

**Infant Development Association of California
Northern California Regional Conference**

Growing and Thriving in Supportive Relationships



Friday, September 8, 2017 / 1:15 pm– 3:00 pm

Parents As Partners:

How to Encourage and Engage Parents in Social Emotional Development

In this workshop participants will discover and learn about initiatives such as the Take A Minute Campaign and the Strengthening Families 5 Protective Factors, that support the role of parents in the social emotional development of their child. Through interactive activities, participants will explore ways to reinforce the critical role that parents play in this important developmental period.

Level of information: Intermediate

Participants will be able to:

- List the 5 Protective Factors and how it supports optimal child development, including social emotional.
- Utilize the Take A Minute Campaign to encourage families to connect with their children to enhance social emotional development.
- Identify strategies to implement the 5 Protective Factors into programs to increase social emotional outcomes.

Participants: ALL, anyone who works with families of young children or who is a parent of a young child.

Presenter: Kelly Young, J.D., Executive Director of WarmLine Family Resource Center, Parent of a young women with disabilities

Bio:

Kelly Young joined WarmLine Family Resource Center in 2011 as the Executive Director. WarmLine provides training, information and support to families of children with disabilities in 26 counties in northern California. Prior to her employment at WarmLine, Kelly was the Early Start Institute Coordinator at WestEd. Ms. Young was a staff attorney for Disability Rights California where she advocated for the rights of people with developmental disabilities. She was a specialized consultant for SEEDS (Supporting Early Education Delivery Systems) Project of the Sacramento County Office of Education, assisting the California Department of Education in monitoring and technical assistance provision to local education agencies. Kelly Young has BA in business administration, accountancy from California State University, Sacramento and a Juris Doctorate from Lincoln Law School.