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Brightside Academy Welcomes EarlyLearn NYC Family Advocates at New York Locations

(Pittsburgh, PA, November 19, 2012) – Brightside Academy has established their EarlyLearn NYC Family Advocate team for New York locations.

EarlyLearn NYC is the new innovative system that will transform early child care for children served by the city's subsidized early childhood system and increase quality standards. Family advocates are responsible for coordinating and implementing site-based EarlyLearn NYC parent involvement activities.

"We are delighted to have our family advocates in place at the academies. Together we look forward to creating strong partnerships with EarlyLearn NYC parents throughout our locations," stated Executive Director Donna Piekarski.

The individuals hired at each location are

BRONX:

- **Elizabeth Velez** – 331 East 150th Street
- **Richard Pedraja** – 960 Intervale Avenue
- **Anita Moonsammy** – 1336 Louis Nine Boulevard
- **Dominique Simon** – 1465 Webster Avenue
- **Tamika Sanders** – 2901 White Plains Road
- **Stacey Johnson** – 3942 White Plains Road
- **Jennifer Brown** – 1093 Southern Boulevard
- **Monica Feaster** – 770 St. Ann's Avenue

BROOKLYN:

- **Tenekqua Cauthen** – 683 Barbey Street
- **Amria Watson** – 58 Belmont Avenue
- **Shalini Chakroborty** – 1491 Broadway Avenue
- **Shaquonna Alston** – 844 Dekalb Avenue
- **Tracy-Ann Graham** – 685 Rogers Avenue

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