



Archdiocese of Seattle Safe Environment Program

Called to Protect: Train-the Trainer

September 6 & 13, 2013

No particular educational background is needed to be a *Called to Protect* Trainer. Successful trainers may include clergy, religious, employees or volunteers, but they all share a commitment to protecting children. Teachers, counselors, case workers or health care professionals also make great trainers.

Qualities of a Successful Safe Environment Trainer:

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| ⊕ Comfortable speaking/presenting in public | ⊕ Comfortable discussing sexual issues |
| ⊕ Level headed when under stress | ⊕ Able to maintain confidentiality |
| ⊕ Emotionally and psychologically stable | ⊕ Motivated to participate in the program |
| ⊕ Compassionate towards others | ⊕ Current with Safe Environment training |
| ⊕ Reasonably objective about sexual abuse | ⊕ Willing to attend training updates |

Approved trainers will participate in a two-day Train-the-Trainer certification that will prepare them to lead any of the *Called to Protect* trainings in parishes, schools or other archdiocesan agencies.

Called to Protect: Train-the-trainer is a two-day class and participants must complete both days in their entirety. Cost of training is paid for by the Archdiocese of Seattle. Lunches and all training materials will be provided free of charge.

Cancellations must be made within 24 hours of the training or the participant's parish or school will be charged a \$25.00 cancellation fee.

All trainers must obtain an endorsement from the appointed pastoral leader: Pastor, Priest Administrator, Pastoral Coordinator or Principal who must also sign the application. Application may NOT be signed by PAA or SEP Coordinator.

****Clergy who wish to become a trainer must obtain prior approval from Archbishop Sartain.****

Any individual interested in becoming a trainer for *Called to Protect* must complete the enclosed application and return by **FRIDAY, AUGUST 30TH**.

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For more information, call (206) 274-3188 or (800) 261-4749 or email sep@seattlearch.org.



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Please print:

Name		
Address/PO Box		
City	State	Zip
E-mail		Home Phone
Work Phone	Cell Phone	

Parish/School: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Parish <input type="checkbox"/> School
Are you a: <input type="checkbox"/> Employee (Title) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/Community Member
Languages you are competent to teach in: <input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese <input type="checkbox"/> Korean	
Why are you interested in being a trainer for the Safe Environment Program?	
Describe your public speaking/facilitation experience.	
What other skills, certifications or experience do you have that would help you to be an effective SEP trainer?	
Are you able to handle emotional situations without becoming emotionally involved yourself? If yes, describe how and/or experience in doing so.	
How comfortable are you discussing sexual misconduct and abuse?	

Applicants Signature

Date

*Pastor/Priest Administrator/Pastoral Coordinator/Principal Endorsement Signature

Date

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