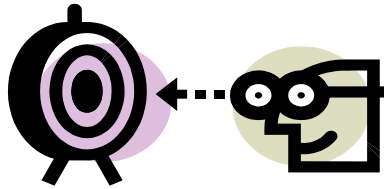


LEARNING OBJECTIVES AND COMPETENCIES



LEARNING OBJECTIVE:

Participants will be able to:

- ✓ Recognize why knowledge and understanding of the principles and milestones of child development are essential for effective Child Welfare practice.

COMPETENCIES:

- 103-2:** The Child Welfare Professional knows the potential negative effects of child abuse, neglect, and sexual abuse on a child's development, and can identify indicators of developmental delay or problems in abused and neglected children.
- 103-4:** The Child Welfare Professional knows how children's behavior problems may be symptoms of underlying developmental delays or emotional disturbance.
- 103-5:** The Child Welfare Professional is able to advise parents and foster parents on age-appropriate expectations for children, and can help set realistic expectations for children who demonstrate developmental problems as a result or abuse and neglect.