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January 22, 2018

Dear Partners & Community Members,

On Friday, March 02<sup>nd</sup> 2018, we will be hosting a "train the trainer" session on the Keys to Your Financial Future curriculum. Completion of this financial literacy training is the initial step that a young person must accomplish in order to become a participant in the Opportunity Passport ™ program (IDA). During this session, attendees will be trained on the first three modules of the Keys to Financial Literacy series. The subject areas covered within this training will cover assets, credit, & money management. Your completion of this training will allow you to train youth for enrollment in IDA on the first three module of the Keys to Your Financial Future Curriculum.

Who should attend this training? Direct care staff who work with youth between the ages of 14-26 who are in foster care or were formally in foster care. These direct care staff should also have the schedule to train youth in groups or one on one every 60 days minimally. The total time for a training session is 6.5 hours.

While we want to accommodate everyone, space is limited so we have capped registration to a maximum of (2) individuals per agency. Additionally, please consider the following to determine if you are a good candidate to become a certified trainer. Those who attend this train the trainer session should: 1. Plan to show up on the day of the training. 2. Plan to remain at the training for the entire day. 3. Plan to train youth every 60 days in order to retain the skills learned during the train the trainer session. 4. Plan to assist youth with completing the additional steps to becoming enrolled in Opportunity Passport ™

Breakfast will be served at 8:30 am. We will begin promptly 9:00 am and we will end at 5:00 pm. The training session will take place in the large training room within the MAAC Office. We are located in the Peachtree Center Building | South Tower | 225 Peachtree St. NE Suite 900 Atlanta, Georgia 30303. Breakfast & lunch will be provided. Participants will also receive 6.5 hours of training credits.

Please RSVP by February 23, 2018 using the following link: <a href="https://goo.gl/n6kFSj">https://goo.gl/n6kFSj</a>
If more than one person from your agency is attending, please register each person individually in order for the system to accept your registration.

Accreditations:

We look forward to having a room full of anxious participants. Please contact Yatecca Lofton, <a href="mailto:ylofton@maac4kids.org">ylofton@maac4kids.org</a> or by phone at 678-719-2496 if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely,



Yatecca Lofton, MPA Opportunity Passport™ Coordinator

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