

PERSON-CENTERED THINKING FACILITATOR TRAINING

**Online Course
July 5 – September 20, 2022**

This free course is available to those supporting persons with I/DD living in R.I.

Register by June 24, 2022

Course Description:

Rhode Island is in the process of expanding and refining Person-Centered practices throughout the state. One of the most important components of Person-Centered Thinking is the facilitator who advises and assists the person to actively participate in developing a plan for all domains of their life.

This course focuses on the knowledge and skills a facilitator needs to help individuals to:

- Prepare for the plan
- Develop the plan
- Implement the Plan

To get the most from this course, it is recommended that learners identify an individual with whom they might engage in person-centered planning. The course will provide the opportunity to practice the skills and knowledge learned and to reflect on learner experiences.

TIME COMMITMENT:

Training takes place over 3 months and will require approximately a 40-hour commitment to successfully complete the course. Learners must complete 11 online modules, quizzes, 3 assignments, and participate in 4 instructor-led group sessions via Zoom (1.5 hours each).

Course Details:

The Sherlock Center is now offering **Person-Centered Thinking Facilitator Training** as an online course. The next course runs from **July 5–September 20, 2022**. Learners will use Moodle, an online platform, to independently access course materials and assignments. Learners will also participate in four (4) scheduled virtual group sessions with the instructor.

The required group sessions will take place from 10:00 –11:30 AM on the following dates:

- **July 12, July 26, August 23 , September 20**

Learners are required to complete an Orientation to Moodle and initial readings prior to the first group session on **July 12**. Details will be provided following registration.

Technology Requirements:

To access Moodle and participate in the group sessions, learners will need a computer, laptop or tablet with internet access and a camera. We recommend using the latest version of **Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer, Microsoft Edge, or Safari** for the best Moodle experience.

Every effort has been made to create this course and course documents in an accessible format. All course materials will be provided electronically using Moodle and/or email. It is recommended that learners install a free version of Adobe Reader on the device that will be used for the course.

Registration: <http://bit.ly/2xeV6pT>

Register online by **June 24** using the link above. Priority registration will be given to support coordinators, managers and other front-line supervisors, as well as families and people with lived experience. You will receive a confirmation by email once your registration is processed. Registration and course information is also available on the Sherlock Center website at www.sherlockcenter.org.

If you need a reasonable accommodation (e.g., ASL/CART) to participate in this course, please indicate your request on the registration form as soon as possible.

For registration questions, contact Elaine Sollecito at esollecito@ric.edu or Leave a message at 401-456-2764.

