

# Early Childhood Development Knowledge Building Seminar 2011



# INVITATION

You are cordially invited to the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Early Childhood Development Knowledge Building Seminar will be held as follows:

**DATE:**  
28 and 29 November 2011

**TIME:**  
Day 1: 09h00 to 16h00  
Day 2: 08h30 to 15h30

**VENUE:**  
St George's Hotel, 58 Doornkloof, Goede Hoop Avenue, M57, Rietveldam, Kempton Park (off the R21).  
Gauteng Province

**RSVP:**  
Before or on 16 November 2011 to [jseleti@unicef.org](mailto:jseleti@unicef.org)  
(Please complete attached form)

Please be sure to confirm your attendance in time, as provision will only be made for those who have confirmed their attendance.

Attendance of the Seminar is free. Participants are responsible for their own travel and accommodation costs.

Please see Administrative Note

The Annual ECD Knowledge Building Seminar creates a platform to share new development and research in the early childhood development field. This year, a majority focus will be on young children with disabilities and early childhood interventions and programmes.

Some of the topics to be covered include:

- Early Childhood Development and Disabilities from a parent's perspective
- Young deaf children and their challenges
- Early Prevention and Early Childhood Intervention for disabilities
- Young Patients with Neurological Involvement
- Newborn Hearing Screening
- Caregiver Training as effective interventions in residential care facilities
- The Sobambisana Project Evaluation
- Provisions of international conventions for ECD for children with disabilities
- Access to information for children with disabilities
- Towards Integrated Practices in Early Detection and Intervention of deaf and hard of hearing children
- Instructional practices employ to teach a specific curriculum to young learners with severe intellectual disabilities
- ... and more.



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