



## CMAS Update: June 2014 Advisory Meeting

CMAS was asked to pilot the assessment in an electronic format, it may take a little longer to complete if it possible we suggest that administrator and SDR schedule extra time on that day.

If you are operating short term CNC programs, please provide your consultant with the locations so we can update our data base.

There is a CNC Requirement that programs new to offering child care who will provide mobile care should have a training prior to operation. If you are in this position or know any organization that is please contact CMAS for further information.

If you have children with special needs or your program wants to work on building a more inclusive CNC program, the Special Needs Consultant is available to provide you with information, resources and assistance to support you. Please contact her directly at [shandaburnett@cmascanada.ca](mailto:shandaburnett@cmascanada.ca)

### Professional Development

- We have received some funding from CIC to assist ISO with CPR and First Aid certification for their CNC staff. We will be sending out more information about the availability of funding soon.
- The Anaphylaxis Course is still available in both French and English for this year. If you have new staff, encourage them to take the course so that you can manage allergies in your programs. To access this course, users must continue to request a password.
- Certificates are now available for CMAS Online Courses! To help you meet requirements for CNC Staff professional development, staff will appreciate the fact that now certificates are available for six (6) online courses. The courses can be found in the CMAS Online Learning Centre where CNC Staff will now be prompted to register and generate a personal username and password. This allows a personalized certificate of completion to be produced at the end of the course.

Remember to check the website often and watch your email for updates and new resources. Consultants are also available to support you throughout the year - they are just a phone call or email away.