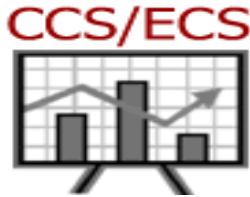




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Connecticut Competency System (CCS) Training Winter-Spring 2008

January 9, 2008, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., SDE Middletown (Snow: 1/16/08)

January 17, 2008, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., CREC Hartford (Snow: 1/24/08)

June 9, 2008, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., CREC

The Connecticut Competency System is a uniform, competency-based assessment and instructional system implemented by adult education programs and other state agencies that share a common client base. It provides a comprehensive research-based framework for a common core of competencies that youth and adults need to lead productive lives. CCS is based on the system developed by the Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment System (CASAS). CCS Training is basic training for those new to adult education. Participants will learn to:

- ✓ Set up intake processes;
- ✓ Identify and select appropriate standardized assessments in the areas of reading, math and listening;
- ✓ Administer assessments using standardized procedures;
- ✓ Interpret test results, and provide feedback;
- ✓ Utilize assessment results and descriptors to develop and deliver contextualized basic skills instruction; and
- ✓ Measure learning gains.

Attendance at this session qualifies programs of participants for ordering and using selected CASAS assessment materials.

0.6 CEUs are offered for Connecticut instructors with the Professional Educator Certificate. Individuals who may need an accommodation to participate in these workshops are requested to contact ATDN (860-524-4048) prior to the scheduled date.



Online registration instructions and links to travel directions will be available in the ATDN Winter-Spring brochure. If you have registration questions, please contact Carol Boin: (860) 524-4048, or cboin@crec.org. Please direct other questions to Don Chao: (860) 524-5044, or dchao@crec.org.

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