



GACRS Regional Training Events

February 2007 – June 2007

The Georgia Center & Resource Advisors host Trainings for adoptive and foster parents. We invite you to attend. Bring a friend! **All Trainings are Free!** All Trainings earn foster parents between 1.5 to 5.5 hrs. licensing credit and a certificate of attendance. Check our Training & Events Calendars online for additions, updates, and more.

Date	Event
February 6, 2007 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Region 1 —“ <i>Medicaid Waivers</i> ” featuring, <i>Vickie McClenton, Lutheran Services of Georgia</i> . Location: Cherokee Arts Center, 94 North Street in Canton, GA. 2 Hours License credit RSVP/Contact: Corliss Dunlop @ 1-866-A-PARENT for more information
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February 15, 2007 6:00-8:30 p.m.	Region 12: “ <i>Valuable Resources to Help Your Special Child Succeed!</i> ” with <i>Karen Blackered, The Kicklighter Center & Latisha with the A- Team</i> . Chatham Co. DFCS Wheaton St., Room 1009-C, Savannah, GA. Contact/RSVP: Cindy Spivey @912-856-0083
February 27, 2007 5:30-7:30 p.m.	Region 7 – “ Rebuilding the Broken Bond (Part 1) ” Please join the Georgia Center for Pizza and a video featuring Nancy Thomas, well known professional who works with children with Reactive Attachment Disorder. McDuffie County Library, 338 Main Street, Thomson GA. Contact: Judy Hutcheson 706-564-2633 to Register
February 27, 2007 6:00-8:30 p.m.	Region 11: Training in Adel, GA. at the Cook County DFCS office. For more information & to register contact Cathy Burks@ 229-247-8030.
March 17, 2007 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Region 7: “ Managing Difficult Behaviors ” at the Georgia Learning Resource Library (GLRS) 864 Broad Street, 1st Floor, Richmond County Board of Education Building. The Georgia Center for Resources and Support will host this free 2 ½ hour video training for foster and adoptive parents. In addition to the behavior training you will also gather information on GLRS and how you can utilize their valuable services to help your child. Contact: Judy Hutcheson 706-564-2633 for more info/Register
March 6, 2007 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	Region 4: "How to Care for the Skin and Hair of Children of Different Ethnicities" in Troup County. It will be at 6:30 at the Troup County DFCS office. Call Shannon Hoy to Register @ 404-550-2558
March 20, 2007 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.	Region 4: "How to Care for the Skin and Hair of Children of Different Ethnicities." Seminar begins at 6:30 at the Royal Baptist Church, 70 Mayo Royal Industrial Dr., Newnan, GA. Call Shannon Hoy to Register @ 404-550-2558
April 12, 2007 6:30-8:00 p.m.	Region 5: “ Early Warning Signs of Learning Differences ” Speaker: Laveda M. Doxey, LCSW, GACRS Project Coordinator Clarke County DFCS 284 North Avenue Athens, GA. 30606 Contact: Lorraine Terrell, @ 706-302-2753 to Register
April 21, 2007 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.	Spring Statewide Conference —“Positive Parenting—Get Involved! Get Connected! Get Powerful! Men Behaving Dadly! ” Speaker: Dr. L. Reese, Ph.D. Families First 1105 West Peachtree St. Atlanta, GA. Register: Online or 1-866-A-PARENT after March 21 st .
<u>MAY 2007</u> National Foster Care Month!	<i>Resource Advisors will be partnering with RDs all over the State to Celebrate Foster Parents and their families .</i>
June 9, 2007 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Region 7: “ Managing Difficult Behaviors ” at the Sandersville City Fire Department located at 125 Warthen St. Sandersville, GA. The Georgia Center for Resources and Support will host this free 2 ½ hour video training for foster and adoptive parents. Contact: Judy Hutcheson 706-564-2633 for more info/Register
<u>*Coming Soon in 2007</u> To Our website...	<i>Look for online education in the form of Audio Pod casts and Quicktime movies...</i>

2002 (5 _{yrs}) 2007	<p>The Georgia Center for Resources & Support is</p> <p><u>!!!Celebrating 5 years!!!</u></p> <p>of Serving Adoptive and Foster Families .</p> <p><u>Thank You for Your Support!</u></p>
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Please consult our calendar of events on our website www.gacrs.org for up to date information on all training or call 1-866-A-PARENT OR 404-929-0401
Let us know of any topics that you are interested in learning more about.