

**Early Years Conference 2012**  
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**MAGIC MOMENTS: *The Art of Responsive Infant Care***

**Objectives:**

- Introduce the basics of early brain development
- Present strategies to optimize early development
- Explore two models of infant curriculum
- Provide an opportunity to imagine an ideal infant environment
- Emphasize the importance of health practices
- Consider the essential element of relationships and bonding in infant care
- Discuss how to incorporate family culture and special needs