



# HOMELESS LIAISON NETWORKING MEETING



## Identifying and Supporting the Families of Young Children Experiencing Homelessness

Tuesday, May 10, 2011  
9:00a-12:00p

**CESA 5, 626 E Slifer, Portage**  
**Free** (*includes continental breakfast*)

Sponsored by:  
WI Early Childhood Collaborating  
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**Presenter:** Corie Davis: Early Childhood Homeless Content Coach  
**Facilitators:** Ann Ramminger, Southern Region Community Collaboration Coach  
Joan Rice, Early Childhood Program Support, CESA 5

**AUDIENCE:** School District & Head Start Homeless liaisons and anyone involved with preschool children and families experiencing homelessness.

*Compared with low-income housed children, homeless children experience more health problems, developmental delays, increased anxiety, depression, behavioral problems, and lower educational achievement. (Source: National Center on Family Homelessness [www.familyhomelessness.org](http://www.familyhomelessness.org))*

*Please join us for an opportunity to share your experience and to hear what others are doing to address this important topic. Districts that have received a grant related to homelessness are encouraged to attend and share their progress. This event will focus primarily on services to preschoolers and their family including 4K & EC Special Education.*

To Register:  
[MyQuickReg.com](http://MyQuickReg.com)

### FORUM OBJECTIVES:

*Participants will:*

- *Share strategies to identify and support homeless families with young children*
- *Review the McKinney Vento law and the role of the homeless liaison as it relates to providing services to young children*
- *Identify potential community partners for providing comprehensive services to preschool children*
- *Address Teacher Standards 10, 5 and 7*

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