

Family Development & Credentialing

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: March 22

CLASS SPACE IS LIMITED!

What is the Family Development Training and Credentialing Program?

The FDC Program is a professional development course and credentialing program for front-line workers to learn and practice skills of strength based support.

To earn the FDC, a worker:

- Completes 90 hours of interactive classroom instruction and portfolio advisement based on the Empowerment Skills for Family Workers curriculum
- Prepares a Skills Portfolio with the support of a portfolio advisor, and
- Passes a credentialing exam

Up to six hours of undergraduate credit is available for an additional fee. Applications will be provided in class.

What are the outcomes for FDC participants?

Research on the outcomes of FDC training revealed that workers:

- Used skills in their professional and personal lives
- Enhanced skills in helping participants
- Develop their own goals of self-reliance
- Increased the ability of participants to meet their goals

Agency supervisors reported FDC training:

- Increased effectiveness in helping workers relate to participants
- Improved communication

Tuition & Registration

\$850 TUITION

\$500 is due at registration

\$350 balance is due the 1st day of class

(\$200 is refundable if a cancellation notice is received 2 weeks prior to the start of the class)

INCLUDES:

90 Hours of Instruction
Course Manual & Handouts
Portfolio Review
National Exam Credential
Lunch



2023 Spring FDC Course

CLASS TIME: 8:00 - 4:30 — In Person

LOCATION: ARVAC Corporate Office Training Room

DATES:

April 19	May 31
April 20	June 7
April 26	June 14
May 3	June 21
May 10	June 28
May 17	July 5
May 24	July 12

All students must have:

- Internet Access
 - An email address
 - The ability to print.
- Binder, sheet protectors, highlighters, etc. are suggested for portfolio completion.

Why is ARVAC, Inc. offering the FDC?

As part of ARVAC's efforts to improve participants' quality of care and self-sufficiency, the FDC is just one component of our mission to provide comprehensive skills training to human service professionals.

Being a part of a cadre of human service workers trained in the same strength-based principles, means that workers and organizations are able to develop strength-based services and standards, thus increasing the efficiency and effectiveness of care. CRDC has selected the FDC as a model to develop strengthbased, interagency care.

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