



# OPEN DOORS FOR MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES

...dedicated to the needs of diverse families who have loved ones with developmental disabilities and special health care needs



## Professional Webinar Training Series: Monthly Trainings on Working more Effectively with Diverse Youth & Families in Transition

This webinar series is offered in collaboration with  
*Center for Change in Transition Services* as part of Open Doors'  
*Multicultural Parent Information and Training Center Project*  
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### About Open Doors for Multicultural Families

*Open Doors for Multicultural Families is a non-profit organization dedicated to ensure that diverse families who have family members with developmental/intellectual disabilities and special health care needs have equal access to culturally and linguistically appropriate information, resources, and services.*

*Open Doors' bilingual & bicultural staff provides culturally appropriate services to families by collaborating with professionals & community members.*

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<http://multiculturalfamilies.org/wordpress/professional-webinars/>

## **Meaningful Transition Planning for CLD youth with disabilities**

This Webinar will: (a) Visit postsecondary outcomes and the impacts on Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CLD) students in WA state, (b) Discuss how to engage CLD families in Transition Planning to achieve better post-secondary outcome, and (c) Strategize how professionals & agencies could increase their capacity to serve CLD families

## **Working with an Interpreter**

Learn about laws related to language access and parental rights on getting an interpreter. Additionally, learn practical tips & gain tools to work more effectively with interpreters at different meetings with CLD students and their parents.

## **Adult Service Eligibility for Immigrant & Refugee Students**

This webinar will focus on: (a) Eligibility criteria for adult services (DDA, School-to-Work, etc.), (b) Potential structural barriers for immigrant/refugee families, and (c) Practical tips on better supporting CLD students navigate adult service system.

## **Working Model—Cultural Brokering & Collaborative Partnerships**

Learn about 'cultural brokering' and how this service-delivery model can effectively serve CLD students and their families. Learn more about how Open Doors serve families and collaborate with schools and other organizations

## **Culturally Responsive Person Centered Planning**

Learn more about '*Person Centered Planning*' as a transition planning tool for CLD students. We will look at PCP through cultural lens and explore ways for professionals to be culturally responsive when supporting CLD families.