

FIRST 3 YEARS

INFANT MENTAL HEALTH ENDORSEMENT®

Family Specialist

Scope of work:
Prevention



Serves children
ages 0-3



WHO

Early Intervention Provider, Infant Coach, Home Visitor, Infant Mental Health Consultant, Child Welfare Case Manager, etc.

DO YOU...

- Help parents/caregivers "see" the infant as a person?
- Recognize risks and disorders of infancy and make appropriate referrals?
- Share with families an understanding and appreciation of family relationship development?

DO YOU...

- Help parents/caregivers recognize factors that constitute effective caregiving?
- Assist families to anticipate, obtain, and advocate for concrete needs and other services?
- And more?



IF YOU ANSWERED YES...

You prevent barriers to the development of positive mental health in infants by giving attention to the primary adult relationships surrounding that child!



RECOGNIZE YOUR EXPERTISE

Endorsement® connects your professional experiences with a set of competencies that recognize your infant mental health prevention expertise.



BENEFITS OF ENDORSEMENT®

- Enhance the quality of your relationship-based services
- Participate in ongoing and targeted professional development opportunities
- Join an international network of infant mental health professionals



INTERESTED?

Contact F3Y's Endorsement Coordinator!
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