

TRAUMA INFORMED PRACTICES - APPRENTICE TRAINING OF TRAINER TIME COMMITMENT

Apprentice Activity	Phase 1 Learning Phase	Phase 2 Practical Application Phase
Module 100 An Overview of Trauma: Trauma-Informed Practices - Relationship-Based Approaches that Support Healing and Build Resilience in Children Trauma-Informed Practices module 100 provides an overview on the neurobiology of trauma, the impact of toxic stress on a child and adult, the Adverse Childhood Experiences Study (ACES) and neuroplasticity. Participants will walk away understanding the difference between a challenging behavior and trauma trigger. The training will guide attendees to understand trauma as well as its impact on children's brains, behavior, learning, and development. The training introduces a range of trauma-informed strategies they can use to create strength-based environments that support children's health, healing, and resiliency. The strategies learned are best practices and good for ALL children (behavioral challenges, trauma, disabilities, special needs, sensory, mental health vulnerabilities etc.)	Module 100 Attend and observe mentor trainer conduct Module 100 (8 hours) TOTAL: 1 DAY	Module 100 Attend and train Modules 100 under the support of a mentor trainer (8 hours) TOTAL: 1 DAY
 Training of Trainer Meetings 3 hours each meeting To review and learn training content and concepts. To prepare for modules. 	1 half day before Module 1001 half day after Module 1001 half day after Module 1001 half day after Module 100	 1 half day before Module 100 1 half day after Module 100 1 half day before Module 100 1 half day after Module 100

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To practice training using adult learning styles and	-0-11 0-11/0	-0-11 0-11/0
trauma sensitive training strategies while demonstrating	TOTAL: 2 DAYS	TOTAL: 2 DAYS
an understanding of the content and concepts.		
Receive training "guides" to follow during the training		
to maximize learning of content.		
 Plan ahead for future modules and debrief the co- 		
training of the module training.		
 Practice training on the content. 		
Community of Practice Meetings	2 hours before Module 100	2 hours before Module 100
Attend Community of Practice	2 hours after Module 100	2 hours after Module 100
(CoP) Meetings	2 hours before Module 100	2 hours before Module 100
• 2 hours each meeting	2 hours after Module 100	2 hours after Module 100
Community of Learning is a critical component		
deepening the understanding of key Trauma Informed	TOTAL: 1 DAY	TOTAL: 1 DAY
Care Topics.		
 Read one chapter prior to each CoP from the book: 		
Nicholson, J., Perez, L., & Kurtz, J. Trauma-Informed		
Practices for Early Childhood Educators: Relationship-		
Based Approaches that Support Healing and Build		
Resilience in Young Children. Routledge.		
Or		
Levine, P, Kline, M. Trauma Through a Child's Eyes		
These meetings follow a reflective practice module.		
Outside Reading Requirement	4 Reading Reflection Forms	4 Reading Reflection Forms
Best practices would suggest that training on the	from Assigned Book	from Assigned Book
curriculum without a deeper understanding of trauma	Chapter 1-4 in Phase 1	Chapter 5-8 in Phase 2
would prevent a trainer from being able to appropriately		
field questions and help participants with understanding	ESTIMATED TOTAL: 1 DAY	ESTIMATED TOTAL: 1 DAY
a greater context than what is presented in the		
curriculum.		
Reading and reflection forms on assigned reading will be		
given.		

Book Recommended for Purchase found on Amazon:		
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Based Approaches that Support Healing and Build		
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Portfolio and/or other Technical Support	ESTIMATED TOTAL: 1 Day	Apprentice Portfolio Due
Each apprentice will have 1:1 phone time for TA support		
before and after the Phase 2 Module 100 training to be		ESTIMATED TOTAL: 1 Day
able to review their assigned slides.		
Each apprentice will submit a portfolio at the end of		
apprenticeship be reviewed by the mentor trainer from		
Center for Optimal Brain Integration. This portfolio will be		
reviewed to determine authorization. This includes a		
requirement of 8 reflection forms, attendance at all		
meetings/trainings: CoP and ToT meetings and module		
trainings.		

Authorization is NOT guaranteed
This apprenticeship includes heavy content that may be triggering emotional for some.

Total number of days:	Phase 1 = estimate of 6	Phase 2 = estimate of 6 days	Total Estimated Time Commitment: 12
12	days		days*
			*Estimated time may not include the time preparing for slides to train in Phase 2 and does not include writing reflection forms.
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