



## Nebraska Early Childhood Coach Training

### Participants will:

- Understand the coaching framework.
- Describe the coaching role and select communication strategies used in working with adult learners.
- Practice skill development to be an effective coach (strengths and areas for improvement).

## Pyramid Coach Training

### Participants will:

- Develop or reinforce a basic understanding of the Pyramid Model.
- Understand coaching characteristics and the coaching process.
- Practice coaching around specific Pyramid Model practices.
- Have a process to follow for beginning their Pyramid Model coaching.

## Teaching Pyramid Observation Tool (TPOT™) Training

The Teaching Pyramid Observation Tool (TPOT™) reliability workshop prepares participants to use the instrument to gather information on preschool teachers' implementation of Pyramid Model practices.

### Participants will:

- Identify how the observation tool relates to Pyramid Model practices.
- Learn what the tool measures across all subscales and Red Flag items.
- Learn how to score classroom practices using the tool.
- Achieve 80% reliability with the anchors in scoring the tool.

### This tool helps programs:

- Support effective implementation of the proven PBIS-based Pyramid model.
- Promote social-emotional competence in young children.

- Implement strategies to prevent and address challenging behavior.
- Compare implementation across classrooms, teachers and programs.
- Identify where teachers need extra professional development and support.
- Guide coaching efforts.

## Teaching Pyramid Infant and Toddler Observation Scale (TPITOS™) Training

The Teaching Pyramid Infant-Toddler Observation Scale (TPITOS™) reliability workshop prepares participants to use the instrument to gather information on infant-toddler teachers' implementation of Pyramid Model practices.

### Participants will:

- Identify how the observation tool relates to Pyramid Model practices.
- Learn what the tool measures across all subscales and Red Flag items.
- Learn how to score classroom practices using the tool.
- Achieve 80% reliability with the anchors in scoring the tool.

### This tool helps programs:

- Ensure effective implementation of the Pyramid Model.
- Support professional development efforts in infant-toddler settings.
- Strengthen the practices of individual teachers or caregivers, classroom teams and entire programs.
- Monitor the success of quality improvement initiatives.
- Build a foundation for social-emotional competence in the critical first years of life.

## Coach Booster Sessions

Coach booster sessions are offered throughout the year with varying topics based on coach feedback.