

STANDARDS OF QUALITY FOR FAMILY STRENGTHENING & SUPPORT

Network Implementation Continuum



Steps	Prepare	Promote	Attend Certification Training	Host Certification Training	Develop Network Trained Trainers	Develop Network Implementation Plan	Implement Topical Trainings Related to Standards
Sample Activities	<p>Download Standards from NFSN website: nationalfamilysupportnetwork.org</p> <p>Review and discuss Standards with stakeholders</p> <p>Talk with other networks/programs that have implemented Standards</p>	<p>Share promotional materials</p> <p>Put provided language and link to Standards on your website</p> <p>Integrate Standards in discussions with stakeholders</p> <p>Make presentations to stakeholders</p> <p>Hold network meetings focusing on particular sections of the Standards</p>	<p>Look at NFSN website to identify upcoming trainings</p> <p>Complete training and become certified for two years</p> <p>Be oriented to using Standards Implementation tools</p> <p>Develop an action plan for Program-level implementation</p>	<p>Contact NFSN to request and schedule training</p> <p>Seek local funding to cover costs, if necessary</p> <p>Identify ways to reduce costs by leveraging resources (e.g. partner prints workbooks, food donated, etc.)</p> <p>Choose what to charge participants ranging from \$0-\$100/person</p>	<p>Seek local funding to cover costs, if necessary</p> <p>Identify applicants to join the Trainer of Trainers Program</p> <p>Attend 4-day Training for Trainers Institute</p> <p>Begin offering certification trainings</p>	<p>Develop local network Standards implementation plan</p> <p>Integrate Standards into network membership expectations</p> <p>Include Standards language in grant proposal</p> <p>Conduct presentations to funders</p> <p>Include Standards in giving guidelines, request for proposals, grant monitoring</p>	<p>Dive deeper into the 5 sections of the Standards with additional training on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family Centeredness • Family Strengthening • Embracing Diversity • Community Building • Evaluation
Resources	<p>NFSN provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standards (website) • Standards implementation tools (website) 	<p>NFSN provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standards Overview document (website) • Standards Overview PowerPoint • Language for Standards link for Network website • Network Implementation Continuum (website) 	<p>NFSN provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current list of trainings (website) • Certificates 	<p>NFSN provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sample grant proposal for requesting local funding • Coordination of Certified Trainers to conduct training • Standardized training flyer • Online registration system 	<p>NFSN provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sample grant proposal for requesting local funding • Trainer of Trainers Overview document (website) • Training of Trainers Institutes • Coaching and ongoing support • Training Kit 	<p>NFSN provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peer to peer consultation for developing network implementation plans 	<p>Trainings provided by local networks and other training providers.</p>
Cost	No Cost	No Cost	\$0-\$100/person	\$4,000-\$6,500	\$1,500 - \$2,000/person, Training Kit \$750	No Cost-\$75/hour	Varies