

## Required Training Regarding Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation Requirements - October 16, 2015

The Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS) and HHSC will be hosting a face-to-face training for the STAR+PLUS, STAR Health and STAR MCOs to provide training related to the abuse, neglect and exploitation (ANE) requirements required by Senate Bill (S.B.) 1880 from the 84<sup>th</sup> legislative session. This training is mandatory. Each MCO should ensure that their service coordinators, trainers, and managers participate.

The face-to-face training will be held on Friday October 16, 2015, from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. at:  
DFPS

Winters Building, Public Hearing Room  
701 West 51<sup>st</sup> Street  
Austin, Texas 78751

The training will cover the following:

- Definitions of abuse, neglect and exploitation and how to recognize ANE,
- The role of DFPS and their function,
- Reporting requirements and the process,
- Requirements for notifying the alleged perpetrator of the investigatory findings, and the alleged victim of the investigatory findings and the right to appeal, and
- HHSC expectations.

### CONTACT

If you have any questions about the training, please contact Kathi Montalbano at [Kathi.montalbano@hhsc.state.tx.us](mailto:Kathi.montalbano@hhsc.state.tx.us) and copy your Health Plan Management Team.