



THE CENTER ON
IMMIGRATION
AND CHILD WELFARE



Collaborative Work Effort to Improve Outcomes for Immigrant Families in Idaho

Workshop: Best Practices for Supporting Children in Immigrant Families

January 26, 2021 | 1:30pm – 5:00pm

OBJECTIVES

- Discuss relevant immigration policies and procedures that impact family unity and child well-being.
- Help social workers, child welfare workers, and other service providers recognize the impact of immigration policies and processes on children and families, including child welfare system involvement.
- Identify strategies, models, and best practices that mitigate the traumatic impact of immigration policies on children and their families.
- Utilize case scenario presentation and discussion to apply workshop concepts to participants' experience.

AGENDA

1:30 PM	WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS, & OVERVIEW
1:45 PM	DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE OF IMMIGRANTS AND REFUGEES
1:55 PM	IMMIGRATION 101: LEGAL STATUSES & FORMS OF RELIEF
2:10 PM	RECENT MIGRATION TRENDS, FEDERAL IMMIGRATION POLICY, & PATHWAYS THROUGH FEDERAL & STATE SYSTEMS
2:30 PM	THE IMPACT OF IMMIGRATION POLICIES ON CHILDREN & FAMILIES
2:45 PM	BREAK
3:00 PM	PROVIDING SUPPORT TO CHILDREN IN IMMIGRANT FAMILIES
3:30 PM	CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM MODELS & BEST PRACTICE
4:00 PM	CASE SCENARIOS PRESENTATION & DISCUSSION
4:45 PM	RESOURCES, QUESTIONS, & WRAP UP
