



NC DEPARTMENT OF
**HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES**
Division of Social Services

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September 6, 2018

DEAR COUNTY DIRECTORS OF SOCIAL SERVICES

ATTENTION: DIRECTORS, PROGRAM MANAGERS AND CHILD WELFARE PROFESSIONALS

SUBJECT: POLICY TRAINING WEBINARS – HUMAN TRAFFICKING

REQUIRED ACTION: ___ Information Only **X** Time Sensitive ___ Immediate

PURPOSE

The purpose of this letter is to inform county child welfare agencies of upcoming training opportunities regarding the human trafficking policy changes necessitated by recent legislation. The policy will be effective on October 1, 2018.

The Division, in partnership with the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Social Work and Project NO REST, will offer four live webinars to child welfare workers, supervisors, and program managers to prepare the workforce for this implementation. The content of each webinar will be the same and will include an overview of human trafficking laws, a discussion of the policy changes, and practice guidance.

REQUIRED ACTION

Participants must register in advance of the webinars using the links below.

Date:	Time:	Link to Register:
9/17/2018	1:00-2:30 pm	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3089413662367337731
9/18/2018	10:00-11:30 am	https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3882698107668211715
9/18/2018	1:00-2:30 pm	https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/8135340803068623107
9/19/2018	2:00-3:30 pm	https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/6487156380357998083

A link to the webinar will be sent to participants once registered. Participants should use that link to join the webinar on the day of the training.

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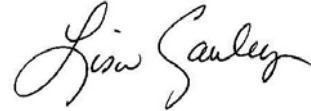
LOCATION: 820 S. Boylan Avenue, McBryde Building, Raleigh, NC 27603
MAILING ADDRESS: 2408 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-2408
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One webinar will be recorded and made available for reference on the DSS Child Welfare Staff Training Page: <https://www2.ncdhhs.gov/dss/training/childwelfare.htm>

If you have questions about the webinars, please contact Erin Conner at (919) 527-6351 or at erin.conner@dhhs.nc.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lisa Cauley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L" and a long, sweeping underline.

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Deputy Director for Child Welfare
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