

# Mentoring Pairs for Child Care

## Module 1 Communication and Connections

### Pair Sharing Conversations



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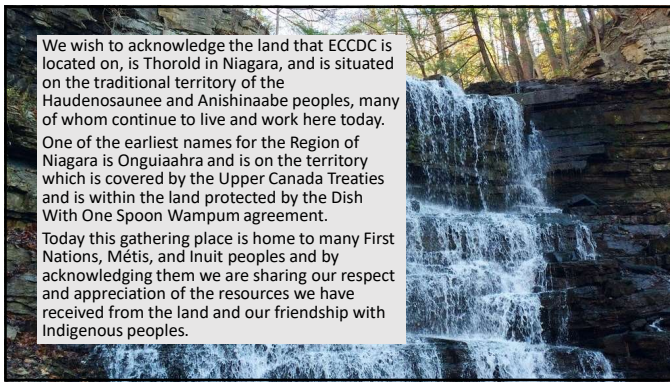
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We wish to acknowledge the land that ECCDC is located on, is Thorold in Niagara, and is situated on the traditional territory of the Haudenosaunee and Anishinaabe peoples, many of whom continue to live and work here today. One of the earliest names for the Region of Niagara is Onguiaahra and is on the territory which is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties and is within the land protected by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum agreement. Today this gathering place is home to many First Nations, Métis, and Inuit peoples and by acknowledging them we are sharing our respect and appreciation of the resources we have received from the land and our friendship with Indigenous peoples.

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## Welcome Back



### Agenda

- Welcomes
- Review the MPCC Portal
- Pair Sharing Conversation
- Module Reflections
- Next Steps

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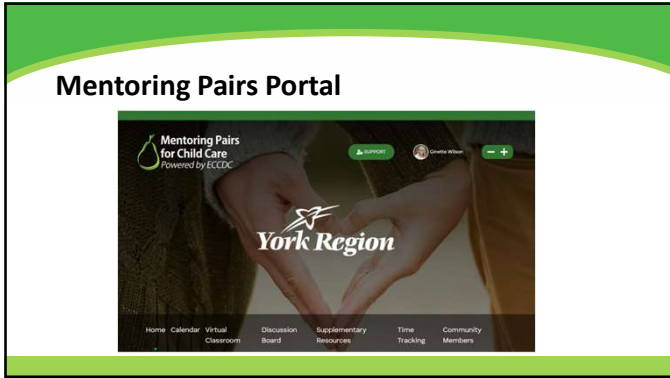
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### What's your Big Idea for the MPCC Program

**Pair Conversation**

- What are your professional goals for the MPCC program?
- What is your hope for the program?
- What is your gift that you bring to the mentoring partnership?
- What are you curious about?
- What is the big idea for your MPCC program?
- How can your big idea build capacity in your program/sector?

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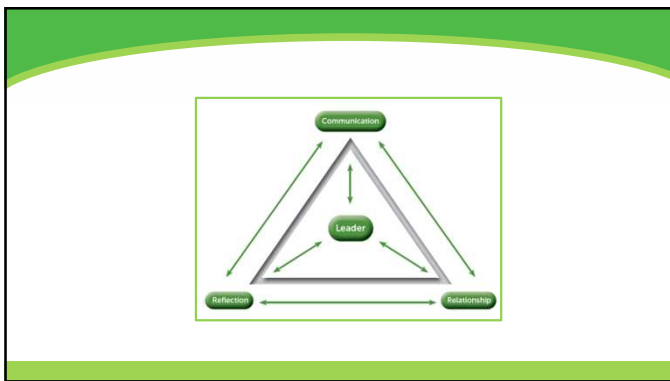
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**Curriculum Objectives**

- Understand importance of communication and connection in working with others.
- Apply enhanced effective communication skills.
- Connection strategies to form trusting reciprocal professional relationships.

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**Reflecting on Module 1  
Communication & Connection**

- How does the content shared from module 1 support your big idea?
- Virtual classroom resources
- Learnings from the Module

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**Improving Communication Skills**



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=knUEdy-kOIQ>

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**Module Wrap-up**

- Reminder to completed the pre survey
- Completed the evaluation
- Go onto the discussion board-add your photo, say hello
- Log your hours
- Review the resources
- Complete the Invitation to reflection journal
- Watch module 2-week 1 video

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