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BOOST Training Update #23

Your weekly update on training opportunities available through the BOOST Grants Program

Want to invite other members of your grantee organization to receive these training emails? Send them [this sign-up link](#)! Employees at all levels are invited to access BOOST resources!

New Training Resources

The [OST Resource Library](#) continues to be updated with new content to support quality, administration, leadership, and programming in out-of-school time! Check out these recent on-demand additions:

- [988 Georgia Crisis and Access Line for Behavioral Health Resources](#)
By Department of Behavioral Health & Developmental Disabilities
- [BIPOC Mental Health Toolkit](#)
By Mental Health America
- [The NAA Code of Ethics](#)
By National AfterSchool Association

Special Resource Highlight

- [Calling All Youth-Serving Professionals and Volunteers: Take the Power of Us Workforce Survey Today!](#)
Millions of professionals and volunteers work with young people every day in the many settings where youth play, learn, and grow outside of the school day. On athletic fields, in afterschool programs, in libraries, in faith-based institutions, youth-serving professionals and volunteers are making a difference every day. [Through the Power of Us Workforce Survey](#), youth-serving professionals and volunteers can contribute to a national effort to explore, define, and elevate youth fields workforce and their essential work with youth. **Summer program staff are highly encouraged to participate!**
- [Reach and Teach: Creating Access for All Learners in Out of School Settings](#)
The live webinar was so thought provoking, we had a special version produced for on-demand viewing. This version includes activities initiated through embedded QR codes as well as built-in time for reflection and discussion. It would make a great training at a staff meeting! GSAN collaborated with HTI Catalysts to bring this conversation to life, and we think the results are outstanding!

Upcoming Training Opportunities

- **TOMORROW** [July 14, 2022 10:30 AM: Raising the Bar: An Introduction to the GA ASYD Quality Standards](#) **LAST CHANCE TO SATISFY ASYD REQUIREMENTS!**
This is the last chance to satisfy your ASYD Overview requirement! If you have not attended any ASYD trainings, please put this date on your calendar to meet your ASYD requirements for Year 1 which ends July 31st. Please use the link above to secure your spot as soon as possible!
- [July 26, 2022 09:30 AM: Writing the Annual Report](#)
Participants will learn tricks and techniques for crafting compelling narratives that celebrate the

past year with clarity and creativity. Learners will also discuss options for design, printing, and distribution—to ensure your report finds and impresses the right audiences. *Note: This is not specific to the BOOST Annual Report due June 27.*

- [Jul 28, 2022 10:30 AM: Integrating Physical Activity & Nutrition in OST](#)
Join us to learn from one of our very own BOOST grantees on best practices to bring movement and healthy eating into your afterschool and summer programming. HealthMPowers will provide insights and tips for success in this opportunity for peer learning and sharing.

On-Demand Recordings (Past Trainings)

- [Jun 2, 2022 09:33 AM: Building Positive Relationships at Work & Beyond-ASYD Quality Element 6 for Leadership](#)
In order to thrive in the workplace and at home, it's important to build meaningful and sustainable relationships. Join us for this interactive session, which will lead participants through various relationship-building strategies to increase connection, meaning and trust with coworkers and leadership. Participants will walk away with tips and tricks to implement learning immediately after training.
- [Jun 22, 2022 10:00 AM: Everyday Mentoring](#)
In this interactive session, we will examine how to incorporate principles of mentoring into every interaction with young people. With a little forethought and planning, we can empower every individual interacting with young people to use a mentoring mindset that turns everyday interactions into touchpoints in the safety net that young people need to feel supported.
- [Jun 23, 2022 09:30 AM: Audits and the Audit Committee](#)
In this course, you'll learn just what audits are, including how they can help you improve your after-school program's operations and better serve your mission, and the important role of the audit committee: your organization's liaison to the independent external auditor, and a conduit to the internal control structure that mitigates risks such as error and fraud.
- [Jun 29, 2022 12:30 PM: Maximizing Family and Community Partnerships in OST](#)
This training will allow participants to have a heavy discussion regarding how quality programs should build meaningful relationships and collaborate with families and caregivers to enhance programming and foster the healthy development of youth. Participants will also engage in conversation around quality programs and how they should also develop community partnerships to establish an educative community and form an interconnected network that supports the holistic well-being of youth.

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