The Registry — Training Solutions — July 2021

Welcome to the latest edition of *Training Solutions*.

The Registry is excited to share news of new Spanish resources for not only our members but also trainers, policy reminders, fun facts, and details on the 8th Annual PDAS Summit which will be here before we know it.

"In learning you will teach, and in teaching you will learn."

— *Phil Collins*

The upcoming PDAS Summit is a great opportunity to dig deeper into the challenges and issues surrounding access to professional development opportunities in our state. Our hope is to have voices from across the state join us for a robust discussion to not only gather information but also begin to think about solutions. If this event is not on your calendar already, please consider adding it now.

As always, we invite you to contact us with any questions you have regarding the updates and reminders.

Wishing you a safe and enjoyable summer,
Christine Moldenhauer, Director of Operations
Jenna Finley, Professional Development Coordinator

¡Los recursos de registro ya están disponibles en español!

The Registry is very excited to highlight our Spanish resources! Our general Spanish support guides and resources are listed on our Resources Page for Members, and our translated trainer-related content on our PDAS Resource Page. We would like to thank two members of our staff, Ginamarie Nieves and Gladys Jiménez García for working diligently to translate these documents. Below is more information about these resources.

El Registro está muy emocionado de anunciar que tenemos algunos recursos adicionales que se han traducido en español.

- Certificados de asistencia para entrenamientos registrados
- De nivel Formularios de información para asistentes al evento

Este enlace https://www.the-registry.org/ResourceCenter/Membership.html te llevara' a los recursos de The Registry que son En Español! Aquí está el listado a continuación con los enlaces correspondientes:

- Guia para Solicitud de Membresia
- Niveles de carrera
- Competencias básicas de WI
- El certificado de registro - Lo que representa
- Iniciar session en su cuenta de The Registry
- Olvide de Contrasena

La Secretaría espera sinceramente que podamos seguir traduciendo los documentos de apoyo de manera coherente. Creemos en la equidad y el acceso y haremos nuestra parte para satisfacer esta necesidad de nuestra fuerza laboral.

El Registro desea gritar y dar nuestro cálido y sentido agradecimiento a **Ginamarie Nieves** y **Gladys Jiménez García** por su arduo trabajo y dedicación

en la traducción de estos documentos para ayudar a apoyar a la fuerza laboral de Cuidado y Educación Temprana a navegar por el sistema del Registro.

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS STILL AVAILABLE

There are many benefits of Online Registration, including but not limited to:

- One-stop-shop use of the Statewide Training Calendar as both a marketing and registration tool.
- Pre-generated Rosters with built in messaging features for communicating to Attendees prior to training events.
- *Save staff time* in entering attendance records into the Registry system post training event.
- Advanced integration with the Registry App for on-site immediate attendance record collection.
- Attendees benefit from faster turnaround for getting training hours verified on their Registry Profiles.

To cover the cost of support and maintenance for this feature The Registry charges an annual fee for the use of Online Registration. The annual fee is $125 for Regulated Child Care Programs or $250 for all other Training Sponsor Organizations. It is our intention to use this annual fee to cover the support and maintenance fees The Registry is charged for having this feature available to Organizations as well as support future improvements based on the feedback from trainers and organizations who utilize Online Registration.

If you are interested in using Online Registration, please contact the Professional Development Department for more information.

Screen shot from iChildCare Portal vs. Final Eligibility Letter

Some trainers have been submitting a screenshot of their iChildCare Portal rather than the DCF Final Eligibility Letter. Although a screenshot shows you have completed a background check, The Registry must have a copy of the actual letter.

Instructions on how to access this document are found on page 88 of the Child Care Provider Portal User Guide

SAVE THE DATE: PDAS SUMMIT

The **8th Annual PDAS Summit** is rapidly approaching. This will be the first virtual PDAS Summit. We are very excited to bring this timely event and conversation to Early Care and Education Professionals in your various positions. This year's theme is, **Bridging the Gaps: Adapting to Be Inclusive**. Event registration information will be coming soon! Stay tuned!

This is a two-day virtual event:

Thursday, September 23, 2021 | 9 am - 12:30 pm
Panelist discussion on access to professional development learning opportunities and building trainer capacity.

Thursday, September 30, 2021 | 9 am - 12:30 pm
World Café discussions on topics that are impacting access to professional development learning opportunities and trainer capacity with a reflection and call to action by J3 Solutions.

The Registry and WECA are working in collaboration this year to help Early Care and Education Professionals in our state reflect on inclusion, diversity, equity, and action. It is our hope to start the conversations with the PDAS Summit and continue the work during the WECA conference.

We hope you will join us for both events!

2021 WECA Virtual Conference
September 30 - October 2
Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Action!

Looking for previous Training Solutions Newsletters?

Our past Training Solutions Newsletters are archived on our PDAS Resources Page under the **PDAS News** heading.