



IHSS

IN-HOME SUPPORTIVE SERVICES
TRAINING ACADEMY

A PROJECT OF SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT CONCEPTS (CAC)

DATE AND LOCATION

DATE: October 24 – 26, 2016

TIME: 8:30 AM-4:30 PM

PLACE: Hilton Garden Inn San Bernardino

ADDRESS: Arrowhead Room

1755 S Waterman Ave

San Bernardino, CA 92408

AUDIENCE & PREREQUISITES

IHSS employees who have completed IHSS 101 and already have basic experience in conducting IHSS assessments.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This training will provide detailed information on how to conduct accurate, individualized IHSS assessments by utilizing best practice techniques for interviewing, communicating, and following IHSS program guidelines for the authorization of services. Course content is delivered through multiple modalities including lecture, discussion, and group and individual activities.

REGISTRATION

- To register for any IHSS course, you must have or create a LMS account: <http://tinyurl.com/ihss-lms>
- Instructions on how to create an account: <http://tinyurl.com/howtoregihss>
For additional support: IHSS-LMS@mail.sdsu.edu

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the three day training, participants will achieve multiple objectives, including to:

- Define uniformity in the IHSS program and how it can be accomplished utilizing Functional Index Ranking, IHSS regulations, Annotated Assessment Criteria, Hourly Task Guidelines, and individualized assessments.
- Identify IHSS program rules that direct assessment and authorization of services.
- Describe successful best practice techniques for interviewing and communicating with consumers, families, and IHSS providers in order to obtain an accurate individualized assessment.