MAINE CHILDREN'S HOME EMPOWERED TO CONNECT CONFERENCE APRIL 2019 Participant Feedback:

What did you enjoy about the ETC conference?

- The session with Marti Smith and Sarah Mercardo were particularly enjoyable. The humor with info was priceless
- This is our second year attending and I'm so glad we came again. The information we learned last year has helped us tremendously with all 7 of our kids (bio, foster, adopted) ages 1-21. I felt we needed the info reiterated to keep working towards doing it better. I've taken away so much more again. Absolutely priceless. I wish this training was required for all foster and/or adoptive parents. It would've made a huge difference with previous placements. I've recommended to all parents I know.
- Outstanding information
- Great information
- Love all the resource recommendations and their passion to help children. Overall enjoyed the TBRI focus and hope to get more training
- The human race needs this



Aspects you feel could be improved to better your experience:

- The speakers were repetitive and each speaker repeated what the others said, but I think it
 could've been more beneficial. I would've liked more applicable strategies other than "hands
 and eyes" or saying yes.
- Cindy Lee info should be in booklet. Would be great.
- Some more training regarding how to use TBRI to get homework done, rooms cleaned, etc.
- Needs coffee