



Standards of Quality for Family Strengthening & Support Certification Training

How can we work with families most effectively?

What does it mean to be a quality Family Strengthening and Support Program?

How can managers, direct service staff, and families work together to develop and sustain quality programs?

This full-day certification training on the Standards of Quality for Family Strengthening & Support details how the 9 Principles of Family Support and the Strengthening Families Approach, with its evidence-informed 5 Protective Factors, can be applied together to enhance your work with families. Whether you are setting up a new program or strengthening an existing one, the Standards provide a blueprint for implementing best practice.

These Standards, adopted for use nationwide by the National Network of Family Support and Strengthening Networks, create a common language and expectations for quality work with families across many different kinds of programs such as family resource centers, home visiting programs, and early care and education programs.

Participants are highly encouraged to come as teams with Executive Directors, Managers, Coordinators, and Direct Service Staff, as each has a key role to play in implementing the Standards effectively. Those who complete the full session will receive certificates from the National Network of Family Support and Strengthening Networks that are valid for two years.

Continental breakfast, coffee, lunch, and materials are included. Check-in and continental breakfast with coffee will begin at 8:30 AM. **The training will begin promptly at 9:00 AM, and doors will close at that time. Please plan accordingly, as latecomers will not receive certificates.**

Date: **August 23, 2016** Time: **8:30 AM – 5:00 PM** RSVP deadline: **August 11, 2016**

Place: **San Luis Coastal Adult School, 1500 Lizzie St.
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 in Room H1**

Cost: **\$50/attendee**

For more information or to register, contact
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For more information about the Standards of Quality for Family Strengthening & Support, please see
<http://www.cnfsn.org/standards-of-quality.html>

