



# Webinars

Passionate Training in Your Living Room

## Purpose

The purpose of our new webinar project is to give caregivers easy access to experienced trainers in a simple and cost effective manner.

## Mantra

Our mantra is *Useful Online Training*. Our job is to bring you topics, ideas, and content that you will find useful the next day at work. We will give you practical and tested knowledge so you can do your job better. Please contact us with topic ideas.

## Webinar?

A webinar is an online seminar. These sessions are live, so you can communicate with the trainer in real time via voice and chat options. The technology has been around for a while, but if you have never tried it before it might seem a bit scary. To help you overcome any fear you may have, we will offer some free *Learn To Webinar* sessions.

## Caregivers

We know you work hard and want these trainings to be a good investment of your time energy and resources. One of the biggest advantages of webinars is that you do not even have to leave the house, so you save time and money.

## Agencies

The tight economic times have made it tough for many caregiver support agencies to offer the variety and number of training they have in the past. Our webinars are an option that can fill the void caused by budget cuts. Contact us to discuss partnering ideas and options.

## Information

Email us at [explorations@cablone.net](mailto:explorations@cablone.net) to ask questions or be added to our webinar contact list. List members will be updated regularly about training dates, times, topics, and discounts. Visiting and Liking the Explorations Early Learning Facebook page is another way to keep up to date.

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## Our Trainers



### Patricia Dischler

Patricia Dischler is the author of several books, including *From Babysitter to Business Owner* and *Because I Loved You*. She speaks nationally at early childhood and adoption conferences and is a columnist for NAFCC's *the National Perspective* and *Adoption Today Magazine*.



### Nikki Darling-Kuria

Nikki is an NAFCC accredited family child care provider, Author of the Redleaf Press book *Brain-Based Early Learning Activities*, and an instructor at Frederick Community College in Maryland. In 2005, she won the Scholastic Early Childhood Today Professional of the Year Award and she currently serves as a Board member for the National Association for Family Child Care.



### Boca Beth Butler

Beth is a bilingual educator of young children and strives to create better communication within our increasingly diverse society. She is the founder of the internationally acclaimed *Boca Beth* language learning series which has garnered various parenting awards including the 2008 Editors' Choice Award from the Family Review Center and the Learning Magazine 2007 Teachers' Choice Award for the Family.



### Jennifer Henson

After leaving the corporate world over 4 years ago, Jennifer discovered her true calling in life - to foster the growth and education of children in her own home-based childcare business. She is a passionate advocate for process over product in her child-based, hands-on learning environment. Now, she is putting her experience as a Senior Analyst, Technical Writer, and Presenter in the business world to work training other caregivers.



### Denita Dinger

Denita Dinger is an experienced child care provider, an inspiring keynote speaker, and author of an upcoming Redleaf Press book. Denita Dinger's enthusiasm is contagious and her outside the box thinking leads to fantastically fun ways for young children to learn through play. Denita loves sharing her ideas and stimulating others to create even better ideas of their own.



### Jeff A Johnson

Jeff is an internationally known speaker and author focusing on play-based early learning and caregiver self-care. He has been a caregiver for over 20 years in center-based and family-based programs.