

Call for Papers 2023 Arkansas Head Start Association's Institute
Theme To Be Announced
June 6-9, 2023
Location To Be Announced

Call for Papers

Please complete the call for papers online at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7XGT9N5 before March 31, 2023.



Example Topics for Call for Papers: The Committee will consider other topics as well.

Early Childhood Education

- Early Childhood Transition
- Environments -Pre-K
- Environments for Infant/Toddlers
- Playgrounds
- Screenings: First Steps in Getting to Know a Child
- Helping Children Develop Self Regulation Skills
- Planning 0-3 Environments
- School Readiness-Working with Schools
- Head Start Early Learning Framework
- Social Emotional Development

Health and Safety

- Healthy Family Development
- Safe and Healthy Environments

- COVID-19 Vaccine
- Health/Wellness

Disability Services

- Disabilities
- Autism
- Early Intervention
- Working with LEA's (local education agency's)
- Modifications

Mental Health

- Infant Mental Health
- Preschool Mental Health
- Childhood Trauma
- Calming and Relaxation
- Effects of COVID-19

Nutrition

• Childhood Obesity

Family & Community Partnerships

- Engaging Families
- Social Services
- Grandparents raising grandchildren
- Collaboration/Partnership
- Financial Literacy
- Family Literacy
- Single Parenting
- Child Abuse/Neglect
- Services to Expectant Families
- Teen Parents
- Domestic Violence
- Substance Abuse
- Fatherhood Engagement

Program Design & Mgt.

- Organizational Development
- Administrative Structures
- Fiscal/Properties/Facilities
- Transportation
- Human Resources
- Program Governance
- Family Medical Leave Act
- Staff Education Requirements
- Monitoring Protocol
- Annual Program Self- Assessment
- Professional Development Plans
- Employee Morale
- Fair Labor Standards Act
- Developing Program Goals and Annual Objectives/Strategic Planning
- T/TA Planning
- Ideas for locally designed program options
- Active Supervision
- Head Start Performance Standards (Different Sections)
- Components of the Head Start Program Performance Standards
- Finding the Right Insurance for Program Staff

Racial Equity

- Implicit Bias
- Micro-Aggression
- Discrimination
- "DBIE"-Diversity, Belonging, Inclusion, and Equity-Improving Employee Collaboration

- Racial Equity in the Classroom
- Racial Equity Versus Equality
- Dealing with Prejudice and Racism in the Workplace
- Dismantling Racism

For more information, please go to www.arheadstart.org or contact the Arkansas Head Start Association at 501-371-0740 or e-mail jackie.govan@arheadstart.org or deanah@arheadstart.org.



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1. Session Title:	
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Breakout Session, W Breakout Session, W Breakout Session, Th Breakout Session, Th Breakout Session, Fr	e of the following Workshop Options: /ednesday, June 7, 2023 (1.5 hours) /ednesday, June 7, 2023 (3 hours) hursday, June 8, 2023 (1.5 hours) hursday, June 8, 2023 (3 hours) riday, June 9, 2023 (1.5 hours) Io a Repeat Session

8. Target Audience:
Teachers/Caregivers
Parents
Management Staff
Family Advocate
Grandparents
Administrators
9. Session Content Specific to (check all that apply): Pregnant Women/ Expectant Families Birth to 3 3-5 years 5-8 years
10. Presenters are responsible for their own handouts. Limited equipment will be available but presenters must be responsible for equipment such as laptops for PowerPoint presentations. Neither the hotel/convention center nor the Arkansas Head Start Association is responsible for loss of stolen property/equipment. If you have special requests, please indicate below:
11. Will there be a Co-Presenter? Presenters are only allowed one co-presenter (This will take you to the section to enter contact information, credentials, and bios for the co-presenter): O Yes O No
Registration fees will be waived for two presenters. Additional presenters are welcome to present with you but will have to pay a registration fee.



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