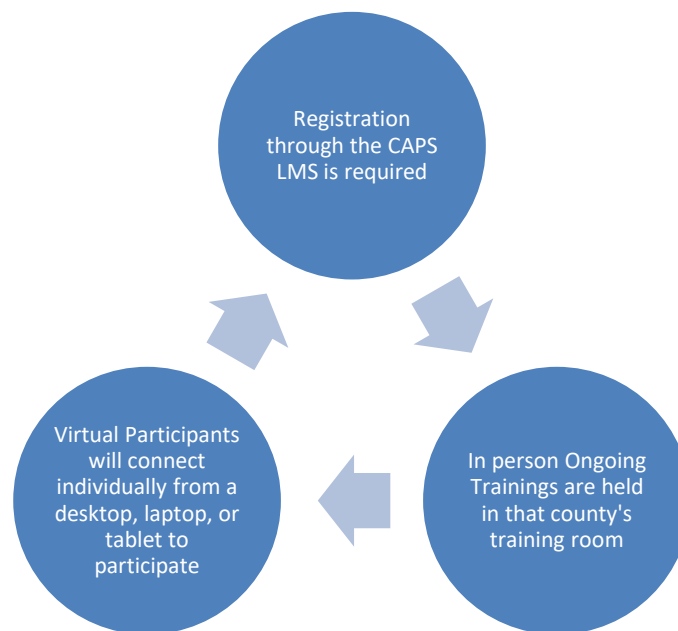


ONGOING
FOSTER PARENT TRAINING SCHEDULES
FALL 2023
(October, November, December)

Public Agency Caregivers:



CAPS LMS Link Below:

[CAPS LMS](#)

Instructions to register:

[Job Aid Register for a Course](#)

PLEASE NOTE: If the session details state “**No Seats Available**”, disregard and click the “**Add to Waitlist**” button. You will receive an email when you are granted registration into the session.

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PRIVATE AGENCY CAREGIVERS

- New participants will need to complete the **self-registration request** form within the system to create a CAPS LMS account and register. To register as a new user, please [Click Here](#).
- **Registration Form Hints:** Complete Identifying Information. For other needed information, click on the blue arrow to see additional information.
 - Division, Private +, type your agency name in Search box, Click on **Agency Name**.
 - Primary Position, Click Certified Caregiver
 - Primary Position County, type your county in Search box, Click **County Name (where your host agency is located, not where you reside)**.
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NEORTC VIRTUAL INSTRUCTOR LED TRAINING

These courses are offered through a virtual platform, enabling you to participate from your own home or office. Each participant needs to connect individually from a desktop computer, laptop, or tablet.

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-4925	Fostering Healing, Resiliency, and Hope for Traumatized Children (JOINT Staff/FP)	Monday, October 2 9am-4pm	Mary Vicario
CPS-NEORTC-6951	Building Trauma Competent Healing Foster and Adoptive Parent: Three Essential Skills (NEORTC Only)	Thursday, October 12 6pm-9pm	Ruby Johnston
CPS-NEORTC-6350	NCTSN: Trauma 101	Wednesday, October 25 6pm-9pm	Brian Lowery
CPS-NEORTC-6355	Building Trauma Competent Healing Foster and Adoptive Parents: Three Essential Skills	Wednesday, November 1 6pm-9pm	Ruby Johnston
CPS-NEORTC-6359	Substance Use and Abuse Among Children and Adolescents	Wednesday, November 8 6pm-9pm	Stacy Simera
CPS-NEORTC-6382	Fostering Healing, Resiliency, and Hope for Children who have Experienced Trauma	Saturday, November 11 9am-4pm	Mary Vicario
CPS-NEORTC-6362	ADHD among Children and Adolescents	Thursday, December 7 6pm-9pm	Stacy Simera
CPS-NEORTC-6363	The Education Rights of Children in Foster Care in Ohio	Tuesday, December 12 7pm-9pm	Sharon Dunlevy

ASHLAND COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES

15 W. Fourth St., Ashland, Ohio 44805

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6370	Maintaining Children's Connections with Siblings, Extended Family Members, and their Community	Saturday, October 7 9am-10pm	Nadine Musser
CPS-NEORTC-6371	Trauma Informed Parenting	Saturday, October 7 10:15am-12:15pm	Nadine Musser
CPS-NEORTC-6372	Impact of Substance Use	Saturday, October 7 1:00pm-2:30pm	Nadine Musser
CPS-NEORTC-6373	Parenting a Child with a History of Sexual Trauma	Saturday, October 7 2:45pm-4:15pm	Nadine Musser
CPS-NEORTC-6430	Behavior Management	Saturday, November 4 9am-4pm	David Zidar
CPS-NEORTC-6435	Independent Living for Caregivers	Monday, December 11 6pm-9pm	Bert Nero

ASHTABULA COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES BOARD

3914 C Court, Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6374	Separation, Grief, and Loss	Thursday, October 19 6:00pm-8:00pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6375	Maintaining Children's Connections with Siblings, Extended Family Members, and their Community	Thursday, October 19 8:15pm-9:15pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6437	The Effects of Fostering	Tuesday, November 14 th 6pm-9pm	Bert Nero

