S.C. Part C Credential REVISED Renewal Process

BabyNet

South Carolina's Early Intervention System

After personnel have completed BabyNet Basics (in TECSBOOK 2.0) and earned the South Carolina Part C Credential, the next step is Credential renewal. BabyNet personnel are required to renew the S.C. Part C Credential every 2 years. **Renewal must be completed by August 31, 2013 if your S.C. Part C Credential was earned on or before August 31, 2011.**

- **Credential Renewal Requirements**

BabyNet personnel must obtain a total of 12 professional development credit hours.

Training Type	Credit Hours	Remaining Hours Needed for 12
Updated BabyNet Basics	1	11
TECS Sponsored trainings (online or face-to-face)	8	3
Pre-approved Outside trainings	3	0

*BabyNet personnel who have completed 3 or more lessons from TECSBOOK 1.0 have earned all of their pre-approved outside credit hours for the Credential renewal. These personnel would only need to complete the updated BabyNet Basics course and the TECS sponsored trainings.

- **TECS Sponsored Trainings and Updated BabyNet Basics**

In order to complete some of the TECS Sponsored trainings and Updated BabyNet Basics requirement, personnel will need to log into TECSBOOK 2.0 (**http://tecsbook.med.sc.edu**). There are 3 sections within TECSBOOK: *BabyNet Basics, BabyNet Advanced* and *BabyNet Electives*.

BabyNet Advanced section will contain topic-specific trainings (usually developed or adapted by TECS).

For TECS Sponsored face-to-face trainings, attendees need to sign the attendance roster. We will use the attendance roster to add this training credit to your TECSBOOK account. If you attended but didn't receive credit, please contact us through the Helpdesk at: **http://tecshelpdesk.zendesk.com**

- **BabyNet State Office Trainings**

There will be mandatory policy trainings required by BabyNet State Office that will be separate from the BabyNet Credential.

- **Supervisor/Directors FYI: Any new personnel who need to obtain their initial S.C. Part C Credential will have 90 days to complete BabyNet Basics.**

- **Pre-approved Outside Professional Development Activities**

Renewal credit hours can also be earned by completing outside professional development activities. However, these activities must receive pre-approval from TECS to count toward renewal credit hours. In order to obtain pre-approval, personnel need to submit a request (ticket) to the TECS Helpdesk online at: **http://tecshelpdesk.zendesk.com** . In the request description, personnel need to include a Web link to the professional development activity of interest and explain how it relates to the core competencies.

[The five core competencies are Early Intervention Foundations, Child Development and Learning, Family and Community Relationships and Supports, Evaluation and Assessment and Service Coordination, and Delivery and Implementation.]

*For additional information on the BabyNet requirement for a SC Part C Credential for all personnel, please refer to policy, regulatory, or contract requirements.