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A New Day for Outdoor Play in Child Care

May 11, 2021 | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm ET

Agenda

Welcoming

Cara Sklar, Deputy Director of Early & Elementary Education Policy, New America
Kathleen Belk Doffermyre, Senior Program Officer, The George B. Storer Foundation

Opening Remarks

Mustafa Santiago Ali, Vice President of Environmental Justice, Climate, and Community Revitalization, National Wildlife Federation

Research Presentation

Sarah Konradi, Program Director, Early Childhood Health Outdoors

Practitioner Panel

Anupama Joshi, Executive Director, Blue Sky Funders Forum (moderator)
Debbie Gray, Quality and Technical Assistance Program Manager, Colorado Office of Early Childhood
Katie Krause, Nebraska Extension Educator, The Learning Child
Kim Shaw, Owner, A Safe Place Child Enrichment Center, Raleigh, NC

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Policy Panel

Jennifer Zuckerman, Director of Strategic Initiatives, Duke World Food Policy Center (moderator)

Amanda Bryans, Director Research Analysis and Communication, Office of Early Childhood Development, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Kim Kofron, Director of Early Childhood Education, Children at Risk

Aliza Yair, Outdoor Preschool Pilot Program Specialist, Washington Department of Children, Youth, and Families

Call to Action

Brian Kurzel, Regional Executive Director, Rocky Mountain Regional Center, National Wildlife Federation

Lynette Fraga, CEO, Child Care Aware of America

Closing Remarks

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