COLUMBIANA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
Government Service Center, 7989 Dickey Dr., Lisbon, Ohio 44432

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6389	Understanding and Building Attachment	Tuesday, October 24 6pm-9pm	Janice Williams

GEAUGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
12480 Ravenwood Dr., Chardon, Ohio 44024

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
	No training offered at this time		

HOLMES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
85 North Grant Street, Millersburg, Ohio 44654-0072

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6390	Substance Use and Abuse Among Children and Adolescents	Saturday, October 21 9am-12pm	Stacy Simera
CPS-NEORTC-6395	Psychotropic Medications- Questions to Ask about Kids on Meds	Saturday, October 21 1pm-4pm	Stacy Simera

LAKE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
177 Main St., Painesville, Ohio 44077-3402

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6445	Understanding and Surviving Grief and Loss while Fostering: The Emotional Roller Coaster	Tuesday, October 17 6pm-9pm	Deanna Prezioso
CPS-NEORTC-6465	Build a Brain: How Trauma Affects Brain Development	Thursday, November 2 6pm-9pm	Susan Darden Kautz
CPS-NEORTC-6508	ADHD Among Children and Adolescents	Thursday, December 14 6pm-9pm	Stacy Simera



LORAIN COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

226 Middle Avenue, Elyria, Ohio 44035-5644

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Please call 440-213-5474 if you have any trouble with directions.

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6423	Foster Care - A Means to Support Families	Wednesday, October 18 6pm-7:30pm	Nadine Musser
CPS-NEORTC-6424	Maintaining Children's Connections with Siblings, Extended Family Members, and their Community	Wednesday, October 18 7:45pm-8:45pm	Nadine Musser
CPS-NEORTC-6426	Cultural Humility	Thursday, November 30 6pm-7pm	Brian Lowery
CPS-NEORTC-6428	Creating a Stable, Nurturing, and Safe Home Environment	Thursday, November 30 7:15pm-9:15pm	Brian Lowery
CPS-NEORTC-6429	Effective Communication	Monday, December 4 6pm-9pm	Janice Williams



MAHONING COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES BOARD

222 West Federal St., Youngstown, Ohio 44503

(please go to the third floor for training)

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Do not park on Federal Street or try to enter training from the front doors on Federal Street as these doors are locked afterhours. The Parking garage will close 15 minutes after the start of training.

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6509	Welcome to my home: How to Foster a Child of a Different Race or Culture	Tuesday, October 3 6pm-9pm	Janice Williams
CPS-NEORTC-6512	AHA Heartsaver Pediatric First Aid and CPR Without Skills Testing <i>(Mahoning County FPs Only)</i>	Saturday, November 4 9am-1pm	Deanna Prezioso
CPS-NEORTC-6510	Managing Infertility Grief and Loss as a Foster and Adoptive Parent	Thursday, November 30 6pm-9pm	Susan Darden-Kautz
CPS-NEORTC-6514	AHA Heartsaver Pediatric First Aid and CPR Without Skills Testing <i>(Mahoning County FPs Only)</i>	Saturday, December 9 9am-1pm	Deanna Prezioso
CPS-NEORTC-6511	Preventing Placement Disruptions before Placement Begins	Saturday, December 9 2pm-5pm	Deanna Prezioso



MEDINA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
232 Northland Drive, Medina, Ohio 44256

Entrance and parking are in the Employee Parking Lot off Walter Road in the back of the JFS building. From 232 Northland Drive turn left onto Huntington Street, left on Longview Road, left onto Walter Road.

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6518	Engaging Primary Families	Tuesday, October 3 6pm-9pm	Angela Irby
CPS-NEORTC-6520	An Overview of Legal Issues for Foster Caregivers	Monday, October 30 6pm-9pm	Christina Rosebrough Zody
CPS-NEORTC-6521	Maintaining Children's Connections with Siblings, Extended Family Members, and their Community	Tuesday, December 12 6pm-7pm	Carmen Toro Wooten
CPS-NEORTC-6523	Creating a Stable, Nurturing, and Safe Home Environment	Tuesday, December 12 7:15pm-9:15pm	Carmen Toro Wooten



PORTAGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
253 S Chestnut Street, Ravenna, Ohio 44266

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6524	Navigating the Whitewater of Reunification: Primary Family, Agency, and Foster Parent Collaboration	Monday, October 23 6pm-9pm	Brian Lowery
CPS-NEORTC-6525	Relax! It's Only a Crisis	Saturday, November 11 9am-12pm	David Zidar
CPS-NEORTC-6526	Using Discipline to Teach Self-Regulation	Saturday, November 11 1pm-4:15pm	David Zidar
CPS-NEORTC-6543	Understanding Gender Identity	Saturday, December 16 9am-12pm	Susan Darden Kautz
CPS-NEORTC-6546	Managing Infertility Grief and Loss as a Foster and Adoptive Parent	Saturday, December 16 1pm-4pm	Susan Darden Kautz



STARK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES
Cornerstone Building, 402 2nd Street, Canton, Ohio 44702

