



# Free Training: Supporting the Healthy Sexual Development of Foster Youth: Law and Practice

## **This training:**

- Complies with the SB 89 training requirements for caregivers, case workers, and legal professionals
- CLE credit may be available
- Describes foster youth rights to reproductive health care
- Addresses the most common questions and areas of confusion regarding confidentiality and privilege in this area
- Describes the duties and responsibilities of case workers, attorneys, and the court

## **Participants will:**

- Identify the rights of youth and nonminor dependents in foster care to sexual and reproductive health care and information;
- Explain the confidentiality laws and privileged information associated with foster youth and nonminor dependents' sensitive health information and records;
- Describe how the reasonable prudent parent standard applies to the rights of foster youth and nonminor dependents to receive sexual and reproductive health care;
- Explain how to document sensitive health information, including, but not limited to, sexual reproductive health issues, in a case plan;
- Describe the duties and responsibilities of the assigned case management worker and foster care provider in ensuring the foster youth and nonminor dependent can obtain sexual and reproductive health information;
- Demonstrate their role in engaging youth and nonminor dependents about healthy sexual development and sexual health;
- Access information about current contraception methods and how to select and provide appropriate referral resources and materials; and
- Apply concepts learned throughout the day in a practical manner.

## **Presented by:**

- The Los Angeles Reproductive Health Equity Project for Foster Youth (LA RHEP).
- LA RHEP brings together foster youth and the agencies that serve them to promote evidence-informed strategies that reduce unplanned pregnancies and remove institutional barriers to sexual and reproductive health education and services.

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