

Positive Solutions for Families



The development of young children in Nova Scotia is enriched when childcare providers and families have the same understanding of how to nurture social and emotional learning.



The Approach (What we do)

Offer the evidence-based Positive Solutions for Families program to parents and caregivers of children aged 0-5 through regularly scheduled group training sessions:



To build families' confidence and capacity in supporting their child's social-emotional and behavioural development



To extend and complement information about social and emotional learning already being implemented by many childcare providers in the province as part of The **Pyramid Model for Promoting Social and Emotional Competence in Infants and Young Children** program



To explore the potential application and adaptation of the Positive Solutions for Families program for under-served and diverse communities

The Outcome (The difference we want to make)

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Families with young children are better able to **support their child's social and emotional health**



Families and childcare providers receive **complimentary information to support children in their care**



Parent to parent connections are made possible through **group training opportunities**



The program is adapted to meet the needs of **more diverse Nova Scotia communities**

Where We Are

Halifax, Nova Scotia

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