

URBAN PARENT EDUCATOR TRAINING TRAIN-THE-TRAINER

A Parent Educator helps parents obtain the education and skills needed to raise physically, psychologically, and emotionally healthy children while preventing child abuse and neglect.

A parent educator can be an employee of a human services or social services agency, a faith-based organization, day care, school, private organization, correctional facility, or be a self-employed professional.

Whether you're looking to enhance new career options, add to your current job skills or learn essential skills to support and empower families in your community, this accelerated 2-day, 16-hour Parent Education workshop is for you.

This workshop will enhance content, process, and core competencies in delivering the family and life skills provided through parenting education. It is a tool for developing parenting education curricula and lesson plans while using any type of parenting education program, population, setting, and/or delivery mode. The skills learned in this workshop may be utilized in home-based parenting, parent/child visitation, case management, group parenting, classes, workshops, and individual parent/family counseling.

Course Title	Urban Parenting for Parent Educator Course
Course Aim	To enhance the skills, knowledge, and core competencies of professionals and paraprofessionals who work with parents to raise physically, psychologically, and emotionally healthy children and to prevent child abuse.
Course Learning Objectives	Participants will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apply parenting education and guidance concepts • Differentiate between content-related vs process-related skills • Apply best practices, core competencies, and professional ethics • Discern the impact of family growth and dynamics in parenting • Help parents set and achieve parenting/family goals • Evaluate and assess program effectiveness

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Build healthy relationships with parents from diverse backgrounds
Course Pre-Requisites	There are no pre-requisites – all participants should have an interest in providing parenting education training.
Indicative Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aware of the role and responsibilities of educators • Understand adult learning • Understand parent/child relationships and cultural dynamics within families • Frame and define the body of knowledge in parent education • Plan delivery of curricula and lesson plans • Apply knowledge across populations and settings • Apply content and objectives of parenting education • Provide guidance for family goal setting • Assess parent education outcomes and programs • Promote professional accountability
Teaching and Learning Strategies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lectures • Workshops • Discussions • Video • Practicum • Assignments • Pre- and Post-Training Assessments
Assessment Strategy	Participants are continuously assessed over the two-day program. Participants who do not perform to the expected standard within the two-day program will be assessed in the workplace.
Nominal Study Hours	Workshop – 16 hours Self-Study Reference Guide - 20 hours or Practicum
Minimum Number of Participants	8
Maximum Number of Participants	16
Minimum Number of Instructors to Participants	2 instructors required, or based on group size
Course Instructors	Instructors must have completed either Indiana Parenting Institute’s Parent Educator Training or Parent Educator Facilitator training programs, or have previous experience and appropriate education training experience, and be a certified

	<p>and experienced parent educator in an evidenced-based parent education program.</p> <p>This does not apply to guest speakers, who must be experienced in the subject matter of their presentation.</p>
Who is likely to benefit from the Course	Anyone providing parenting education classes, case management, or parent/family counseling/coaching
Equipment / Resources Required for Course	Projector, computer w/USB capabilities, white board, flip chart, pens, paper, participant workbook
Program Developed by	Laura Smith-Wynn, Founder, President & CEO, Indiana Parenting Institute
Continuing Education Units	CEUs available to LSW/LCSW/LMFT/LMHC/LAC/LCAC
Certificate of Training Certification	A Certification of Training Affidavit is issued to each participant who completes the training.
Program Costs	\$380 for the 2-day training (\$325 for PENI Members). Materials and refreshments provided.
Terms	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No walk-ins 2. Pre-registration required as published 3. Program costs due prior to workshop as published 4. Full refunds issued if requested prior to day of workshop 5. No refunds available after workshop begins 6. Online registration click here 7. Checks payable to Indiana Parenting Institute must be received by close of enrollment as published.

Indiana Parenting Institute has 10 years' experience in delivering parenting education training and in service delivery to at-risk, underserved, and fragile families of diverse socio-ethnic demographics, as well as to family and youth services professionals from a broad range of organizations and occupations, including the juvenile justice system and the court system.