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MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION FOR
INFANT MENTAL HEALTH

INFANT/EARLY CHILDHOOD MENTAL HEALTH ENDORSEMENT® **Mental Health Mentor-Research/Faculty**

Scope of work:
**Research,
Teaching
& Leadership**



WHO

Faculty Member, Researcher, etc.

Serves children
ages 0-6



DO YOU...

- Support parent-infant/young child relationship-based therapies and practices to explore issues including attachment, separation, trauma, and loss that affect the development and care of the infant/young child?
- Write articles and books on infant and early childhood mental health principles and practice?

DO YOU...



- Promote research projects intended to increase the body of knowledge about infant and early childhood mental health, early development, and effective interventions?
- Generate research that reflects cultural competence in the infant and early childhood-family field?
- And more?

IF YOU ANSWERED YES...

You are a leader in university-level teaching and/or published research related to infant and early childhood mental health principles and practices, in the context of family and other caregiving relationships, and other leadership activities at the local, regional and/or state level.



RECOGNIZE YOUR EXPERTISE

Endorsement® connects your professional experiences with a set of competencies that recognize your infant and/or early childhood research/teaching expertise.



BENEFITS OF ENDORSEMENT®

- Enhance the quality of your relationship-based services
- Participate in ongoing and targeted professional development opportunities
- Join an international network of infant and early childhood professionals



INTERESTED?

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Interested in Endorsement[®] ?

Who we are:

We represent many different areas of practice including:



Child
Welfare



Health
Care



Mental
Health



Home Visiting



Early
Education &
Care



Early
Intervention



Policy &
Advocacy



Research

Want to join us? DO YOU...



Work with or on behalf of families with children 0-6?



Assist families to anticipate, obtain, and advocate for concrete needs and other services from public agencies and community resources?



Share with families an understanding and appreciation of family relationship development?



Join alongside parents to recognize factors that constitute effective parenting of infants/young children?



Seek reflective practice mentorship as a way to deepen your work with families?



Seek opportunities for growth and development in your in the early childhood field?

Endorsement[®] is a professional development journey!