

Are you interested in earning NAC Accreditation? Does the process for accreditation seem overwhelming? Are you wondering how you can possibly train your entire staff? In their continuing efforts to assist child care centers be the best they can be, NACCP, in conjunction with Empowered Training Centre, has recently launched an online course, Roadmap to Accreditation. This online course provides tools for the practical application of early childhood research on quality care and is a resource for those wishing to implement best practices in their early childhood program. Child care administrators and their staff members will have the opportunity to internalize concepts through interactive exercise as well as develop plans to apply the learning consistently in their early childhood programs. Best practices are covered in the following components of NAC Standards: staff, program, health and safety, families, curriculum, and interactions.

By enrolling your staff in Roadmap to Accreditation, you will ensure they are trained in ECE best practices as required by NAC. In addition, participants will earn .8 CEUS for their professional portfolio. The course taken completely online, with practical application follow-up for the classroom, will arm early childcare employees with the knowledge and ability to provide quality care at their center.

The National Accreditation Commission for Early Care and Education Programs (NAC) is managed by the National Association of Child Care Professionals (NACCP). NAC was first made available in 1992 to assist early care and education programs in providing quality enhancements for children, professional development opportunities for staff, and effective management skills for administrators and owners.

Completion of this course does not guarantee the award of accreditation. To participate in an accreditation process, you must comply with procedures set out by the accreditation system. This course is designed around standards in the NAC Accreditation process. To participate in the NAC Accreditation process, you must complete an application, participate in a self-study and undergo an on-site visit by a NAC Validator. Materials are forwarded to NAC Commissioners for their accreditation decision.

For more information on the Roadmap to Accreditation course, or to enroll today free for a limited time,

*Visit www.empoweredtraining.com

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*On the login page, click on the Signup Free

*Complete the personal profile and choose a UserID and Password

*Send an email to mary@empoweredtraining.com and include the following information:

-You want to sign up for the free Roadmap to Accreditation course offered by NACCP

-Your UserID (we don't need the password)

A representative from Empowered Training will email you back with instructions for accessing the course.

To gain additional information on the accreditation process, visit www.nacaccreditation .