CCSR Training Invitation sent via email:

The Department of Human Services (DHS) is collaborating with the Department of Corrections (DOC) in its Statewide Recidivism Reduction Strategy (SRR). Our goal with this interagency collaboration is to develop strong connections among the community, prisons and community-based corrections, community mental health and disability services system, and the substance-use disorder service systems for individuals reentering the community after incarceration. These connections will lead to a greater understanding of the resources available to individuals to help them establish successful and permanent lives in the community, to reduce recidivism, and to increase public safety.

There will be three rounds of training conducted in each of Iowa's eight judicial districts. Registration for the first round of trainings in February and March of 2016 is currently open.

Training Objectives:

1. Develop an understanding of the challenges faced by individuals and their families as they reenter the community.
2. Learn how corrections and community service systems operate, including information about services and supports available and how they interact to support persons reentering the community.
3. Establish connections between the corrections and community services systems, including individual and agency contacts.

The training will be highly interactive. The morning session will include concurrent break-out sessions for community service providers to learn more about the corrections system from a panel of correctional staff and for correctional staff to learn more about services and supports available in the community from community services systems providers. Both sessions will include individuals or family members with lived experience and an opportunity for discussion and questions. The afternoon session will provide time for community service providers and corrections staff to connect and share successes, challenges, and opportunities for future collaboration. Lunch will be on your own.

Who Should Attend?

Integrated health home providers, mental health and disability services providers, substance use services providers,-mental health and disability services (MHDS) regional staff, state agencies, healthcare organizations, community-based corrections staff, and prison corrections staff will benefit from this training.

The schedule below contains training details by judicial district, with the counties and MHDS Regions represented in each. Please click on the link to register for the training that aligns with your organization's service area or your availability. Space is limited. Organizations may register up to three individuals, and each will receive an email confirmation. We have attached tentative locations of future trainings so you can take location into consideration when registering. If you would like to register more than three individuals from your organization, please contact: Caitlin Owens at caitlin-owens@uiowa.edu.

Location of Training	Date	Judicial District Information	Tentative Future Locations	Link To Registration
Hawkeye Community College – Tama Hall, Room 102. 1501 East Orange Rd. Waterloo, IA 50704	Tuesday, February 2nd 9am-3pm	**First Judicial District** **The First Judicial District includes the following counties:** Allamakee, Black Hawk, Chickasaw, Clayton, Fayette, Grundy, Howard, Winneshiek, Buchanan, Delaware, Dubuque **MHDS Regions Represented:** County Social Services, East Central	Peosta Dubuque	Click to Register for the 2/2/16 Training
Iowa Central Community College - East Campus Triton Room 2031 Quail Ave. Ft. Dodge, IA 50501	Thursday, February 11th 9am-3pm	**Second Judicial District** **The Second Judicial District includes the following counties:** Butler, Cerro Gordo, Floyd, Hancock, Humboldt, Mitchell, Pocahontas, Webster, Winnebago, Worth, Wright, Boone, Franklin, Hamilton, Hardin, Marshall, Story, Calhoun, Carroll, Sac, Bremer, Greene **MHDS Regions Represented:** County Social Services, Central Iowa Community Services, Rolling Hills Community Services, MHDS of East Central Region, Heart of Iowa	Mason City Carroll	Click to Register for the 2/11/16 Training
Western Iowa Tech Community College Room 300A 200 Victory Drive Cherokee, IA 51012	Wednesday, February 17th 9am-3pm	**Third Judicial District** **The Third Judicial District includes the following counties:** Clay, Dickenson, Lyon, O'Brien, Osceola, Palo Alto, Buena Vista, Cherokee, Crawford, Ida, Plymouth, Sioux, Woodbury, Emmet, Kossuth, Monona **MHDS Regions Represented:** Northwest Iowa Care Connection, Rolling Hills Community Services, Sioux Rivers MHDS, County Social Services, Southwest Iowa MHDS	Spencer Sioux City	Click to Register for the 2/17/16 Training
Iowa Western Community College - Looft Hall Conference Center 2700 College Rd. Council Bluffs, IA 51503	Wednesday, February 24th 9am-3pm	**Fourth Judicial District** **The Fourth Judicial District includes the following counties:** Cass, Fremont, Harrison, Mills, Montgomery, Page, Pottawattamie, Shelby, Audubon **MHDS Regions Represented:** Southwest Iowa MHDS, Heart of Iowa	Clarinda Harlan **or** Audubon	Click to Register for the 2/24/16 Training

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Simpson College **Kent Campus Center** 701 North C. St. Indianola, IA 50125	Tuesday, March 1st 9am-3pm	**Fifth Judicial District** **The Fifth Judicial District includes the following counties:** Clarke, Decatur, Lucas, Ringgold, Wayne, Adair, Adams, Taylor, Union, Jasper, Madison, Warren, Dallas, Guthrie, Polk, Marion **MHDS Regions Represented:** County Rural Offices of Social Services, Southern Hills Regional Mental Health, Central Iowa Community Services, Heart of Iowa, Polk	Leon or Creston Newton **or** Des Moines	Click to Register for the 3/01/16 Training
Coralville Public Library 1401 5th St. Coralville, IA 52241	Tuesday, March 8th 9am-3pm	**Sixth Judicial District** **The Sixth Judicial District includes the following counties:** Benton, Iowa, Johnson, Jones, Linn, Tama **MHDS Regions Represented:** MHDS of East Central Region, County Social Services	Anamosa Toledo	Click to Register for the 3/08/16 Training
Isle Casino Hotel **Bettendorf Salon C** 1777 Isle Parkway Bettendorf, IA 52722	Tuesday, March 15th 9am-3pm	**Seventh Judicial District** **The Seventh Judicial District includes the following counties:** Cedar, Clinton, Jackson, Muscatine, Scott **MHDS Regions Represented:** Eastern Iowa MHDS	Maquoketa Muscatine	Click to Register for the 3/15/16 Training
Bridge View Center 102 Church St. Ottumwa, IA 52501	Thursday, March 17th 9am-3pm	**Eighth Judicial District** **The Eighth Judicial District includes the following counties:** Keokuk, Des Moines, Henry, Jefferson, Lee, Louisa, Van Buren, Washington, Appanoose, Davis, Wapello, Monroe, Poweshiek, Mahaska **MHDS Regions Represented:** Southeast Iowa Link, South Central Behavioral Health, County Rural Offices of Social Services, Central Iowa Community Services	West Burlington Fairfield	Click to Register for the 3/17/16 Training