



Vancouver Westside Hub

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Wednesday Workshops - Fall 2011

The Hub is a network of early learning, family resource and child care programs. We provide resources, education, support and training to early childhood service providers on the westside of Vancouver and we provide information, education, resources and services to families.

Our Wednesday Workshops are designed to support adults who work in early learning, family resource and child care programs.



Professional Development
Certificates are available for
all Early Childhood Educators

Plan to Protect®

Wednesday September 28, 2011

6:30 pm to 9:30 pm

Point Grey Community Church

3512 West 7 Av, Vancouver

Plan to protect® is a system of tools, training, policies and procedures that help leaders and their organizations protect children and youth. In this 3 hour orientation you will learn about recruitment and screening processes, guidelines that ensure protection, and strategies for reporting and responding to allegations of abuse. The tools and templates are uniquely Canadian and can be customized to fit your organization.

Facilitator: Lillian Whitmore from Winning Kids Inc., the standard of abuse prevention for children and youth. www.winningkidsinc.ca

Cost

\$25 for the Plan to Protect Workshop. All other workshops \$15.

Please make cheque payable to Vancouver Westside Hub

And send to:

Creative Minds Early Learning Centre
5351 Camosun Street, Vancouver, BC V6N 2C4
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Adapting to Challenges: Mental Illness & Communication

Wednesday October 19, 2011

6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Point Grey Community Church

3512 West 7 Av, Vancouver

Do you work with colleagues or families that experience mental illness? This presentation provides simple steps for responding to common mental health problems. Participants learn pitfalls to avoid and tips for handling tricky situations.

Facilitator: Carla Abichahine, Canadian Mental Health Association

Supporting Children who Experience Grief

Wednesday November 23, 2011

6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Point Grey Community Church

3512 West 7 Av

Learn about the types of grief that children experience, the stages of grief and how you can support children through their experience.

Facilitator: Nicole Bedard, M.A., Patient & Family Support Counsellor, North Shore Palliative & Supportive Care Program, Vancouver Coastal Health

To register

Please register by email:
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Questions?

Please contact the Westside Hub at
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