

S.C. Part C Credential Extension

The South Carolina (SC) Part C Credential is a part of the overall Comprehensive System of Personnel Development (CSPD) for the BabyNet program. This credential is a requirement for all persons providing services within the BabyNet program. The SC Part C Credential helps BabyNet ensure minimal competency of persons providing services within areas related to best practices in early intervention service delivery. Under the direction of BabyNet State office, the Team for Early Childhood Solutions and other Early Intervention stakeholders have initiated the process of revising all components of the state's current CSPD.

As a result of this revision, BabyNet is extending current South Carolina BabyNet Part C Credentials. This extension will allow stakeholders the opportunity to make necessary revisions to the current credentialing system that will better meet the needs of our state's Part C program. Please see the table below to determine your current status, requirements, and due dates.

Tecsbook Registration Date	Requirements	Due Date
Prior to 12/31/2013	BabyNet Basics, BabyNet Basics Update 2013, and 11 hours of additional training	Follow due date on your current credential/certificate.
1/1/2014-current	BabyNet Basics and BabyNet Basics Update 2013	Within 90 days of date of hire
<p>➤ After completing the appropriate above requirements, credentials will be extended through 2016 when the new process is announced.</p> <p>➤ Extensions will only be granted to those who have followed the above guidelines. If your credential expires, you are not allowed to see BabyNet children.</p>		

NOTE: The required 11 additional training hours should be related to early childhood/intervention practice topics. These training hours may include the following trainings:

- *BabyNet Advanced* in TECSBOOK or any TECS face-to-face trainings participated in at events such as Family Connection Conference.
- BRIDGES webinars or face-to-face events attended with evaluations completed in TECSBOOK.
- Approved outside trainings. Any related trainings attended within last 2 years (2013-2015) can be submitted to TECS for approval and credit towards your SC Part C Credential. Please email Lisa.Henry@uscmcd.sc.edu for approval of outside hours.

Please visit [Tecsbook](#)-->Credential Extension Information (see screenshot below) if you are unsure of the TECSBOOK Registration date for staff. In the *Credential Extension Information* section, you will find two lists. The first list is the staff that were registered in TECSBOOK prior to 12/31/13. The second list is staff registered after 1/1/14. Staff registered after 3/1/2015 may not find their name, but they should follow the requirements of the 1/1/2014-current group. To track learning in TECSBOOK, see the [TECSBOOK User's Guide](#). See the [Credential Extension Screencast](#) for step-by-step instructions.

