



RENOWNED DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY EXPERT AND CREATOR OF CONSCIOUS DISCIPLINE[®], DR. BECKY BAILEY, LAUNCHES FACES

New Non-Profit Seeks to Prepare Children for Lifelong Success by Providing Conscious Discipline[®] Resources to Teachers and At-Risk Groups

(ORLANDO, Fla., August 25, 2010) Faces, a new non-profit organization focused on teaching the necessary life skills children and adults need to handle relationships at school, work and at home has been launched. Through various grants and donations, Faces will make available Conscious Discipline[®] training to teachers and other individuals in at-risk groups who would not otherwise be able to afford this life-changing educational program.

Conscious Discipline[®] is a comprehensive classroom management program and a social-emotional curriculum. It is based on current brain research, child development information, and developmentally appropriate practices. The curriculum has been specifically designed to make changes in the lives of adults first. The adults, in turn, change the lives of children.

A unique example of the Social Emotional Learning method, Conscious Discipline[®] is a way of organizing schools and classrooms around the concept of a School Family[™]. Each member of the family—both adult and child—learns the skills needed to successfully manage life tasks such as learning, forming relationships, communicating effectively, being sensitive to others' needs and getting along with others.

Conscious Discipline[®] was developed by Becky A. Bailey, Ph.D., an award-winning author, renowned teacher and internationally recognized expert in childhood education and developmental psychology. Her workshops touch thousands of lives each year, and her top selling book titles have over 100,000 copies in circulation. Dr. Bailey is the founder of Loving Guidance, Inc., a company dedicated to creating positive environments for children, families, schools and businesses. Faces was established to honor the life of Frances Bailey, an educator and the mother of Dr. Bailey.

“The goal of Faces is to provide an opportunity for teachers to learn and teach Conscious Discipline[®], and to understand and utilize conflicts as opportunities to teach life skills. Faces will accomplish this goal by providing free training and resources to teachers and the families they serve,” said Jeff Rufenacht, Faces Executive Director. “Through Faces we hope to reach more teachers and caregivers and show them a better way to facilitate development and growth in both themselves and the children in their care.”

Faces is a non-profit organization headquartered in Oviedo and dedicated to extending the Conscious Discipline[®] program to educators and other qualifying adults. Faces scholarships may cover all or partial tuition and lodging for participation in Conscious Discipline[®] Institute workshops held throughout the country. For more information on Faces, applying for a scholarship, or making a donation visit www.empowerfaces.org. For more information on Conscious Discipline[®] and Loving Guidance, Inc., visit www.beckybailey.com. For more information on Conscious Discipline parenting classes, child enrichment classes and teacher training sessions offered by a Certified Conscious Discipline Instructor in the greater DC area, please visit www.ParentChildU.com.

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