

**MEMORANDUM**

TO: All Quality Child Care Niagara Members

FROM: Jennifer Butera, Manager, Community Strategy & Partnerships

DATE: October 16, 2023

SUBJECT: New Speech Webinar Module Training for all Educators

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Dear Educators of Quality Child Care Niagara,

We are excited to share with you the rollout of the new Speech and Language Quality Child Care Niagara (QCCN) Webinar Module Training for all educators.

Educators that are currently supporting infant, toddler, and preschool programs in Niagara and have completed the QCCN Reflective Practice Institute training in the past (between November 2015 to August 2023) are required to complete the new Speech and Language QCCN Webinar Module Training. This pre-recorded webinar module is approximately an hour in length and includes training on the new Niagara Children's Centre's Online Referral Portal, and updated Checklists, Referral Process and documents.

Centres will have until October 21, 2024 for their educators to complete the new Speech and Language QCCN Webinar Module Training. Centre Supervisors are asked to register educators using the following link: [click here](#).

Kindly note, the cut-off date for the previous Speech and Language documents (updated October 2020) will be February 28, 2023.

Educators that have not completed the QCCN Reflective Practice Institute training in past and have registered for the Rotation 2 of the QCCN Webinar Module Training from September 11 to December 11, 2023 will receive the new Speech and Language module as part of their full QCCN training.

Thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to Quality Child Care Niagara. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to connect.



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