



Family, Friend
and Neighbor

What is the FFN Rising Care Program?

The FFN Rising Care Program supports Family, Friend, and Neighbor (FFN) caregivers by offering training, peer connections, and hands-on learning experiences.

The program includes six online training sessions focused on enhancing caregiving skills and child safety, along with monthly online peer group meetings for shared learning and support. Caregivers and children are also invited to participate in our FFN Rising Seasonal Play & Learn Days.

What training sessions are part of the FFN Rising Care Program?

1. The Role of FFN Caregivers in the Community
2. Key Concepts in Child Development and Caring for Children of Different Ages
3. Practical Tips for Organizing a Caring and Engaging Home Environment
4. Fostering Positive Behavior and Emotional Growth in Children During Uncertainty
5. Understanding and Embracing Cultural Diversity in FFN Caregiving
6. Navigating Business Growth for FFN Providers: Tools & Resources for Expanding your Caregiving Practice

The program celebrates cultural diversity, offering cohorts in English, Spanish, and Arabic to meet the unique language and cultural needs of caregivers. Please use the link or QR code to register for the cohort that best aligns with your language and cultural preferences.

[English](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Arabic](#)



ENGLISH



ESPAÑOL



عربي

What is the program's schedule and time commitment?

March 2025 through September 2025

- 6 training sessions = 12 hours online - see schedules on back
- Monthly FFN Rising Care Peer Group meeting = 1.5 hour online (at least 4 meetings required) - see schedules on back
- FFN Rising Seasonal Play & Learn Day Event (at least one in-person event required to receive grant funding)
 - Choose between:
 - STEM Learning Journey with FFN Caregivers in May & August
 - Book, Art & Fun: A Joyful Learning Adventure

The commitment to participate in this program is:

- 12 hours of FFN training
- 9 hours of FFN Rising Care Peer Group meeting availability
- 8 hours for attending one of the two FFN Rising Seasonal Play & Learn Days

To be eligible for grant funding and complete the program you must participate in 20 hours out of the 29 that are offered. Grants are up to \$950.00 based on coaching suggestions.

How will this program help me as an FFN Caregiver?

By committing to the required participation hours, you will have the opportunity to receive:

- Practical caregiving skills through training, peer discussions, and hands-on events
- Receive mini grants for essential materials up to \$950 based on coaching recommendations to create safe, engaging learning spaces
- Access career navigation and business support coaching
- Get free admissions to local museums and community cultural organizations



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English Group Training Session Schedule

Training Session Title	Day	Time	Place
The Role of FFN Caregivers in the Community	Thu 04/17/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Key Concepts in Child Development and Caring for Children of Different Ages	Thu 05/22/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Practical Tips for Organizing a Caring and Engaging Home Environment	Thu 06/26/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Fostering Positive Behavior and Emotional Growth in Children During Uncertainty	Thu 07/17/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Understanding and Embracing Cultural Diversity in FFN Caregiving	Thu 08/21/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Navigating Business Growth for FFN Providers: Tools and Resources for Expanding Your Caregiving Practice	Thu 09/18/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online

English Peer Group Meeting Schedule

Day	Time	Place
04/22/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
05/ 27/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
06/24/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
07/22/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
08/26/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
9/23/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online

Spanish Group Training Session Schedule

Training Session Title	Day	Time	Place
The Role of FFN Caregivers in the Community	Wed 04/23/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Key Concepts in Child Development and Caring for Children of Different Ages	Wed 05/21/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Practical Tips for Organizing a Caring and Engaging Home Environment	Wed 06/25/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Fostering Positive Behavior and Emotional Growth in Children During Uncertainty	Wed 07/23/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Understanding and Embracing Cultural Diversity in FFN Caregiving	Wed 08/27/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Navigating Business Growth for FFN Providers: Tools and Resources for Expanding Your Caregiving Practice	Wed 09/24/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online

Spanish Peer Group Meeting Schedule

Day	Time	Place
04/01/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
05/ 06/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
06/03/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
07/01/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
08/05/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
9/2/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online

Arabic Group Training Session Schedule

Training Session Title	Day	Time	Place
The Role of FFN Caregivers in the Community	Wed 04/16/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Key Concepts in Child Development and Caring for Children of Different Ages	Wed 05/14/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Practical Tips for Organizing a Caring and Engaging Home Environment	Wed 06/18/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Fostering Positive Behavior and Emotional Growth in Children During Uncertainty	Wed 07/16/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Understanding and Embracing Cultural Diversity in FFN Caregiving	Wed 08/20/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online
Navigating Business Growth for FFN Providers: Tools and Resources for Expanding Your Caregiving Practice	Wed 09/17/2025	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Zoom Online

Arabic Peer Group Meeting Schedule

Day	Time	Place
4/8/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
5/13/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
6/10/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
7/8/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
8/12/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online
9/9/2025	12:00 pm - 1:30 PM	Online