



2005 SHARING A VISION CONFERENCE

**Doubletree Hotel, Chicago-Oak Brook
1909 Spring Road
Oak Brook, Illinois 60521**

Parents/Guardians of Young Children,

Through the collaborative efforts of early childhood supporters from across the state, the eighth Illinois Early Childhood Conference, Sharing A Vision: Windows of Opportunity will be held at the Doubletree Hotel, Chicago-Oak Brook in Oak Brook, Illinois on October 19, 20 and 21, 2005. This conference provides agencies, programs and families the opportunity to come together to share their knowledge and to learn new information about young children and families.

This year's conference will feature a Creative Expressions Art Gallery where children's artwork will not only be displayed but will be placed on auction. Students attending Early Childhood programs in Illinois are eligible to participate in this exciting art experience.

If your child's teacher would like to submit your child's artwork to the Creative Expressions Art Gallery please sign the attached Consent and Release Form and return it to him/her. Please understand that:

- Items submitted to the conference will not be returned.
- Not all items will be selected and displayed for the gallery.
- Professionals/Parents attending the conference will have the opportunity to bid on exhibited items. Proceeds from the sale of these items will be given to support the Sharing A Vision Conference.
- No home addresses or telephone number will appear with the item(s).

If you have any questions or concerns about this event, please contact one of the following committee members:

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