration & Participation



- <u>Pre-registration</u> is required to attend all workshops. Pre-registration occurs when Arundel Child Care Connections (ACCC) receives a
  registration form by noon the day before the workshop. Same day registrations <u>will not be</u> accepted for this workshop.
- Registration is on a first come, first serve basis. If your registration is received after a workshop has met its capacity, we will notify you and deny your registration. Registrations are not transferable. Confirmations will **not** be emailed/mailed. You may call 443-782-5001 to verify your enrollment in the class. Registrations must be e-mailed to <a href="mailed-email
- You must be present and participate in all of the workshops to receive a certificate. Workshops begin at the stated time; please plan to arrive ten minutes early to sign-in. If you arrive 15 or more minutes after the stated start time of the workshop you will be asked to leave. You will not be eligible for a certificate, credit, or refund. Training certificates are issued at the conclusion of the program (after attending all 8 workshops).
- If you do not show up for a scheduled class, you forfeit your registration.
- Call 443-782-5001 in advance if you need assistance or require special accommodations at the workshop.
- <u>In the event of cancellation</u> call 443-782-5001 for cancellation of workshops. In the event of a cancelled workshop due to technical difficulties or an unforeseen emergency, ACCC will reschedule for a different date.

All workshops are approved by MSDE Office of Child Care, training numbers: CKO-156225

### **Chicago Parent Workshop Registration**

#### **Please Print All Information**

| 1. | Name:                                | *Email:     | Cell Phone: |
|----|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|    | Home Address City, State, *Zip Code: |             |             |
|    | Home Phone:                          | Work Phone: |             |
| 2. | Name:                                | *Email:     | Cell Phone: |
|    | Home Address City, State, *Zip Code: |             |             |
|    | Home Phone:                          | Work Phone: |             |

| Workshop                          | Date      | Location | Cost   |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 1 | 7/7/2020  | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 2 | 7/14/2020 | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 3 | 7/21/2020 | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 4 | 7/28/2020 | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 5 | 8/4/2020  | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 6 | 8/11/2020 | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 7 | 8/18/2020 | Virtual  | \$0.00 |
| Chicago Parent Program- Session 8 | 8/25/2020 | Virtual  | \$0.00 |