



CSW Advancing Trauma-Informed and Resilience-Building Organizations and Systems: *Request for Qualification for Trainers and Technical Assistance Providers*

[Corporation for a Skilled Workforce](#) (CSW) seeks individuals and organizations with expertise in toxic stress, trauma, racial trauma, trauma-informed care and approaches, and resilience-building. We will be launching one or more initiatives to build trauma-informed and resilience-building organizations and systems in workforce development, adult education, postsecondary education, and workplaces.

We are specifically interested in individuals and organizations that have experience in providing the following on one or more of the topics listed above: professional development training (virtual, in-person, and/or hybrid); organizational assessment and coaching or technical assistance on becoming a trauma-informed organization or system; communities of practice or learning communities of individuals and/or organizations.

From the submissions to this RFQ, we will select providers for a list of approved procured experts we can contact for specific opportunities, as relevant.

Timeline for Submission: March 2021 (rolling)

RFQ Questions:

- Name of person(s) with relevant expertise
- Organization (if applicable)
- City, state
- Email address
- Telephone number:
- Website (if applicable):
- Briefly list the topics related to toxic stress, trauma, trauma-informed care and approaches, and resilience-building in which you have expertise.
- Briefly describe related trainings; individual or organizational coaching/technical assistance; or other professional development and organizational development services you have provided in the last 5 years. Include the specific activities and who you provided these services to (if appropriate to share). Also include the results and/or outcomes of any training or services you provided.
- Please provide information on your pricing for providing these types of services, e.g., hourly or daily rates, cost per type of activity, etc. This is to provide us with a general sense of pricing; specific pricing would be discussed for specific projects.

Submit Responses to: Vickie Choitz, CSW Director of Federal, State, and Local Systems Change at vchoitz@skilledwork.org.

About CSW: [CSW](#) catalyzes change in educational and labor market systems, policies and practices to increase economic mobility, particularly for people of color and others historically excluded from success. We focus on achieving scalable improvements in worker skills, lifelong learning, and job quality. CSW collaborates with change makers to develop strategies, identify evidence to inform strategies, build the capacity of organizations, manage initiatives, and evaluate lessons learned. CSW envisions a society in which every person is able to earn a family-sustaining income, achieve upward mobility, and adapt to the future.