



ONLINE TRAINING

OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

These groups are designed for foster, kinship, and pre-adoptive parents who want to build on their knowledge and expand their skills related to parenting kids in DCF care. The format is one or two trainers who have a set presentation to offer. Depending on the group size, the training may be more interactive in nature. There is usually time allotted for questions and answers.

SCHEDULED VIRTUAL TRAININGS

Caring for the Caregiver: tips on regulating emotions for yourself & your foster child.

Date: Thursday 5/28 @ 7 p.m.

The Connecting Caregiver: tips for handling challenging behaviors in challenging times.

Date: Thursday 6/4 @ 7 p.m.

Trainers: Diane Lanni & Zina Fernandez

Diane Lanni and Zina Fernandez are Trauma Coaches with the FaCES Clinic at UMASS Memorial Children's Hospital. In addition to their varied professional experiences, Diane and Zina are also foster parents and are passionate about helping foster parents gain the knowledge and tools they need to be successful in their work with children.

Register by emailing kidsnet@mspcc.org