

FREE TRAINING — PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

SAFE SLEEP-SIDS AWARENESS



October is SIDS Awareness Month. A sleeping baby is a beautiful sight to behold. Unfortunately, each year in the United States, more than 4,500 infants die suddenly of no obvious cause. Half of the Sudden Unexpected Infant Deaths (SUID) is due to Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), the leading cause of SUID and of all deaths among infants aged 1–12 months. There are risks associated with sleep. We are alerting our Licensees about these risks and asking you to join with us in reducing the risk of SIDS.

Remember all infants should be placed on their backs when put to sleep.

For SIDS Awareness Month OCCL is encouraging all Licensees to do a review of your policies and practices to ensure that you are complying with Delacare Rules regarding safe sleep. We are also offering **FREE training sessions**.



Marj Hershberger, a recognized expert on the subject, has consented to do two trainings on Safe Sleep. The **Child Death, Near Death and Stillbirth Commission** will be underwriting the trainer fee so that Providers will not be responsible for any registration fees.

To register contact Ann Marie Bercy at the Office of Child Care Licensing (302) 892-5802.

<p>New Castle County Tuesday, October 13 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. DSCYF Administration Bldg #2 1825 Faulkland Road Wilmington, Delaware 19805</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FILLED</p>	<p>Kent County Wednesday, October 14 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. 2nd Floor Conference Room 821 Silver Lake Blvd., Barratt Building at Silver Lake Dover, Delaware 19904</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FILLED</p>
<p>New Castle County Wednesday, October 28, 2009 6:30PM to 8:00PM DSCYF Administration Bldg #2 1825 Faulkland Road (Ferris Campus) Wilmington, DE 19805</p>	<p>Sussex County Thursday, November 5, 2009 6:30PM to 8:00PM Delaware Technical & Community College – Owens Campus Off RT 113; on RT 18 West Student Services Building (SSB) - Room 995 (off dining area) SSB Located - rear side of campus; next to Child Development Center Georgetown, DE 19947</p>