

Web SDM

Executive Summary:

Participants will learn to apply the concepts, language and tools of California's Structured Decision Making model in the web-based SDM application. Workers and supervisors will learn to navigate this system, and access online, up-to-date definitions and relevant portions of the SDM policy and procedure manual. Participants will search for existing referrals and cases, review case assessment history, and input new assessments. The class will also cover supervisory review and approval functions, as well as documenting overrides and modifying existing assessments. Participants will be guided through training exercises mirroring the case scenarios from the 2-day training, and will be provided with the opportunity to complete all tools available in the application.

OUTCOME OBJECTIVES:

As a result of this training, participants will be able to:

1. Navigate through the screens and tools in the SDM application.
2. Learn how to correctly complete all tools in the application.
3. Quickly access definitions, policies and procedure manual through the application.
4. Understand the relationship between CWS/CMS, Safe Measures and the WebSDM application.

Trainer Bio:

Jef Samp, MSW, trains child welfare workers, supervisors and managers on topics including Structured Decision Making (SDM), Child Welfare Services Case Management System (CWS/CMS), California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS) and mandated reporting. He has worked in three California counties in front-line child welfare roles ranging from screening and intake to long term placement.

Prerequisite:

2-day Structured Decision Making training.

Duration:

3 hours with one 15 minute break

Maximum Class Size:

23 participants

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