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PEDiATRIC EXPERTiSE
Pediatricians are the most trusted resource for children and families and play an important role in promoting relational health. We provide a diverse, customized, high-quality, evidence-based education to a wide variety of audiences. Our Speakers Bureau have expertise, knowledge, and experience in a wide variety of topics including Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs), toxic stress, behavioral health, cyberbullying, racism, gun violence, positive parenting. Our speakers are also well-respected in the field and have influence in the pediatric professional community to provide high quality educational programming.

The four sessions had helped us provide a supportive teaching and learning forum for our staff and students especially during this difficult time. Covid-19 has been an unprecedented occurrence for everybody, but by the power of trauma informed and other related trainings to our staff, we have continued to be resilient in Bridgeton Public Schools. I want to thank you on behalf of our staff.”

~ Dr. Eniola Ajayi,
Bridgeton School District

NJAAP is one of only three approved Pediatric Project ECHO® hub sites in New Jersey. Project ECHO® utilizes a hub and spoke model via virtual technology to disseminate knowledge and amplify local capacity to provide best practice care. Regular weekly, bi-weekly or monthly virtual sessions include presentations by guest lecturers and guidance from a designated hub of subject matter experts. The hub discusses evidence-based strategies related to the area of focus, and guides participants in application of this knowledge and incorporation into their work. Case presentations by participants and group sharing, hallmarks of the ECHO model®, allow for integration of didactic learning to real world situations.
The Chapter has a strong drive to improve health outcomes by augmenting the knowledge and skills of the adults in the lives of children.

**Our audience has included:**
- Primary Care Pediatricians
- Pediatric Specialists/Sub-specialists
- Family Practice Physicians
- Advanced Practice Nurses
- Pediatric Nurse Practitioners
- School Superintendents
- Principals
- School Administrators
- School Nurses
- Guidance Counselors Teachers
- Social Workers
- Community Health Workers
- Non-profit Organizations
- For-profit Businesses
- Parents & Caregivers

“Our partnership with the NJAAP has provided us with an invaluable resource as we put together programming for our Inclusive Resource Groups. The pediatricians are highly collaborative and provide much needed subject matter expertise and credibility across a variety of topics.”

~ Scott Worland
Dow Jones and Company, Inc.
Strategy & Planning Manager;
Co-Chair of Parents@DJ IRG

### WORKSHOPS TOPICS

#### SAFETY
- Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect
- Identifying and Reporting Child Abuse and Neglect
- Identifying and Responding to Sexual Abuse
- Impact of ACEs on Development
- Understanding ACEs: Perspectives on Hope and Resilience
- Healthy Social Connections
- Educator Burnout and Secondary Traumatic Stress
- Toxic Stress: Recognizing and Mitigating Harm in Children
- The Effects of Maternal Stress on the Developing Fetus
- Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder
- Safety & Gun Violence
- Parenting Challenges
- Positive Parenting/Discipline
- Prevention/Awareness of Human Trafficking

#### IMMUNIZATIONS
- SARS-CoV-2 Vaccine
- Human Papillomavirus Virus is Cancer Prevention
- Vaccine Hesitancy
- Pertussis in Adults
- Influenza Immunization

#### POVERTY AND INEQUALITY
- Immigrant Health
- Immigration Policies Affecting Families
- Systemic Racism and Cultural Biases
- Negative Impact of Racism on Children and Families
- Healthy Homes (eg, Lead, asthma, household pollutants, lawns)
- Social Determinants of Health

#### OTHERS
- Multi-symptom Inflammatory Syndrome in Kids
- COVID-19
- Caring for Children with Special Healthcare Needs
- Oral Health
- Climate Change
- Poison Control/Overdosing in children
- Quality Improvement
- Single Parenting/Family Structures
- Nutrition and Obesity Prevention

#### AGE-SPECIFIC TOPICS

**Before the First Year**
- Post-Partum Depression
- Early Childhood (Birth-5 years)

**Middle Childhood (6-10 years)**
- Mental Health
- Suicide Prevention
- Cyberbullying
- Substance Use (ie, vaping, opioid use)
- Children and Sexuality
- Balancing Home and School

**Adolescence (11-21 years)**
- Sexually Transmitted Infections
- Navigating confidentiality rules for teens
- Adolescent/Specialty & Well-care
- Mental/Behavioral Health
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- ACEs and the Risks of Substance Abuse
- Tips for Parenting a Teenager
- Dating Violence Prevention

**Transition to Adult Care**
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