

ENSURING QUALITY CARE
BASIC TRAINING FOR ADULT FOSTER HOME PROVIDERS
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Ensuring Quality Care (EQC) for Adult Foster Home (AFH) Providers is a required training for all licensees, resident managers and shift caregivers who intend to own, operate or work in Aging and Physically Disabled (APD)-licensed adult foster homes. This list includes resource information about the state-wide EQC class availability by authorized instructors. Individuals are not limited to taking a local EQC class. Please note: individual EQC classes may vary in title, length, format, college credits and cost. If a classroom format is not available in your area, look for the online format of this course.

Recommended Prerequisite: Attendance at the local AFH Orientation is required prior to licensure or approval of a resident manager or shift caregiver application. It is **highly recommended** that potential AFH applicants attend the Orientation provided by the local licensing office **PRIOR** to taking the EQC Basic Training Course. Contact your [Local AFH Licensing office](#) to ask about their Orientation schedule.

Training Locations: These are grouped together by area, however, please note there are some online options available as well, if you are not able to attend in person. Click on an area below to see the options available.

ONLINE COURSES ARE NOT LIMITED TO A SPECIFIC AREA AND CAN BE TAKEN BY ALL, REGARDLESS OF LOCATION.

[Central Oregon](#)

[Portland Area](#)

[Southern Oregon](#)

[Willamette Valley](#)

Testing Requirements: Individuals who fail the first test may re-take it a second time but must successfully do so within 90 days of completing the course. All applicants are required to complete the EQC Basic Training Course and no one may pass the test in lieu of completing the required training.

Click [Currently Scheduled Classes](#) if you'd like to see what's currently scheduled for the year. This is updated as new classes are scheduled, so keep checking in if you don't see what you're looking for.

CENTRAL OREGON

EQC Instructor	Information & Registration
None at this time	N/A

PORTLAND AREA

EQC Instructor	Information & Registration
Eloisa Barroso Format: Online/Classroom	Phone: 805-458-2885 Email: e.bafhconsulting@gmail.com
Tracey Diani Format: Online/Classroom	For registration information: E-mail: www.OregonEQC.com (direct link to online class) or EQC.Class@gmail.com Phone: 971-340-6737
Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA Format: Online/Classroom	Phone: 971-401-9200 E-mail: www.OregonEQC.com (direct link to online class) or EQC.Class@gmail.com
Catherine Hutchison, RN Format: Classroom, Online, Hybrid (coming Summer 2020) <i>May be willing to travel for proctoring exam only.</i>	For registration information: Contact Catherine Hutchison, RN Phone: 503-939-9073 Website: www.youRNurse.net Email: youRNurse@me.com Please contact instructor instead of colleges to decrease confusion and to discuss format options. <i>Mt. Hood Community College (Online and Enhanced Classroom)</i> <i>Portland Community College (some online, and classroom or streaming)</i>
April Quast	Phone: 503-988-8328 E-mail: April.quast@multco.us

SOUTHERN OREGON

EQC Instructor	Information & Registration
<p>Beth Elye AFH Licenser Format: Classroom</p>	<p>Phone: 541-464-2451 Email: beth.m.elye@state.or.us</p>
<p>Judi Hill, LPN Format: Online <i>The online EQC course does not include the exam. Arrange to take the EQC exam by contacting the Rogue Community College EQC coordinator.</i></p>	<p>For registration information: Rogue Community College E-mail: communityeducation@rogucecc.edu Phone: 541-956-7303 Prerequisite: Local AFH Orientation taken within one year prior to the class start date. Contact your Local Licensing Office to register for the AFH Orientation.</p>
<p>Nanette Mullins AFH Licenser Format: Classroom</p>	<p>Phone: 541-464-2450 E-mail: nanette.h.mullins@state.or.us</p>
<p>John Phillips AFH Licenser Format: Classroom</p>	<p>Phone: 541-756-8684 E-mail: john.r.phillips@state.or.us</p>
<p>Ron Schaar AFH Licenser Format: Classroom</p>	<p>Phone: 541-756-2017 E-mail: Ronald.Schaar@state.or.us</p>

WILLAMETTE VALLEY

EQC Instructor	Information & Registration
<p>Erin Jacobsen NorthWest Senior and Disability Services Format: Classroom</p>	<p>Phone: (503) 967-1839 E-mail: erin.jacobsen@nwsds.org</p>
<p>Corrynne Purdy Format: Classroom</p>	<p>For more information, go to: www.ensuringqualitycare.com Phone: 541-971-0092 E-mail cpurdyeqctrng@msn.com</p>

Currently Scheduled Classes

February 2020			
Feb 4 – 14	Roseburg	In-person Class	Nanette Mullins and Beth Elye
Feb 5 – Mar 4	Rogue Community College	Online	Judi Hill, LPN
Feb 24 – Mar 13	Mount Hood Community College	Online	Catherine Hutchison, RN
Feb 28 – Mar 18	Portland Metro	Hybrid (Online with one in-person day)	Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA Tracey Diani
April 2020			
Apr 15 – May 13	Rogue Community College	Online	Judi Hill, LPN
May 2020			
May 1-20	Portland Metro	Hybrid/Online	Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA Tracey Diani
July 2020			
July 10 – 29	Portland Metro	Hybrid (Online with one in-person day)	Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA Tracey Diani
July 13 – Aug 1	Portland Community College	Online	Catherine Hutchison, RN
July 20 – 24	Willamette Valley	Online	Corrynne Purdy
July 29 – Aug 26	Rogue Community College	Online	Judi Hill, LPN
August 2020			
August 3 – 7	Willamette Valley	Online	Erin Jacobsen
August 7 - 26	Portland Metro	Online	Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA Tracey Diani
September 2020			
September 4 - 23	Portland Metro	Online	Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA Tracey Diani
September 15-18	Willamette Valley	Online	Corrynne Purdy
October 2020			
October 30 – November 18	Portland Metro	Online	Alyssa Elting-McGuire, MA, MPA

			Tracey Diani
October 26-30	Willamette Valley	Online	Erin Jacobsen
November 2020			
November 17-20	Willamette Valley	Online	Corrynne Purdy