

Michigan AEYC Annual Early Childhood Conference  
April 20-22, 2023  
Amway Grand Plaza Hotel & DeVos Place, Grand Rapids, MI

**RESEARCH & PRACTICE POSTER SESSION PROPOSAL**  
In Partnership with Michigan Division for Early Childhood (MiDEC)



Michigan Association for the  
Education of Young Children



The Poster Session invites teachers, service providers, researchers, and students across disciplines to share information about early childhood, early intervention, inclusive practice, family-school relationships, teacher education, professional development and related areas. A broad range of topics is encouraged, such as:

- Current or in-progress research, including classroom or program-based action research
- Reflections and representations of innovative and emerging classroom practices
- Approaches to collaborating with families and colleagues, and inter-agency collaboration
- Child assessment or classroom evaluation
- Modifications of classroom environments, routines and curriculum to support all children
- Supporting peer relationships and social emotional learning
- Approaches to support learning about diversity, equity and inclusion

The purpose of the Poster Session is to encourage interaction and informal communication between presenters and conference participants.

**The IN-PERSON Poster Session is Friday, April 21, 2022 11:45 am -1:00 pm**  
**Poster presentation tables will be in the hallway outside of Devos Ballroom A**  
**(right outside the doors to the Exhibit Hall held in Ballroom A)**  
**Each poster presenter will share an 8-ft. Table with another poster presenter**  
**Bring your OWN poster board (not provided) and all materials (tacks, stapler, etc.) with you the day of the session**

**DEADLINE for Poster Session proposals is Monday, February 20, 2023.**  
**(This is different than the proposal submission date of November 21, 2022 for conference sessions).**  
**You will be notified of your poster session acceptancy by March 6, 2023.**

**Poster Session Proposal Information**

Name of **Primary** Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name(s) of all additional presenters for this Poster session (for inclusion in the conference program)

Please fill out this form and use this as a coversheet. Attach a one-page description of your proposal.

Include: 1) Title 2) Summary of Content Send to: Dr. Julie Ricks-Doneen [ricksdon@oakland.edu](mailto:ricksdon@oakland.edu)

**Please Note:** Poster session presenters will receive a 50% discount on conference registration (up to two presenters) in the form of a partial registration refund. If a presenter has also submitted a separate conference workshop proposal that has been accepted as the primary presenter, they will receive a complimentary full conference registration. Poster sessions will be cancelled for poster-session-only presenters who have not registered for and paid the conference fee by April 3, 2023.