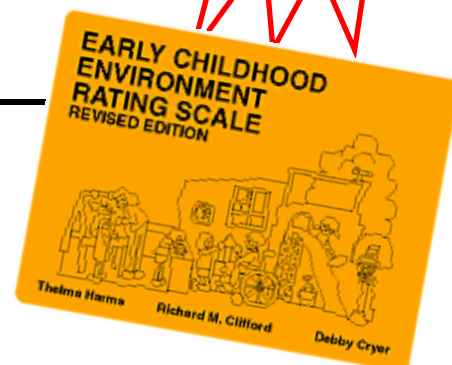


Early Childhood Environment Rating Scale Training (**ECERS-R**) — *Helping You Become Your Best!* —



**Current Local Dates and Locations are posted
on the CCR&R Training Website Calendar**

Local Instructors: ISU Extension Family Life Field Specialists
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NOTE: Attendance Policy:

- Each registered participant **MUST** attend all 4 sessions and complete all class assignments
- *If you miss a session you have dropped the course and must retake the entire series*

**This is a FREE 4-Part Training Series
for Center Directors and Program Staff
who provide care for children aged 30 months through age 5**

Session 1 – Beginning with ECERS-R

- Overview of the ECERS-R – a pathway to quality
- Quality child care characteristics – making a real difference
- Self-assessment – the first step to a great program

Session 2 – Speaking the Language of ECERS-R

- Clarification notes, items, scoring – what does it all mean?
- Practice using the ECERS-R

Session 3 – Practice with a Purpose

- Onsite visit to child care center
- Practice scoring – getting down to details
- Comparing notes – do you see what I see?

Session 4 – Making ECERS-R Work for Me

- Create a self-assessment profile – where am I now?
- Develop a program improvement plan – where do I need to go?
- Quality indicators – stepping stones for improvement

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