Session 7: **Supporting Children of the Opioid Epidemic: Visual Development for Children with NAS**

Title: **Project SCOPE- Supporting Children of the Opioid Epidemic: Visual Development for Children with NAS**

Delivery Method: Webinar/Video Conference

Start Date: 11/2/2021

End Date: 11/2/2021

Hours: 1

Minutes: 30

Training Description:

Research has consistently shown that prenatal substance exposure increases the risk of adverse visual outcomes including but not limited to; nystagmus, strabismus, cortical visual impairment, and delayed visual maturation. This talk will include discussion on visual development “red flags”, what professionals can be involved in the assessment and intervention for visual concerns, and functional implications for adverse visual development.

This is the seventh of a 9-session series using the ECHO training model to build capacity of providers serving children, birth to five years, with neonatal abstinence syndrome (NAS) and other substance use disorders and their families. ECHO, Extension of Community Healthcare Outcomes, is a technology-based, interactive session using experts to facilitate discussion around a topic of interest.

Training Objectives:

* Participants will gain knowledge in typical visual development in children
* Participants will understand potential adverse visual outcomes in children with prenatal substance exposure.

How does this relate to early childhood education?

With the increase of newborns in KY testing positive to substances prenatally and the complex needs of families experiencing addiction, this session will help early childhood professionals understand and recognize potential adverse visual outcomes.

Delivery Type: Video Conference

Target Audience: All Staff

Training Level: 3

Core Content Subject Area: Child Growth and Development

Trainer: Elsie Bush

Post to Calendar: No

Cost: no cost

Capacity: 120

Deadline: at capacity

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Other Information:

File attachments: series flyer and resume