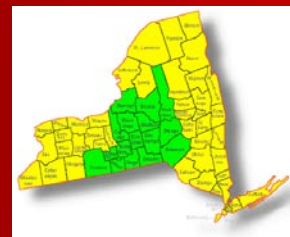


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EVENTS

September 2009

NRS FOUNDATIONS TRAINING

This introductory session will focus on informing new adult education teachers and new data staff members involved with NRS data collection and reporting about the National Reporting System, (NRS). It will include information about the history and importance of the NRS and its impact on funding, the NRS data flow and teacher responsibilities, the most recent federal and state policies, the development of Education and Employment Plans, the goal setting process and outcome measures. This workshop will demonstrate the important link between classroom teaching and NRS data reporting.

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NRS Foundations Training

September 15, 2009
9:00 am–4:00 pm

Presenter: Rosemary Matt, NRS Liaison for NYS

Central New York Regional Information Center
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TABE ADMINISTRATION TRAINING

The Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) is the required assessment tool for Adult Basic Education programs funded by the New York State Education Department. This assessment is used to place students in adult basic education (ABE) classes and to measure educational gain. Highlights include a test and scoring overview, effective test administration, using TABE scores for placement, and a discussion of the relationship among TABE test scores, class placement, outcome reporting and the standard error of measure. This is the NYSED approved training referenced in the EPE and NRS Manuals.

NRS Advanced Training

*September 28, 2009
9:30 am–12:30 pm*

Presenter: Rosemary Matt, NRS Liaison for NYS

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Participants will receive a copy of the NYSED Adult Literacy Compliance Self-Review Form and will explore in depth the ASISTS features for comparative analysis of program data vs. NYSED targets. Therefore, we strongly recommended that at least one staff person from any WIA Title II funded program attend this session.

TABE Administration Training

*September 24, 2009
10:00 am–1:00 pm*

Trainer:

James Matt, Director Central Southern Tier RAEN

Oneonta Adult Learning Center
189 Main Street
Oneonta, NY 13820

NRS ADVANCED TRAINING

Using the National Reporting System (NRS) Data for Program Improvement is the focus of this training. Come see how your data becomes a catalyst for program improvement. This workshop concentrates on using NRS data for program management, change, and improvement.

Core features include:

- using data for accountability, program promotion and program management
- the US Department of Education's data use model for program improvement
- NYSED policy and how it shapes program practice
- in-depth analysis of statewide targets vs. program data

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Job Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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(Please check all that apply)

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