

Welcome!

We are looking forward to your participation in your first Core classroom training entitled *Family-Centered Approach to Child Protective Services*. Prior to attending that class you need to complete a pre-training assignment that will take about one hour of your time. The workbook, *Casework Values & Principles Put Into Practice* is broken down into the five following sections:

- Child Welfare History
- Introduction to Values
- Child Welfare Values
- Guiding Principles
- Course Review

Upon completion of this workbook you will have a sound understanding of child welfare history, values, and principles. The information you learn from the workbook will be further developed in the first class of your Core training. In order to participate in that class, you need to complete the assignment at the end of the workbook and bring it with you to your first class.

Please bring your assignment with you to class.

You can begin immediately by downloading the workbook attached. If you have any questions, please contact your RTC.

**Note:** RTCs mail this pre-training e-mail to trainees 10 days prior to the scheduled training.