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**WORK TOGETHER WEDNESDAY**

SHOW YOUR COMMITMENT AS AN  
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROFESSIONAL!

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**STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT**

AS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO WORKS WITH OR ON BEHALF OF YOUNG CHILDREN BIRTH - AGE 8 AND THEIR FAMILIES, I COMMIT MYSELF TO FURTHERING THE VALUES OF EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION AS THEY ARE REFLECTED IN THE IDEALS AND PRINCIPLES OF THE NAEYC CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT.

TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY I WILL:

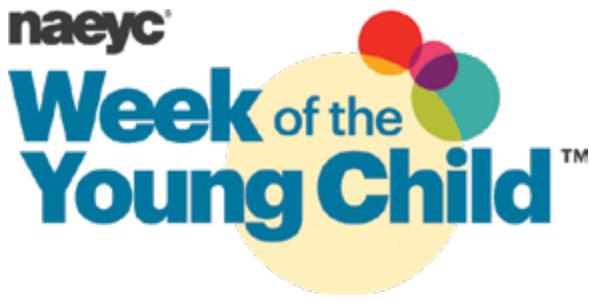
- NEVER HARM CHILDREN.
- ENSURE THAT PROGRAMS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN ARE BASED ON CURRENT KNOWLEDGE AND RESEARCH OF CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.
- RESPECT AND SUPPORT FAMILIES IN THEIR TASK OF NURTURING CHILDREN.
- RESPECT COLLEAGUES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION AND SUPPORT THEM IN MAINTAINING THE NAEYC CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT.
- SERVE AS AN ADVOCATE FOR CHILDREN, THEIR FAMILIES, AND THEIR TEACHERS IN COMMUNITY AND SOCIETY.
- STAY INFORMED OF AND MAINTAIN HIGH STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT.
- ENGAGE IN AN ONGOING PROCESS OF SELF-REFLECTION, REALIZING THAT PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS, BIASES, AND BELIEFS HAVE AN IMPACT ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

THIS STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT IS A PERSONAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT THAT LEADS TO AN INDIVIDUAL BECOMING PART OF THE PROFESSION. IT IS A REFLECTION OF A WILLINGNESS TO EMBRACE THE DISTINCTIVE VALUES AND MORAL OBLIGATIONS OF THE FIELD OF EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION.

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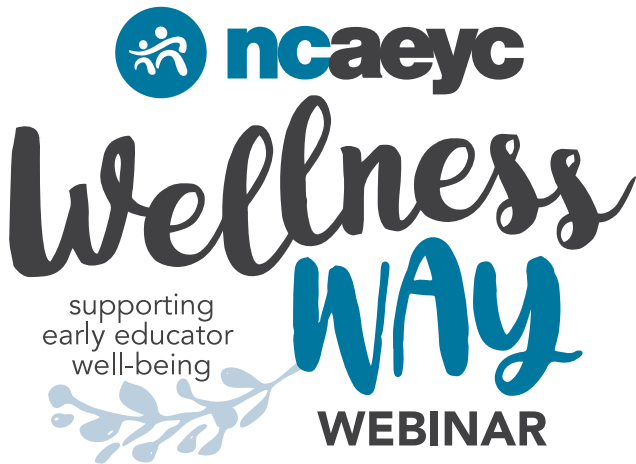
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NCAEYC CARES DEEPLY ABOUT THE WELL-BEING  
OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROFESSIONALS.



featuring Rairigh and Evie Houtz from



We invite you  
to join us for a  
very special, interactive  
self-care webinar on:

**Wednesday,  
April 15th  
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm**

**[Click here to register!](#)**

*After registering, you will receive  
a confirmation email containing  
information about joining  
the meeting.*

### **Healthy Active Me...Healthy Active We: Putting an Emphasis on Physical Activity and Well-being during Difficult Times**

Join the staff of *Be Active Kids* to discover how physical activity can impact our overall well-being. Learn to build a daily routine grounded in physical activity to help build resilience of body, mind and emotions. It is especially important to create opportunities for regular physical activity for grown-ups and children as we face uncertainty and challenges of the COVID-19 (coronavirus). Daily physical activity is important is essential to stay help early childhood educators, parents, and caregivers stay healthy and strong. Connect with our presenters as they provide a foundation for the needs around appropriate physical activity as a means to developing the whole-self; Share positive moments and observations of individual and social play in a time of social distancing and shelter in place; Learn more about available resources to staying active and healthy. Led by Richard Rairigh and Evie Houtz and sponsored by the Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina Foundation.