

OH BABY! Schedule of Events

8:30 am: **Registration and networking**

9:00 am : **Introductions and goal setting**

9:30 am: **Culture, the brain, and the wisdom of young children** Dr. John Hornstein ,  
Research Associate, Touchpoints Project, Harvard  
Medical School

11:30 am: **LUNCH** (Provided)

12 Noon: **Regional Presentations from Family Resource and Parent Education Centers** including Families First, Portsmouth, The Family Education Collaborative, Manchester, Plymouth State University Faculty and Berlin/  
Gorham Family Resource Center, Plymouth

1:00 pm: **How to talk so new parents can listen:** Sarah Leonard, UNH Child Study and Development Center

2:00 pm: **Cradle Crier and Toddler Tales: Using an age-based newsletter to improve your parent 's understanding of Child Development:** Dr. Malcolm Smith, UNH Cooperative Extension

3:00 pm: **Adjournment**



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**MARCH 26, 2009:**  
Manchester YWCA

**APRIL 8, 2009:**  
Portsmouth Community Campus

**MAY 21, 2009:**  
Plymouth State University

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## Oh baby

This is a training for professionals who care for New Hampshire's youngest residents. Participants will gain evidence-based knowledge, skills and information on our rapidly changing understanding of how babies and toddlers grow and develop, and learn new, effective ways of teaching this information to parents. PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN TO:

~ IDENTIFY AND APPLY RECENT RESEARCH IN INFANT AND TODDLER BRAIN DEVELOPMENT

~ EMPLOY CREATIVE NEW STRATEGIES FOR EDUCATING NEW PARENTS

~ INCREASE THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF COGNITIVE AND DEVELOPMENTAL MILESTONES

~ UTILIZE THE CRADLE CRIER AND TODDLER TALES NEWSLETTERS AS AN EFFECTIVE CHILD ABUSE AND PREVENTION INITIATIVE

~ USE RESEARCH TO IMPROVE THEIR ABILITY TO EDUCATE NEW PARENTS



### PRESENTERS :

**DR. JOHN HORNSTEIN** is a research associate at both Children's Hospital and Harvard Medical School and is a faculty member of the Touchpoints Project. John has worked in the field of early child development for over 30 years. A graduate of Harvard, his research focuses on the emotional development in young children with additional interest in cross-cultural issues, parenting, and creativity. John was on the faculty of the Department of Education at the University of New Hampshire for 13 years, teaching in early childhood education, special education, and undergraduate honors programs.



**SARAH LEONARD:** Is a gifted educator and caregiver who teaches in the Infant and Toddler program at UNH's Child Study and Development Center. Sarah is a frequent presenter at early childhood conferences.

**DR. MALCOLM SMITH** is the Family Education and Family Policy Specialist for UNH Cooperative Extension and frequent national presenter

### LOCATIONS:

March 26, YWCA of Manchester,  
72 Concord St., Manchester, NH

April 8: Portsmouth Community Campus,  
1 Campus Drive, Portsmouth, NH

May 21: Plymouth State University, Heritage  
Commons, Samuel Reed Hall, Plymouth NH

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