

PORTAGE PROJECT'S FAMILY SERVICE CREDENTIAL



Training of Trainers

July 27-31, 2014

TRAINING DATES & TIMES:

July 27-31, 2015
Daily from 8:30a-4:30p

LOCATION:

THE PYLE CENTER—UW MADISON
702 Langdon St, Madison, WI 53706
Front desk: 608-262-1122

OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS:

THE LOWELL CENTER
610 Langdon St, Madison, WI 53703
Single: \$70 Double \$82
Reservations: Phone 1-866-301-1753
Online: <http://bit.ly/cesafive26jul>
Mention code: CESAFIVE

⇒ Sleeping room deadline: June 26, 2015 ⇐

Complimentary breakfast served in the Lowell Center dining room for hotel guests. Other lodging details. On-site parking for hotel guests (1 space=room) in the Lowell Center ramp available for \$8/day. Call the hotel to reserve 866-301-1753. Also available, City of Madison parking ramp one block from Pyle.

COST: \$1000

DISCOUNT = IF PAID BY 6/20/15 - \$950

(Includes all materials, lunch & breaks, 5 days of training & follow-up support via email/phone/trainer COP webinars)

TRAINERS:

Ruth Chvojicek , FSC Coord/Trainer
Kathy Boisvert, FSC Trainer
Melissa Velez, FSC Trainer

LOCAL AIRPORT: Dane County Regional Airport—Madison (MSN)
Taxi service is available to/from the airport to the Lowell Center

NOTE: "If you participated in Training of Trainers prior to 2012 it's recommended that you attend the Training of Trainers again as a refresher and to ensure you are using the most up to date materials."

ONLINE REGISTRATION

(click box below)



STEP I: Create/save your profile
STEP II: Register for the event
STEP III: Choose payment type

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JULY 17th, 2015

⇒ Sleeping room deadline: June 26, 2015 ⇐

*Please include a copy of your myquickreg.com registration with your check, PO# made out /mailed to:

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Attn: Family Service Credential
626 E Slifer Street
Portage, WI 53901

TRAINING CONTENT QUESTIONS:

RUTH CHVOJICEK
1-800-862-3725 ext 5405 or 608-742-5405
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REGISTRATION QUESTIONS:

608-745-5423
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CANCELLATION / REFUND POLICY:

Full refund if cancelled MORE than 4 weeks before a training. Participants who cancel LESS than 4 weeks, or do not attend, will be billed the full fee.

Family Service Credential Training Opportunities

Training of Trainers

Who: Interested persons, with appropriate skills and experience, who will implement the Family Service Credential within their local agency. Participation in the Family Service Credential direct service staff training is not required but is *highly* recommended. Recommended prerequisites for participants at this level include:

- In-depth direct service experience working with families
- Experience in training adults and knowledge of adult learning practices

Training Objectives—Participants will:

- Experience the FSC content from the trainer/facilitator perspective
- Assess & reflect on personal facilitation capacities
- Learn how to integrate knowledge of adult learning principles into facilitation of the content
- Learn how to implement the assessment & portfolio component of the FSC credential
- Learn & apply training and facilitation skills
- Receive follow-up individualized mentoring during back-home implementation
- College Credit available upon request

Details: For dates, location and costs of current training opportunities see enclosed flyer or go to this web site: www.MyQuickReg.com

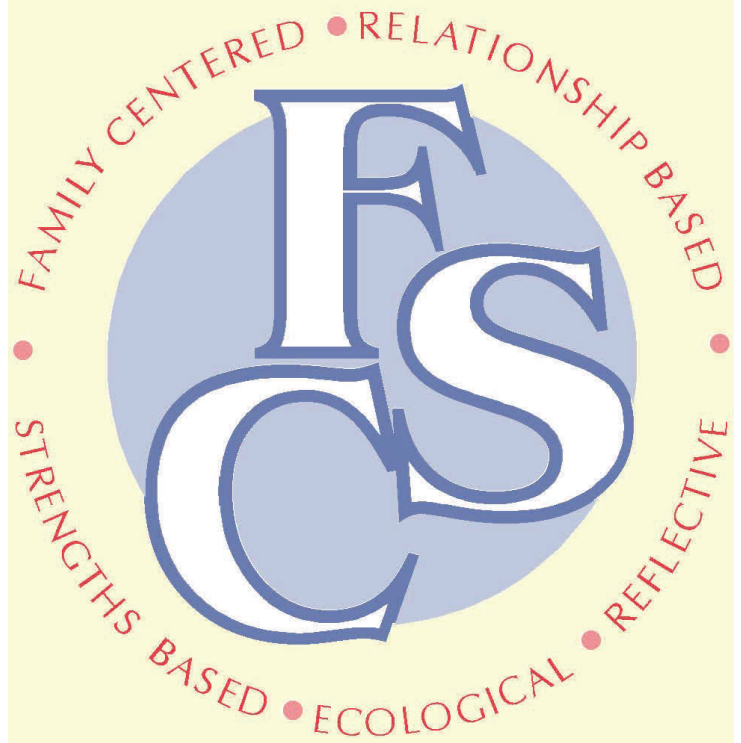
Direct Service Staff Training

Who: Direct service staff and their supervisors, working with children and families.

- Build knowledge, skills & capacities in the FSC content areas
- Enhance understanding & application of content through ongoing networking & dialogue with other FSC participants
- Practice & apply content knowledge through work with families
- Demonstrate competencies through assessment and portfolio activities
- College Credit available at some locations

Costs: Cost of on-site training at your agency varies depending on your training needs, number of participants, and location.

For more information: Contact Ruth Chvojicek, Family Service Credential Coordinator, at 1-800-862-3725 or 608-745-5405 or email her at: chvojicekr@cesa5.org



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**“This is by far the most beneficial
training I have ever taken!
Everything has been useful.”**

- participant from a Family Service Credential training
at Michigan Head Start Association, Lansing, MI

The Family Service

Credential is a comprehensive, competency based training experience, designed to support direct service staff in their work with children and families.

The content is structured using four modules and is designed to support staff in the refinement of skills and strategies to incorporate the core values of being family centered, relationship focused, strengths based, ecological and reflective. The training is appropriate for any staff who work intensely with families in programs such as Head Start, home visitation programs, early childhood or 4-year-old kindergarten program, family resource centers, etc.

To receive the credential, participants in the direct service staff level complete a portfolio that includes activities and journal entries. The portfolio gives participant's the opportunity to reflect on content learned and apply it to their current work situation. Each portfolio entry is tied to core competencies and indicates how a participants has internalized the core values of the credential.

Head Start Parent, Family, and Community Engagement Framework Outcomes and the activities Head Start and Early Head Start Relationship-Based Competencies for staff who work with families are incorporated into the Family Service Credential content.

Module 1

Understanding Values and Beliefs in Working with Families

- Looking at Personal Values & Beliefs
- Understanding Family Systems
- Family Resiliency
- Relationship-Based Communication
- Understanding and Supporting the Family Ecologically

Module 2

Empowering Partnerships with Families To Support Growth

- Empowerment—The Broad Perspective
- Empowering Strategies to Support Families
- Roles & Boundaries
- The Agency Perspective
- Families with Special Considerations

Module 3

Involving Families Through Family-Centered Practices

- Family Engagement
- Supporting Adults in the Parenting Role

Module 4

Leading & Managing Professionally

- Collaborating Within the Community
- Tools for Managing the Job
- Professional Growth & Development