



# INSITE TRAINING



The Ohio Center for Deafblind Education is providing INSITE training in northeast Ohio!

The INSITE (**IN**-home **S**ensory **I**mpaired **T**raining and **E**ducation) Training is an introductory course that provides professionals the opportunity to learn how to strengthen and form partnerships with families of infants, toddlers, and preschool children who have multiple disabilities and /or dual sensory impairments in the home setting. Participants will learn the INSITE approach to gathering information, child assessment, and program planning needed for the IFSP/IEP. Participants will be provided a resource manual that will help them gather information and activities to improve communication, vision, hearing, motor, daily care, and psycho-emotional support. This is a 4-day training.

Certified INSITE Trainers:

**Barb Williams**, M.Ed., is an Early Intervention Specialist with Cleveland Sight Center. She has worked with children and adults with hearing impairments, vision impairments, autism, and multiple disabilities since 1998. She holds a teaching license and Early Intervention credentials from the state of Ohio, taught courses at Kent State University, and served as a trainer of the Ages and Stages Questionnaires. Barb is a trainer for both INSITE and VIISA Courses.

**Janet Stone**, M.Ed., Janet is a Teacher of the Visually Impaired for Akron City Schools, an Early Intervention Vision Specialist for Ohio Help Me Grow-DODD and a Deaf blind Consultant for the Ohio Center for Deafblind Education. She has worked with children with visual impairments, deafblindness, and multiple disabilities for over 30 years. She is a trainer for both the INSITE and VIISA courses. She has taught at Cuyahoga Community College and is a co-author of "Taking A Look" vision screening tool for Ohio's Help Me Grow.

**Training Dates:**

October 7 and 14, 2017  
November 4 and 11, 2017

**Time:** 8:30-5:00

\*Attendance at all 4 days is rerequired to get the CEUs.

**Location:**

Broadmoor School  
8090 Broadmoor Road  
Mentor, OH 44060

**To Register & Questions:**

**by Sept. 23, 2017:**

Contact Leanne Parnell at

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calling 614-897-0020 x107

**Cost:** This training is being offered at no cost, participants will receive training manuals upon completion.

**CEU's:** 34 Intervention Program Planning and Development CEU's are available through the Ohio Dept. of Developmental Disabilities.

**Optional 3 graduate credit hours are being offered through Notre Dame College, Ohio.**

Register at [www.notredamecollege.edu/professionaldevelopment](http://www.notredamecollege.edu/professionaldevelopment). Scroll down page to INSITE information and click on link. This will direct you to our online catalog page. Click on the INSITE Training catalog, locate the course and click on the green course number to proceed. The cost for the course for 3 grad credits is \$405.

If you have issues with registration, contact Tina Jurcisin at 216-373-6520 or [tjurcisin@ndc.edu](mailto:tjurcisin@ndc.edu) for assistance. All requirements of course must be met to qualify for graduate credit. Deadline to register for graduate credit is October 21, 2017.