Integrating Career Pathways into Career Advising

The purpose of this course is to prepare you — navigators, instructors and counselors — to implement career pathway planning within the context of your situation. The hands-on activities will increase your level of comfort and familiarity with career pathways and the related topics.

By the end of the course, you will be able to:

- compare a variety of resources to assist participants in completing a Career and Education Planning Worksheet;
- tailor the plan to the participant level, intensity of studies, length of time, and aligned, where applicable, to your state or program content standards;
- apply a framework for setting a personal goal and discuss how you would introduce this framework to participants to help them set concrete goals;
- navigate, compare, and assess local and online resources to complement the plan, such as career exploration websites, college websites, One-Stop Centers, and potential community partners; and
- list the education steps needed towards a credential in a specific career pathway and identify a postsecondary institution in your area that provides such training.

Course Topics: Career Awareness and Planning
Cultural Context
The Self-Exploration Process
Occupational Exploration
Career Planning Skills
Tying It All Together

Course Format: facilitated, online. Throughout this six-week course, you will follow a weekly schedule of activities and readings, as well as asynchronous electronic discussions with course participants and the facilitator.

Course Dates: November 10 – December 22, 2015

Estimated Completion Time: approximately 3-4 hours per week: 24 hours total

Completion Requirements: Successful completion requires participants to complete required assignments and postings and complete a final lesson planning project. Participants may download a Certificate of Completion upon successful completion of course requirements.

Course fee: \$289 FREE – Limited to 25

Registration:

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