

Training Requirements Chart

Type of Foster Home	Every Foster/ Adoptive Home Prior to Approval	Every Foster/ Adoptive Home electronic Web-Based Training (WBT) courses Prior to Approval (Cabinet Curriculum)	Within 2 years of initial home approval (Currently approved homes also have 2 years to complete)	Each subsequent year	Every five years	Within 1 year of adopting Regulation for Currently Approved Homes	Additional initial requirements prior to approval	Additional Annual requirements
Basic (DCBS)	15 Hours of pre-service training required in a group setting, unless documented otherwise	1) Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma(PAHT) 2) First Aid/ Universal precautions 3) Medication Administration 4) Medical Passport	30 hours from the following topics: 1)Trauma Informed Care 2) Psychotropic Medications 3) Sexual Abuse 4) Behavioral Management and Skill Development	10 hours of approved training	Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma (WBT)	Reasonable and Prudent Parenting Standards		
Care Plus (DCBS)	15 Hours of pre-service training required in a group setting, unless documented otherwise	1) PAHT 2) First Aid/ Universal precautions 3) Medication Administration 4) Medical Passport	30 hours from the following topics: 1)Trauma Informed Care 2) Psychotropic Medications 3) Sexual Abuse 4) Behavioral Management and Skill Development	10 hours of approved training	Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma (WBT)	Reasonable and Prudent Parenting Standards	12 hours of training in the following topics: 1) Specific requirements and responsibilities of a care plus foster home 2) Crisis intervention and behavior management 3) De-escalation techniques 4) Communication skills; 5) Skill development; 6) Cultural competency 7) The dynamics of a child who has experienced sexual abuse or human trafficking; and 8) The effect of substance use, abuse, or dependency by either the child or the child's biological parent	12 hours of training in the following topics: 1) Specific requirements and responsibilities of a care plus foster home 2) Crisis intervention and behavior management 3) De-escalation techniques 4) Communication skills; 5) Skill development; 6) Cultural competency 7) The dynamics of a child who has experienced sexual abuse or human trafficking; and 8) The effect of substance use, abuse, or dependency by either the child or the child's biological parent
Medically Complex (DCBS)	15 Hours of pre-service training required in a group setting, unless documented otherwise	1) PAHT 2) First Aid/ Universal precautions 3) Medication Administration 4) Medical Passport	30 hours from the following topics: 1)Trauma Informed Care 2) Psychotropic Medications 3) Sexual Abuse 4) Behavioral Management and Skill Development	10 hours of approved training	Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma (WBT)	Reasonable and Prudent Parenting Standards	12 hours of Cabinet provided medically complex training, certification in infant, child, adult CPR and First Aid	12 hours of Cabinet provided ongoing training or if approved by the DPP Director, professional continuing education related to pediatrics

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<p align="center">Respite Provider (DCBS and PCP)</p>	<p>2 hours of Cabinet or PCP provided curriculum</p>	<p></p>	<p></p>	<p></p>	<p></p>	<p></p>	<p>If providing respite for a Care Plus child, child-specific training in the mental health treatment of children or their families or 12 hours of care plus training (Applies to DCBS homes only)</p>	<p>Care of a Medically Complex child requires First Aid and CPR certifications, and training specific to child being cared for, if providing respite for a Medically Complex child only</p>

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<p align="center">Therapeutic and Medically Complex (PCP)</p>	<p>15 Hours of pre-service training in a group setting, unless documented otherwise</p>	<p>1) PAHT 2) First Aid/ Universal precautions 3) Medication Administration 4) Medical Passport</p>	<p>30 hours from the following topics: 1)Trauma Informed Care (Cabinet approved) 2) Psychotropic Medications (Cabinet curriculum) 3) Sexual Abuse (Cabinet approved) 4) Behavioral Management and Skill Development (PCP Approved)</p>	<p>10 hours of approved training</p>	<p>Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma (WBT) (Cabinet Curriculum)</p>	<p>Reasonable and Prudent Parenting Standards</p>	<p>12 hours of private agency-sponsored training or training approved in advance by the private agency in: 1) Specific requirements and responsibilities of a therapeutic foster home 2) Crisis intervention and behavior management 3) Communication skills 4) Skill development 5)The dynamics of a child who has experienced sexual abuse or human trafficking 6) The effect of substance use, abuse or dependency by the child or parent</p> <p>AND</p> <p>12 hours of Cabinet provided medically complex training, certification in infant, child, adult CPR and First Aid</p>	<p>12 hours of private agency-sponsored training or training approved in advance by the private agency in a topic relevant to therapeutic foster care</p> <p>AND</p> <p>12 hours of Cabinet provided ongoing training or professional continuing education related to pediatrics, if approved by the DPP Director</p>