

SPECIAL NEEDS SERVICES

Through the variety of resources, CCK is able to offer its providers and families a wide range of training, technical assistance and support in the area of Special Needs.

Through funding from the [Department of Early Education and Care](#), the Department of Public Health's Regional Consultation Teams work closely with the CCRR's, parents, child care professionals and early intervention staff to ensure that the needs of children with special needs are met. Regional Consultation Staff are available through the CCR&R's for trainings and on-site technical assistance. They also have an extensive resource library filled with adaptive equipment, videos and manipulative materials for providers to borrow.

Rising to the call for more specific training in the area of special needs, CCK offers trainings, including workshops on:

- Attention Deficit and Hyperactivity Disorder (ADD/ADHD)
- Special Feeding Problems
- Traumatic Brain Injury
- Sensory Integration
- Working with Children Who Stutter
- Hand Skill Development in Preschool Children.

CCK is a resource to centers and parents in need of particular services, which may include early intervention, speech and language therapy, asthma and allergy clinics, and information and training for other special issues including children who witness and/or are victims of domestic and other violence. Additionally, CCK assists families in accessing income-eligible child care as it relates to children with special needs, including service needs that cannot currently be accommodated (ie: transportation) through special funding. *(This flexible funding is subject to availability of funding and budgetary constraints.)*

CCK maintains a resource file for parents and providers of children with special needs that includes contact information for local organizations, support groups, and advocates that work with children with special needs.

For more information on Special Needs, contact us at cck@qcap.org.