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Ordinary Magic:

Practical Ideas to Support Children's Mental Health and Development

This one day workshop offers service providers a straightforward way of looking at risk factors, and provides strategies for building resiliency in high risk children. This can be especially useful where a comprehensive and multi-disciplinary clinical assessment is not readily available. Evelyn will describe a simple method to evaluate risk/resiliency, and strategies for supporting children whose development has been compromised.

Workshop Topic areas

- What is child development?
- How does child development happen?
- How can child development be derailed?
- What can be done to help?

This workshop is provided free of charge.
Refreshments and lunch included.

Time: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Dates/Locations

February 27, 2012	February 29, 2012	March 2, 2012
Fort St. John, BC	**Terrace, BC**	**Prince George, BC**
Pomeroy Hotel	Terrace Best Western	PG Civic Centre
11308 Alaska Road	4553 Greig Ave	808 Civic Plaza

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Target Audience: therapists, support workers, key workers, social workers, teachers, teacher aides, childcare workers, infant development workers, public health nurses, Aboriginal service providers

Evelyn Wotherspoon, MSW, RSW, is a Calgary based social worker and the only Canadian "Zero to Three Fellow" who is an infant mental health consultant specializing in infant trauma and maltreatment. Evelyn has spent over 30 years working with high risk families as a child welfare consultant, supervisor, and clinician.
Evelyn believes that "Everyone who touches the life of a vulnerable child needs to be well informed and prepared to offer a therapeutic response". Her mission is to "translate the science of early childhood development into practical tools for parents and professionals who are responsible for these children."

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