



## **Nevada TACSEI Train-the-Trainer Agreement Form**

Nevada was selected to partner with the Technical Assistance Center on Social Emotional Intervention (TACSEI) to build state capacity to develop, implement and sustain a statewide professional development system to enhance the ability of early childhood professionals to use evidence-based practices for supporting children's emotional and social competence.

Nevada TACSEI has provided training to over 2000 participants around the state since March 2011. In order to continue with the process of building a statewide professional development system, we are now recruiting for Nevada Pyramid Model Trainers and Coaches.

**Application process:** The NV TACSEI Team is soliciting applications from individuals working in a variety of organizations; including parent organizations, mental health/behavioral health, early intervention, early care and education, and higher education. Trainers will be selected based on their application, resume, and ability to demonstrate commitment to conducting Pyramid Model training. Selections will be announced by September 3, 2012.

The attached application includes the NV TACSEI vision and mission statement, information about NVTACSEI Trainer qualifications and required commitment to the NV TACSEI initiative, and the application form.

### **Nevada TACSEI Pyramid Model Partnership Vision and Mission Statement**

Our vision is for all young children in Nevada to build and sustain positive relationships where families will be supported in fostering their child's social and emotional growth and children will be ready to learn, navigate their social environment and self-regulate their emotions and behaviors.

Our mission for the Nevada TACSEI Partnership is to develop a sustainable statewide system and policies that promotes social emotional competence in children and families by implementing the Pyramid Model through:

- Effective workforce
- Professional development, training, coaching
- Ensuring ongoing funding
- Education for professionals and families

## **Trainer Qualifications**

### Minimum Qualifications:

- Experience in early childhood education and/or early childhood special education.
- Experience working with children and/or families.
- Knowledge of children's mental health, social emotional development, or developmental delays.
- Experience conducting trainings.

### Preferred Qualifications:

- Education – Bachelor's or Master's degree in Early Childhood Mental Health, Early Childhood Education, Early Childhood Special Education, or a related field.

### **Trainer Agreement**

Nevada & TACSEI Pyramid Model Partnership will provide you with a Pyramid Model Training Kit and Train-the-Trainer Workshops at no charge. In exchange, we are asking that you:

- Attend all three Pyramid Model training sessions which will be held in Reno NV on 9/27/12, 10/19/12, 11/29/12 from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM. \_\_\_\_\_
- Allow a Nevada TACSEI Master Cadre member to assist with your first training. \_\_\_\_\_
- Present at least three - five Pyramid Model training sessions the first year. \_\_\_\_\_
- Present the Pyramid Model content with fidelity. \_\_\_\_\_
- Fill-out the Nevada TACSEI Training Activity Reporting form following each of the Pyramid Model training sessions that you conduct. \_\_\_\_\_
- Summarize the results of the training evaluation form at the end of your sessions and share this on the Nevada TACSEI Training Activity Reporting form. \_\_\_\_\_

We are sure that you would be an asset to our Nevada TACSEI team and hope that you will consider applying.

Indicate your commitment to the guidelines listed above by initialing each commitment and signing on the line below.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **Contact Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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