

## **Infant-Child Health and Safety**

An introduction to health and safety concentrating on infants and children. Gaining insight on direct relationships between health status and social and environmental factors. Also demonstrate skills of planning and organization, applying knowledge of trends and theories of health education.

### **I. Introduction to health and safety**

#### **A. Promoting good health**

1. Health appraisals
2. Assessment tools
3. Conditions affecting today's child

#### **B. Communicable and acute illness**

1. Infectious process and effective control
2. Identification and management
3. State laws and reporting

### **II. Safety and the young child**

- A. Creating a safe environment
- B. Safety management
- C. Child abuse and neglect
- D. Government guidelines
- E. Reporting issues
- F. Education for the young child

### **III. Health and safety curriculum**

- A. Methods of instruction and resources