

# Division of Early Learning Provider/ Program Spotlight

**January 7, 2015 ~ Patricia Bodrick**



Patricia Bodrick has been nominated by her peer, Randi Stewart, to be recognized in this week's Provider Spotlight. Ms. Bodrick has dedicated over 25 years of service at the First Rock Child Development Center located at 4638 H Street SE. A single parent, Ms. Bodrick, began her journey at First Baptist as a Teacher's Aide in 1989. In 2002, she became the acting director of the center, but was quickly moved into the role permanently where she has served as Director for the last 12 years. Ms. Bodrick received her Director's Certification in 2002; her Associate's Degree in May 2009 and she is currently pursuing a Bachelor's degree. Under her leadership, First Rock became a nationally accredited center in 2012. Overall, Ms. Bodrick has more than 35 years of experience in early childhood.

First Rock Child Development Center serves children ages 0-5 at a capacity of 118 children. First Rock offers instructional programs in reading and math.