

4-C Program Accomplishments 2007:
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- 1) Data – completed the annual survey and various rates report which are attached.
- 2) Thanks to the state requiring a Shaken Baby prevention training be done with every person working in regulated early childhood education in the state 4-C was busy last year. We did 150 workshops last year in Dane County for 4417 child care staff and family child care providers. Over 2000 of them were for the required (but unfunded) Shaken Baby Prevention workshops. A rough estimate is 2 out of every 3 early childhood staff in the county attended one of our Shaken Baby Prevention workshops last year. We did them not only centrally but on site also including at many accredited programs and trained a number of trainers so systems and centers could do their own training in the future. We also did all the other trainings covered under our contract- Launching into Literacy, Family Child Care Tax Workshop, etc. (those were the other 2000 folks). Anyhow it was a very busy, stressful but successful year. It was also a good example of why it is important to have a flexible low cost training unit at 4-C capable of moving forward quickly to address needs,
- 3) Latino Project – The project did 13 workshops and classes with a total attendance of 281. Did 5 additional start up training orientations for 58 people of whom 10 became certified. A number moved from certification to licensing but that was mainly the result of work by Satellite. The major result though was this year we revoked only one Latino provider out of the 59 that were in 4-C's certification program where as we had to revoke 21 of the 281 providers who were not Latino. The providers receiving the better support are obviously doing better at meeting standards and 25% of the Spanish Speaking providers (which includes those that have become licensed) have become accredited -2 ½ times more than the general family child care population. The other major benefit of the project has been the positive closer working relationship between Satellite and 4-C. In January the United Way funded us for the work outside the City of Madison so we do not have to worry about continuing to serve a provider who moves outside the city limits.