

## CT Customized Employment Certification Course FY24-25

In 2021, the Connecticut Departments of Developmental Services (DDS), Aging and Disability Services (ADS), and Education (SDE) launched the Customized Employment (CE) Curriculum. The CT CE curriculum was developed by the Regional Educational Service Center (RESC) Alliance in consultation with the three state agencies to be provider focused.

This **4-Month training** is divided into 4 Modules and provides a combination of **virtual deadline oriented asynchronous (self-study) work and live, online synchronous (class) sessions**. The modules will engage learners with readings, videos, lecture style information sharing, presentations, role plays, case studies, discussion board posts, and practice tasks. **Students must attend all live (synchronous) sessions to qualify for certification.**

Each course begins with a 1-hour orientation meeting. **Please login to the course before this meeting** and review the materials. Come to orientation with questions. If you have access issues, orientation is the time to report this.

CE is a collaborative approach to service provision, based on the assumption that an employer has unmet needs that can be identified and satisfied, and that job seekers be provided vocational options that meet their skills, abilities & interests. CE prioritizes creating opportunities for competitive work in the community that are integrated, economically self-sufficient, challenging, and provide career growth to the job seeker.

Providers will be notified of staff accepted to the course no later than the Monday immediately following the application deadline.

### Course Overview:

	Estimated Coursework	Live Synchronous Session(s)	Live Session Time
<b>Orientation</b>	30 mins.	9:00am – 10:00am	1 hr.
<b>Module 1</b>	6 hrs.	<b>Module 1 Lesson 1:</b> 9:00am – 12:00pm	3 hrs.
<b>Module 2</b>	6.5 hrs.	<b>M2L1:</b> 9:00am – 11:30am <b>M2L2:</b> 9:00am – 11:30am	2.5 hrs. 2.5 hrs.
<b>Module 3</b>	9 hrs.	<b>M3L1:</b> 9:00am – 11:00am	3 hrs.
<b>Module 4</b>	8 hrs.	<b>M4L1:</b> 9:00am – 11:30pm <b>M4L2:</b> 9:00am – 12:00pm	2.5 hrs. 3 hrs.

## Course Calendars:

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session A:</b> October 7, 2024 - January 28, 2025</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>LIVE SESSIONS</b> Tuesdays at 9:00 on:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>LIVE DATES:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>M1: 9/23/24 – 10/18/24</td> <td>9/24 &amp; 10/15</td> </tr> <tr> <td>M2: 10/21/24 – 11/22/24</td> <td>10/29 &amp; 11/19</td> </tr> <tr> <td>M3: 11/25/24 – 12/20/24</td> <td>12/17</td> </tr> <tr> <td>M4: 12/23/24 – 1/8/25</td> <td>1/14 &amp; 1/28</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		LIVE DATES:	M1: 9/23/24 – 10/18/24	9/24 & 10/15	M2: 10/21/24 – 11/22/24	10/29 & 11/19	M3: 11/25/24 – 12/20/24	12/17	M4: 12/23/24 – 1/8/25	1/14 & 1/28	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Session B:</b> February 3, 2025 - June 3, 2025</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>LIVE SESSIONS</b> Tuesdays at 9:00 on:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>LIVE DATES:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>M1: 2/3/25 – 2/21/25</td> <td>2/4 &amp; 2/18</td> </tr> <tr> <td>M2: 3/3/25 – 4/4/25</td> <td>3/18 &amp; 4/1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>M3: 4/7/25 – 5/2/25</td> <td>4/29</td> </tr> <tr> <td>M4: 5/5/25 – 6/6/25</td> <td>5/20 &amp; 6/3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Application Deadline: January 24<sup>th</sup> Close of Business</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><b>Application Link</b></a></p>		LIVE DATES:	M1: 2/3/25 – 2/21/25	2/4 & 2/18	M2: 3/3/25 – 4/4/25	3/18 & 4/1	M3: 4/7/25 – 5/2/25	4/29	M4: 5/5/25 – 6/6/25	5/20 & 6/3
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