

August 24, 2010

Social Emotional Workgroup Minutes

Attendees: Cookie, Tara Sanders,

All materials for doctors offices on social emotional health have arrived and are in storage at Promedica waiting for distribution. The new 'box' for materials has been ordered by Margaret before materials can be distributed.

Letter to providers reviewed and edited.

Postcard for providers to return after receiving packet to include following:

Name and phone/email of key contact person; Was this info helpful (check Yes No); Would you like more of: (With checklist of materials including those in spanish); comments;

Reviewed goals and target bullet point list. (See attached)

Group interested in looking at more trainings for workgroup and local providers of care for under five/ and parents.

Suggestions: free trainings at MSU, LISD, Ooey Gooey Lady, Brain Gymn, Artful Parent, art therapy, music

Can website list trainings for providers? Can we get an email list to send info out on upcoming trainings

Talking points:

The Social Emotional Workgroup seeks to help caregivers about social emotional health by:

- Supporting parent/child in building a positive, secure relationship
- Raising awareness about resources available to care givers
- Educating caregivers in identifying the range and progression of emotions
- Enhance healthy social emotional development
- Help caregivers understand long term benefits
- Help parents nurture development which gives children self confidence and skills to know how to get along with others