

**WORKSHOP TITLE:**

Engaging and Working with Family and Caregivers

**WORKSHOP DATE(S) & TIMES:**

DATE(S): June 5, 2025

TIMES: 12 Noon – 1 PM CT

**WORKSHOP PRESENTER(S) NAME & CREDENTIALS & SHORT BIO:**

*Kazden Genenbacher* is the Family Services Coordinator for Simon Cottage. She works with the families of the youngest clients in the residential program at Chaddock. Kazden began her career at Chaddock in 2018 as an intern. From 2018 to 2021 she worked in direct care with the youngest clients to provide their day to day needs while creating a safe and supportive environment for them to learn and grow in. In 2021, she accepted a position within the same building to begin working with the parents and guardians. Her primary responsibilities include providing psychoeducation about the interventions used, coaching parents during phone calls and in-person visits, and advocating for the whole family system to ensure that they have access to services needed for their success. Kazden feels passionate about cultivating confidence in the families that she works with while maintaining the compassion and empathy needed for connection.

**WORKSHOP LOCATION:**

In person: Dr. Debbie Reed Center for Excellence, 205 S. 24<sup>th</sup> St, Quincy, IL 62301

**TARGET AUDIENCE:**

Social Workers, Professional Counselors, Other Child Serving Professionals

**CONTENT LEVEL:**

Beginner

**FEES & REGISTRATION INFO:**

No fee to attend. Register here: <https://www.tkchaddock.org/events/>

**WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION:**

This session will provide attendees with a high-level overview of considerations to make when seeking to engage caregivers. Attendees will also explore how caregiver history and attachment style can impact their engagement in their child's treatment process.



## **COURSE OUTLINE/AGENDA:**

12:00 – 12:10 PM	Why is caregiver engagement vital?
12:10 – 12:20 PM	What is engagement and what does it look like?
12:20 – 12:50 PM	Ways to facilitate engagement from caregivers.
12:50 – 1:00 PM	Questions/Discussion

## **LEARNING OBJECTIVES: As a result of this training participants will be able to:**

1. Describe why caregiver engagement is vital to working with children and young people.
2. Describe what engagement is and looks like.
3. Describe one way to facilitate engagement from caregivers and one barrier to engagement.

## **DESCRIBE THE METHODS YOU WILL USE TO CONVEY THE CONTENT:**

- POWERPOINT
- DIDACTIC LECTURE

## **BIBLIOGRAPHY:**

Available upon request.

## **COURSE COMPLETION & CE INFO:**

Participants need to arrive at or before the start time, attend the entire training, complete the course evaluation which includes a digital attestation that they attended in its entirety to earn CE credit. Partial credit is not allowed. Certificates of completion will be emailed within 10 business days of course completion.

## **SOCIAL WORK**

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## **PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING**

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1 CE credit hours are available for this workshop.



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**FOR QUESTIONS, CONCERNS, OR TO REQUEST SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS**

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