



**New
Additions to the
CDR Library:**

Books:

- ◆ The Preschool Inclusion Toolbox (2015)
- ◆ Optimistic Parenting: Hope and Help for You and Your Challenging Child (2011)
- ◆ Engagement of Every Child in the Preschool Classroom (2008)
- ◆ Sleep Better! A guide to Improving Sleep for Children with Special Needs. (2014)
- ◆ Understanding Families: Supportive Approaches to Diversity, Disability, and Risk, 2nd Edition (2013)
- ◆ Understanding Early Childhood Mental Health: A Practical Guide for Professionals

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From the CDR Library Stacks

The Library's Latest:
A Note from the Coordinator

August, 2016

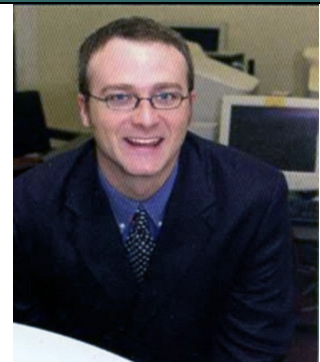
—Over the past month the library had the following circulation statistics:

- * **Checkouts: 9**
- * **Renewals: 5**
- * **Information Requests: 209**
- * **Web articles/ printouts sent out: 149**
- * **Pamphlets sent out: 300**
- * **Mediated Searches: 12**
- * **Out of State Requests: 12**

* **Web Sites' Page Visits:**

- CDR Library: 135**
- Library Blog: 5055***
- CDR: 89**
- TECS: 1176**
- Supported Living: 24**
- InfoAble Portal: 45**

—Make sure to check out the list of New Additions on the newsletter's left side column and on the subsequent pages.



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—Also, if you have any announcements that you'd like me to post on the blog site or the newsletter, just send them to:

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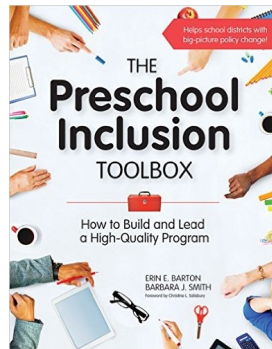
See What's New at the CDR Blog!

- Flood Survivors with Disabilities
- Review: Books about Autism for Siblings
- Resources for Adolescents with Autism Spectrum Disorders
- AccessAbility Workshops
- 2016 Shuck-A-Rama Oyster Roast
- Midlands Parent/Caregiver Support Group Meeting
- Achieving a Better Life Experience Accounts
- World Health Organization Survey

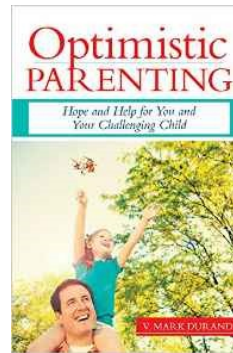
Check out these and more at
<http://cdrlibraryblog.blogspot.com>

Spotlight on These New Additions...

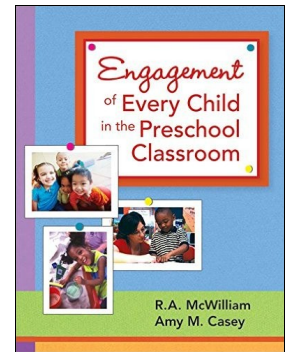
Great Books and Videos



The Preschool Inclusion Toolbox (2015) - Inclusion is clearly related to better outcomes for young children—but reports from the US Department of Education show the practice has grown by just 5% over the past 27 years. This is the how-to book preschool administrators, school district leaders, child care directors, and faculty need to step up the progress of early childhood inclusion through big-picture, systems-level change.



Optimistic Parenting (2011) - A book you'll want to share with every family you know, *Optimistic Parenting* helps moms, dads, and other caregivers develop more positive thoughts and perceptions—a key ingredient of successful parenting and effective behavior management. One of the most highly regarded experts on challenging behavior—and a parent himself—Dr. V. Mark Durand delivers both philosophical **hope** and practical **help** to parents of children with a wide range of challenges.



Engagement of Every Child in the Preschool Classroom (2008) - How engaged are your students? Making some simple adjustments in the classroom environment could be the key to increasing children's levels of active engagement and preventing behavior problems caused by restlessness and boredom during transitions between activities. This extremely practical, accessible book offers a strong, evidence-based approach to promoting engagement in preschoolers.

“Isn’t it nice to think that tomorrow is a new day with no mistakes in it yet?”

~L.M. Montgomery



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“I may not have gone where I intended to go, but I think I have ended up where I needed to be.”

~**Douglas Adams**



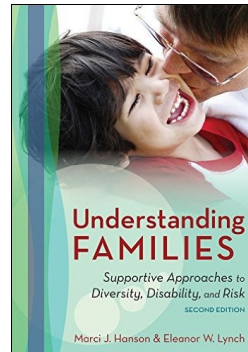
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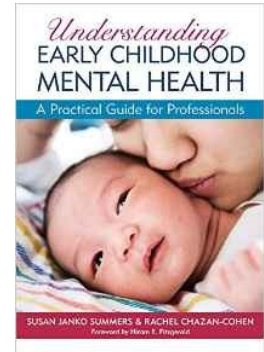
Spotlight On These New Additions...



Sleep Better! (2014) - From bedtime tantrums to bedwetting, sleep problems can be one of the biggest sources of worry and frustration for parents of children with special needs. Help is here in this down-to-earth, nonjudgmental guide, packed with widely tested, easy-to-use techniques that work for all children, with and without disabilities. This fully updated edition includes help for parents who usually struggle with night-time problems



Understanding Families (2013) - Today's American families are more complex and diverse than ever before—and today's child and family professionals must be fully prepared to meet their needs. Interventionists educators, health care professionals, therapists, and social workers will get the strong foundation they need with the NEW edition of this trusted textbook, a comprehensive guide to working effectively and respectfully with contemporary families.



Understanding Early Childhood Mental Health (2012) - Integrating infant mental health services into early education programs leads to better child outcomes and stronger parent-child relationships—the big question is how to do it appropriately and effectively. Clear answers are in this accessible textbook, created to prepare early childhood professionals and programs to weave best practices in mental health into their everyday work

Reviews: Books about Autism for Siblings

By *Thomas Kane*

My name is Thomas Kane and I am twelve years old. I am in seventh grade, and I have two brothers, Christopher and Peter. My younger brother, Peter (age six), was diagnosed with autism at two years old. Recently, I read three books aimed towards siblings of children with autism to compare them to our family and to see how accurate they were.

[To find out what Thomas thought, click here!](#)

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“Be willing to be a beginner every single morning.”

~**Meister Eckhart**



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EdCeptional Kids

Open Houses

May 15, 2016 and August 28, 2016 from 5:00-7:00PM

EdVenture will open its doors for extended hours, free of charge to families of children with disabilities. Representatives of organizations that provide services to children with disabilities will be present to answer parents' questions about available community resources.

Sensory Sundays

Every Sunday from 11:00-12:00PM

This is an exclusive time for families with children with Autism Spectrum Disorders and other special needs to visit the museum. This time will allow children to enjoy the museum in a calmer and more comfortable environment without all the extra stimuli. During the hour of Sensory Sundays, there will be: A less crowded environment, light and sound reduction, designated quiet rooms, assistive devices and enhanced signage.



EdVenture.org
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—About the Library—

The library is a collaborative effort between BabyNet/SC First Steps to School Readiness, the Center for Disability Resources, the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, and the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library. The CDR Library consists of books, videos, brochures, and audiotapes covering a variety of disability-related topics. The Center for Disability Resources Library is located within the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library on Garners Ferry Road.