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6547	Understanding the Legal Process and the Role of the Foster Caregiver in Child Welfare Cases	Monday, October 16 6pm-9pm	Linda Julian
CPS-NEORTC-6617	Engaging Primary Families	Thursday, October 26 6pm-9pm	Angela Irby
CPS-NEORTC-6618	The Basics of Caring for Children Who Have Been Sexually Abused	Saturday, November 4 8:45am -1pm	Brian Lowery
CPS-NEORTC-6619	Navigating the Whitewater of Reunification: Primary Family, Agency, and Foster Parent Collaboration	Saturday, November 4 2pm-5pm	Brian Lowery
CPS-NEORTC-6620	The Effects of Fostering	Tuesday, December 5 6pm-9pm	Ronna Johnson



SUMMIT COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES
Education Center, 264 S. Arlington St., Akron, Ohio 44306

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-3973	Sensory Integration and Emotional Regulation JOINT Staff/FP (Must attend both days for credit)	Thursday, October 12 & Friday, October 13 9am-4pm	Ruby Johnston
CPS-NEORTC-6622	Trauma Informed Parenting	Thursday, October 12 10am-12pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6623	Parenting a Child with a History of Sexual Trauma	Thursday, October 12 1pm-2:30pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6648	Ethical Considerations for Resource Caregivers	Friday, October 13 10am-12pm	Deanna Prezioso
CPS-NEORTC-6649	Sibling Relationships in Foster Care: Keeping them Connected	Friday, October 13 1pm-4pm	Deanna Prezioso
CPS-NEORTC-6650	Rule Violations, Third Party Investigations, and Corrective Action Plans: What Does it All Mean?	Friday, October 13 6pm-9pm	Deanna Prezioso
CPS-NEORTC-6626	Using Discipline to Teach Self-Regulation	Saturday, October 14 8:45am-12pm	David Zidar
CPS-NEORTC-6627	Relax! It's Only a Crisis	Saturday, October 14 1pm-4pm	David Zidar
CPS-NEORTC-6443	Anxiety Disorders among Children and Adolescents: Recognition and Interventions JOINT Staff/FP	Thursday, October 26 9am-12pm	Stacy Simera
CPS-NEORTC-6448	Psychotropic Medications: Questions to Ask about Kids on Meds JOINT Staff/FP	Thursday, October 26 1pm-4pm	Stacy Simera

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SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-4382	Trust-Based Relational Intervention Module 1; Introduction JOINT Staff/FP	Friday, November 3 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-4318	Trust-Based Relational Intervention Module 1: Introduction	Saturday, November 4 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-6651	AHA Heartsaver Pediatric First Aid and CPR without Skills Testing	Sunday, November 12 9am-1pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-4383	Trust-Based Relational Intervention: Connecting Principles JOINT Staff/FP	Friday, November 17 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-4319	Trust-Based Relational Intervention: Connecting Principles	Saturday, November 18 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-4384	Trust-Based Relational Intervention: Empowering Principles JOINT Staff/FP	Friday, December 1 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-4320	Trust-Based Relational Intervention: Empowering Principles	Saturday, December 2 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-4385	Trust-Based Relational Intervention: Correcting Principles JOINT Staff/FP	Friday, December 15 9am-4pm	Kristen King
CPS-NEORTC-4321	Trust-Based Relational Intervention: Correcting Principles	Saturday, December 16 9am-4pm	Kristen King

TRUMBULL COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES BOARD
2282 Reeves Road, N.E., Warren, Ohio 44481

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6464	The Basics of Caring for Children who have been Sexually Abused	Saturday, October 21 9am-1:15pm	Janice Williams
CPS-NEORTC-6656	Working with Birth Parents: Making it Positive for Everyone	Wednesday, November 1 6pm-9pm	Sherry Doherty
CPS-NEORTC- 6668	Parenting in Racially and Culturally Diverse Families	Saturday, December 16 9am-10:30am	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6669	Maintaining Children's Connections with Siblings, Extended Family Members, and their Community	Saturday, December 16 10:45am-11:45am	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6670	Mental Health Considerations	Saturday, December 16 12:45pm-1:45pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6674	Trauma Informed Parenting	Saturday, December 16 2pm-4pm	Ronna Johnson



WAYNE COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES BOARD
2534 Burbank Road, Wooster, Ohio 44691-1600

SESSION ID	TITLE	DATE/TIME	INSTRUCTOR
CPS-NEORTC-6675	An Overview of Legal Issues for Foster Parents	Thursday, October 26 6pm-9pm	Christina Rosebrough-Zody
CPS-NEORTC-6676	Impact of Substance Use (NTDC)	Tuesday, November 7 5:30pm-7:00pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6677	Parenting a Child with a History of Sexual Trauma (NTDC)	Tuesday, November 7 7:15pm-8:45pm	Ronna Johnson
CPS-NEORTC-6687	Behavior Management	Saturday, December 9 9am-12pm	David Zidar
CPS-NEORTC-6688	NCTSN: Feelings, Behaviors, Connections and Healing	Saturday, December 9 1pm-4pm	David Zidar



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