



Child Welfare Training System

Since 2013, Kempe has worked alongside the Colorado Department of Human Services to revolutionize the Child Welfare Training System (CWTS). Through leadership and learning, Kempe and CDHS are profoundly and positively impacting Colorado's children and families through the transformation of the system.

CWTS Recent Updates

- The Kempe-CWTS team is now responsible for managing southeast and northeast regional training center properties
- Moved the needle on the intended outcome for statewide Differential Response implementation from 22% to 64% of Colorado counties, with another 14% counties in progress – all made possible by CWTS training and coaching efforts
- Redesigned the Leadership Learning Collaborative for child welfare leaders



COVID-19 Response

- Adapted 17 pre-service classroom course designs for virtual platform delivery
- Continued all online pre-service training deliveries for caseworkers, supervisors and foster parents statewide without disruption
- Readied facilitators for virtual course delivery
- Assessed and determined county's most urgent foster parent training needs
- Added multitude of Fostering Fundamentals virtual offerings to account for urgent foster parent training needs
- Created a Zoom basics web-based training for learners and made immediately available on CWTS' Learning Management System

CWTS By the Numbers

54,278

IN-SERVICE
TRAINING HOURS

provided to county
caseworkers, supervisors
and community members

46,341

PRE-SERVICE
TRAINING HOURS

provided to county
caseworkers and
supervisors

8,985

HOURS OF
TRAINING

to foster parents, including
both pre-service
and in-service