



Direct Care Foundations Training

Virtual seats are reserved on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Register by March 22

Who Should Attend:

Prospective Direct Care Workers (DCWs) or DCWs new to the field.

Class Description:

MDHHS adopted 15 standardized DCW Competency guidelines in 2022, paving the way for recognizing competent DCWs as professionals. The free classes are for Level 1 DCWs, leading to a Direct Care Fundamentals certificate.

Training Highlights:



Collegial Setting



Competency-based



Real-time Virtual



Instructor-led



Comprehensive Curriculum

About Us:

IMPART Alliance is dedicated to helping Michigan build a strong direct care workforce and it's institutional home is Michigan State University's College of Osteopathic Medicine. This project is supported by grants to MSU IMPART Alliance, administered by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services; one through FY23 General Funds and one through American Rescue Plan Act/Home and Community Based Services Spending Plan funds.

Click on the green buttons below to register. Students must fill **BOTH** forms to complete registration.

REGISTRATION FORM

CODE OF CONDUCT FORM

Tuesday/Thursday evening cohort schedule:



DATE	TIME	CLASS NUMBER	NAME
March 28 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	100	Orientation
April 2 (Tuesday)	6:00-7:00 pm	101	Introduction to Direct Care Work
April 4 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	102	Key Concepts for Direct Care Work
April 9 (Tuesday)	6:00-7:00 pm	103	Person-Centered Thinking
April 11 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	104	Person-Centered Relationships
April 16 (Tuesday)	6:00-7:00 pm	105	Professional Boundaries
April 18 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	106	Effective Communication
April 23 (Tuesday)	6:00-7:00 pm	107	Professionalism and Documentation
April 25 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	108	Introduction to Infection Control
April 30 (Tuesday)	6:00-7:00 pm	109	Stress Management and Self-Care
May 2 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	110	Introduction to Body Mechanics
May 7 (Tuesday)	6:00-7:00 pm	111	Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation
May 9 (Thursday)	6:00-7:00 pm	112	Medical Emergency Situations and Critical Thinking

Tuesday morning cohort schedule:

DATE	TIME	CLASS NUMBER	NAME
April 2 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	100	Orientation
April 9 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	101	Introduction to Direct Care Work
April 9 (Tuesday)	9:40-10:50 am	102	Key Concepts for Direct Care Work
April 16 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	103	Person-Centered Thinking
April 16 (Tuesday)	9:40-10:50 am	104	Person-Centered Relationships
April 23 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	105	Professional Boundaries
April 23 (Tuesday)	9:40-10:50 am	106	Effective Communication
April 30 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	107	Professionalism and Documentation
April 30 (Tuesday)	9:40-10:50 am	108	Introduction to Infection Control
May 7 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	109	Stress Management and Self-Care
May 7 (Tuesday)	9:40-10:50 am	110	Introduction to Body Mechanics
May 14 (Tuesday)	8:30-9:30 am	111	Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation
May 14 (Tuesday)	9:40-10:50 am	112	Medical Emergency Situations and Critical Thinking

Monday - Friday condensed cohort schedule:



DATE	TIME	CLASS NUMBER	NAME
April 3 (Wednesday)	12:00-1:10 pm	100	Orientation
April 4 (Thursday)	12:00-1:10 pm	101	Introduction to Direct Care Work
April 5 (Friday)	12:00-1:10 pm	102	Key Concepts for Direct Care Work
April 8 (Monday)	12:00-1:10 pm	103	Person-Centered Thinking
April 9 (Tuesday)	12:00-1:10 pm	104	Person-Centered Relationships
April 10 (Wednesday)	12:00-1:10 pm	105	Professional Boundaries
April 11 (Thursday)	12:00-1:10 pm	106	Effective Communication
April 12 (Friday)	12:00-1:10 pm	107	Professionalism and Documentation
April 15 (Monday)	12:00-1:10 pm	108	Introduction to Infection Control
April 16 (Tuesday)	12:00-1:10 pm	109	Stress Management and Self-Care
April 17 (Wednesday)	12:00-1:10 pm	110	Introduction to Body Mechanics
April 18 (Thursday)	12:00-1:10 pm	111	Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation
April 19 (Friday)	12:00-1:10 pm	112	Medical Emergency Situations and Critical Thinking

Thursday morning cohort schedule:

DATE	TIME	CLASS NUMBER	NAME
April 4 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	100	Orientation
April 11 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	101	Introduction to Direct Care Work
April 11 (Thursday)	9:40-10:50 am	102	Key Concepts for Direct Care Work
April 18 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	103	Person-Centered Thinking
April 18 (Thursday)	9:40-10:50 am	104	Person-Centered Relationships
April 25 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	105	Professional Boundaries
April 25 (Thursday)	9:40-10:50 am	106	Effective Communication
May 2 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	107	Professionalism and Documentation
May 2 (Thursday)	9:40-10:50 am	108	Introduction to Infection Control
May 9 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	109	Stress Management and Self-Care
May 9 (Thursday)	9:40-10:50 am	110	Introduction to Body Mechanics
May 16 (Thursday)	8:30-9:30 am	111	Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation
May 16 (Thursday)	9:40-10:50 am	112	Medical Emergency Situations and Critical Thinking