

## Approved CARES Plus Component A Training

**Title:** Ages and Stages Questionnaire

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### Training Information

- **Type:** Nationally recognized
- **Delivery Method:** In-person
- **Length:** One three-hour session
- **Availability:** Orange County only
- **Language:** English
- **Age-level Focus:** Infant, Toddler, Preschool, and Transitional Kindergarten
- **Cost:** No cost

**Training Description:** The Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) is a developmental screening tool utilized in the Quality Start Orange County rating matrix. This training will teach participants about the tool and how to use it.

**Training Methods:** Lecture, handouts, hands-on activities, required reading, child observation, and facilitated peer discussion.

### Learning Objectives and Related Competencies

Competency Area	Performance Area	Topic/Competency Context(s)
Observation, Screening, Assessment, and Documentation	Screening and Referral	Supporting, planning, and guiding early learning and development
Observation, Screening, Assessment, and Documentation	Interpretation, Planning, and Implementation	Creating and maintaining program policies and practices
Special Needs and Inclusion	Collaboration with Families and Service Providers	Planning and guiding early learning and development