



Birth to Three Institute
National Infant & Toddler Child Care Initiative Pre-Institute Session
Monday, February 9, 2004
Harborside E, Marriot Waterfront Hotel
Baltimore, Maryland

8:30 – 9:00 am	Registration
9:00 – 9:15 am	Welcome and Introductions, Shannon L. Rudisill, <i>Director of Technical Assistance, Child Care Bureau</i>
9:15 – 9:45 am	Remarks by Shannon Christian, <i>Associate Commissioner, Child Care Bureau</i>
9:45 – 11:00 am	State Presentations
11:00 – 11:15 am	AM Break
11:15 – 12:30 pm	State Presentations
12:30 – 1:30 pm	Buffet Lunch/Networking
1:30 – 3:15 pm	Panel Presentation and Discussion <i>How States Can Improve Quality Care Options for Families with Babies and Toddlers</i> Panel Members: Joan Lombardi, <i>Director, Children's Project</i> ; Toni Porter, <i>Institute for a Child Care Continuum, Bank Street College of Education</i> ; Lana Messner, <i>Project Director, KACCRRRA Infant/Toddler Project</i>
3:15 – 3:30 pm	PM Break
3:30 – 4:45 pm	Roundtable Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Early Learning Guidelines</i> (Lori Connors-Tadros, Cindy Oser, Elizabeth Ford)• <i>Infant & Toddler Caregiver Education</i> (Valerie Krajec, Karen Heying)• <i>Engaging Informal Providers in Improving Care for Babies & Toddlers</i> (Toni Porter, Michelle Figlar,)• <i>Training Providers to Promote Infant & Toddler Language Development</i> (Loretta Rudd, Stephanie Currenton, David Cain, Susan Medina)• <i>Engaging the Public in Improving Care for Babies & Toddlers</i> (Abby Thorman, Dianne Stetson)• <i>Conducting Evaluations on a Limited Budget</i> (Douglas Klayman, Ivelisse Martinez-Beck, Judith Davis)• <i>Topics of Your Choice</i> (Joan Lombardi, Paul Noski)
4:45 – 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks by Shannon Christian, <i>Associate Commissioner, Child Care Bureau</i>
5:00 – 6:00 pm	Reception (Waterview A & B)

