



MANDATED REPORTER TRAINING

2.5 CE CREDITS

PRESENTED BY: KIJAFI IDALLIAH

This FREE training is available for all Santa Clara County Mandated Reporters

Child Mandated Reporter training provides participants with the necessary training to identify and report child maltreatment as required by the Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act and Federal mandates. The training is intended for individuals that are school personnel, childcare providers, medical professionals, mental and social health professionals, law enforcement, clergy and volunteers working with youth. Many child welfare professionals, regardless of their work environments, will most often encounter a case or situation concerning of child abuse or neglect. California's specific regulations, policies and protocols for those who are mandated to report suspected child abuse and neglect will be addressed in the training. A wide range of issues pertaining to child abuse/neglect intervention, including identification, reporting, and the impact of implicit bias on reporting, will be explored. Therefore, it is critical that staff be informed about the principles and strategies helpful in these areas in order to ethically and accurately meet their legal duty. Information includes examples of abuse when a report would be warranted, how to complete a verbal and written report and strategies for supporting students and for their self-care when disclosures of abuse are made. This course will cover an overview of legislation, all categories of child abuse, and protocol for responding to suspected abuse.

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For more information or to host an agency training please contact brenda_gaona@senecacenter.org or

805-220-0432.

Zoom Trainings

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Weds. May 8
1pm-4pm

Tues. May 14
1pm-4pm

Thurs. May 23
9:30am-12:30pm

Tues. June 4th
9:30am-12:30pm

Weds. June 12
1pm-4pm

Thurs. June 20
9am-12pm

Thurs. June 27th
9:30am-12:30pm



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Training Learning Objectives Participants will;

1. Acquire an increased understanding of the roles and responsibilities of mandated reporters and the Child Welfare department based on five key topics.
2. Apply and identify legal and ethical considerations with concerning mandated reporting duties for suspected child abuse and neglect.
3. Recognize at least four signs of physical and behavioral abuse and neglect and apply the knowledge of reporting requirements including guidelines on how to make a suspected child abuse report when suspected abuse or neglect takes place outside a child day care facility, or within a child day care facility, and to which enforcement agency or agencies a report is required to be made.
4. Distinguish how implicit bias, cultural factors, and socio-economic factors can impact child abuse reporting.
5. Recognize and assess the four types of child abuse: physical abuse, sexual abuse, emotional abuse and neglect.

Educational Goals Participants will;

1. Be better equipped recognize signs of child abuse and neglect, including behavioral signs a child may show as a result of abuse and neglect.
2. Understand and act on the mandate that failure to report an incident of known or reasonably suspected child abuse or neglect is a misdemeanor punishable by up to six months in jail and/or by a \$1,000 fine.
3. Recognize risk factors that may lead to abuse and childhood stages of development in order to help determine whether a child's behavior or physical symptoms are developmentally within range for his or her age and ability or are signs of abuse or neglect.
4. Be able to utilize protective factors that may help prevent abuse, including dangers of shaking a child, safe sleep practices, psychological effects of repeated exposure to domestic violence, safe and age-appropriate forms of discipline, how to promote a child's social and emotional health, and how to support positive parent-child relationships.
5. Know when to call for emergency medical attention to prevent further injury or death and utilize strategies on how a childcare provider might communicate with a family before and after making a suspected child abuse report.

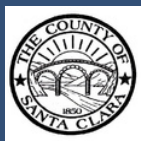
Presented by Kijafa Idalliah, MPA

Kijafa has an educational background in History (BA) and Public Administration (MPA). Her Seneca journey began as a youth and family specialist eight years ago, before moving into wraparound and permanency in community-based programs. In collaboration with a colleague she helped to launch the Seneca Youth Advisory Board and was promoted into a management position, Community Innovation. In addition, she sought to bridge the needs of direct care staff to the mission, values, and academic curriculum as she became a master trainer for the agency. She is a skilled trainer, providing facilitation grounded in diversity, equity, and inclusion for clients and staff in program throughout the agency. She also provides continued support for crisis response in community-based settings. She is new emerging agency leader with a non-traditional approach and trajectory, who's style can best be described as energetic and electric.

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Continuing Education Credits

Course meets the qualifications for 2.5 continuing education credits for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences. Seneca Family of Agencies is approved by the California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists to sponsor continuing education for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs. Seneca Family of Agencies maintains responsibility for this program/course and its content.

Provided by Seneca Family of Agencies, Provider #135057. Board of Registered Nursing (BRN), Provider Number CEP 15222 for 2.5 Contact Hours.

There will be three 10 minute breaks that do not count toward continuing education credit. We will be unable to provide attendees with certificates of completion if more than 15 minutes of each course content is missed.

CERTIFICATES

Completion Certificates can be obtained by filling out the certificate request form: <https://forms.office.com/r/1kxR6SRjDC>

REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY

All registered participants must cancel 48 hours in advance, if no longer able to attend. Cancellation can be done electronically through registration confirmation email or by calling.

If you have any questions or would like to report a grievance, please contact:
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