

The 44th
"I CARE"
Conference

Parental Involvement and Character Education Conference

PHASE II

June 20–22, 2012

Embassy Suites Hotel
San Antonio Riverwalk—Downtown
125 East Houston Street
San Antonio, Texas 78205
Hotel Reservations: 800.362.2779



To Register: Call 1.800.797.5818 or go On-Line to www.icarenow.com

Session Topics (See session descriptions at www.icarenow.com.)

- The Principles of Success
- Beyond Random Parent Engagement Acts
- Principles of Influence
- Implementing “I Care” in Multiple Settings
- Creative Parent Engagement Leadership
- New Products & Services
- Successful “I Care” Parent Participation Recognition Programs
- Facilitation Skill–Building
- Sustaining High Levels of Parent Engagement



Introducing the New “I Care” Innovations . . .

Community Partnership Component



We now have measurable **student** components for home, school, and community involvement that are aligned with national education standards.

“I Care” Takes on Communities & Cities

*Character Development
through
Parental Involvement*



Conference Facilitators

Elbert Solomon, Director of “I Care” Parental Involvement Programs, has facilitated “I Care” Conferences throughout the country for more than 15 years. He is a parent, an award-winning educator, an author, a chemical engineer, and Chief Executive Officer.

Dr. James Patrick is an educator and author, having served as a teacher, a coach, an Assistant Principal, a Principal, and Superintendent of Macon County, Alabama schools. Currently, he is an Adjunct Professor of Education at Columbus State University in Columbus, Georgia.

School-Based “I Care” Certified Facilitators who have successfully implemented “I Care” curricula in their schools, districts, and parishes. Facilitators are selected from a cross-section of states and cultures.

Guest Speakers from school districts that have successfully implemented “I Care” Curricula and are inspired to share their successes.

“I Care” Associates and Staff

Eva Edmon—Customer Service Associate

Ethel Patrick—Customer Service Associate

Phillip Harper, Jr—Customer Service/IT Manager

“I Care” Certification

By attending this conference, you will complete Phase II of the train-the-trainer certification process. As an “I Care” Certified Facilitator, you will have the skills and tools for training administrators, teachers, parents, and the public within your school, district, and community. In addition to knowledge of the “I Care” Parental Involvement Curriculum methodology, implementation processes, parental involvement assessment tools, strategies for teaching and incorporating character education into the school curriculum at home and in the community, etc.; you’ll leave the conference with “talking points” on the impact “I Care” Parental Involvement can have on the home, school, and community. More importantly, you will gain the passion for being one of the change agents who makes things happen.



Conference Design

The *Phase II Certified Facilitator Conference* is designed to help “I Care” Certified Facilitators *Supercharge!* the implementation of “I Care” Parental Involvement & Mentoring Curricula. Attendees will have the option of selecting from a strand of sessions to meet their individual school implementation needs.

Five Good Reasons to Attend This Conference

1. Learn how to *Supercharge!* and master the “I Care” Parental Involvement Family, School and Community components.
2. Gain a better understanding of the best teaching and learning strategies for the successful integration of “I Care” Parental Involvement into multiple schools in a district.
3. Examine the most effective school-tested “I Care” implementation practices that invigorate school administrators, teachers, parents, and students.
4. Engage in problem-solving roundtable discussions to address school alignment and implementation.
5. Discover how to use the combination of information technology, professional development, classroom resources, consulting services, and evaluation tools to increase parental involvement for each student, classroom, school, and school district.

Registration Information

Fee Information

Registration Fee for the *Phase II Certified Facilitator Training Conference* is **\$795.00**. Attendees will be provided with a Facilitation Toolbox (includes manuals and presentations) and Conference CD-ROM, as well as Continental Breakfast, lunch, and refreshments.

Hotel Information

Embassy Suites Hotel, San Antonio Riverwalk—Downtown, San Antonio, Texas (\$159 for single or double per night + 16.75% tax = \$185.64 per night). Call the *Embassy Suites Hotel, San Antonio Riverwalk—Downtown* at 800.362.2779 for information and to book rooms (refer to group code “ICP” to specify that you will be attending the conference for “I Care” Products & Services in order to receive the room rate for our conference). Room reservations may also be made on-line via the Conference page on our Web site. See hotel shuttle and parking information on our Web site at www.icarenow.com.

Registration Deadline **May 21, 2012**

Hotel reservation requests received after this date are subject to the standard rate and space availability.

Training Times

8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Wednesday & Thursday
8:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m. Friday morning

Registration Form Phase II (June 20–22, 2012)

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