

Comprehensive Implementation Training

March 9-10, 2017 (register by Jan. 26)
Kahului (island of Maui), HI

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Join us

Join us for the Check & Connect Comprehensive Implementation Training on the island of Maui in Haului, Hawaii.

Training objectives

The Comprehensive Implementation Training provides participants with a thorough overview of Check & Connect and its background; information about how to prepare their site to implement Check & Connect; and the information, competencies, and skills needed to be an effective Check & Connect mentor.

Participants will learn and understand —

- The core components and elements of Check & Connect
- How Check & Connect was developed, its theoretical underpinnings, and its evidence base
- The eleven steps for Check & Connect preparation, implementation, and evaluation
- How to implement Check & Connect with fidelity
- The role of the Check & Connect coordinator
- The role and expectations of the Check & Connect mentor
- Check & Connect mentor competencies and skills

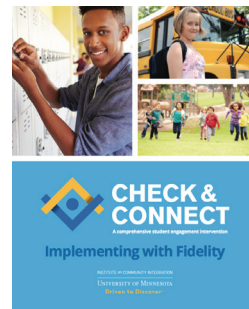
Cost

\$575 per participant (register by January 26, 2017)

Who should attend

Education administrators, lead staff (decision-making stakeholders), Check & Connect site coordinators, and Check & Connect mentors.

Training materials



Participants receive a copy of the Check & Connect manual, printed resource materials, and access to electronic implementation forms.

The Check & Connect implementation manual walks readers through the Check

& Connect implementation process, outlining the key components, describing the steps of implementation, and presenting the underlying theories and research, including the four types of student engagement (academic, behavioral, cognitive, and affective) and the importance of intervening both directly with students and indirectly through enhancing students' home and school contexts. Additionally, the manual provides guidance on options for implementing Check & Connect with fidelity to its principles and strategies, while also responding to local school and community contexts.

We'd like to thank the Hawaii State Department of Education for helping to host this training!

About Check & Connect

Check & Connect is an intervention designed to enhance student engagement at school and with learning for marginalized, disengaged students in grades K-12, through relationship building, problem solving and capacity building, and persistence. For information on Check & Connect and its evidence basis, visit checkandconnect.umn.edu.

Agenda

Training runs from 8:00am - 3:30pm both days. See agenda at checkandconnect.umn.edu. Continental breakfast and lunch provided both days. Training participants must be present from start to finish on each day of the training. Please plan your travel accordingly. Dress is casual.

Location

McKinley School for Adults, Maui Campus, 179 W. Kaahumanu Ave, Kahului, Hawaii 96732, less than 3 miles from Kahului Airport (OGG).

Travel and lodging

Participants are responsible for their own travel and lodging arrangements. We recommend searching for lodging that suits your needs. Nearby lodging we are aware of (no discounted room rate - inquire about shuttle options) include:

- [Courtyard Marriott Maui Kahului Airport](#), Kahului
- [Maui Coast Hotel](#), Kihei
- [Maui Beach Hotel](#), Kahului
- [Palms at Wailea Maui by Outrigger](#), Wailea (closest resort, 35 min drive from training site)

Register online

checkandconnect.umn.edu

Register online at checkandconnect.umn.edu (go to Training & Consultation). We accept payment by credit card or purchase order. Group registration is available if registering more than one person.

Paying by purchase order (PO)

- Make PO payable to *The Regents of the University of Minnesota*.
- Obtain PO number and billing contact information prior to registering (this is required in registration).
- If your organization is tax exempt, include your tax-exempt ID when registering and a copy of the exemption certificate with your materials.
- Email or fax registration confirmation with a PO (and tax exempt certificate, if applicable) to: Melissa Critchley, checkandconnect@umn.edu, 612-624-9344 (fax)
- *You will receive an invoice with payment instructions. Payment is due upon receipt of invoice.*

Special needs

Please indicate any special needs on your registration, including dietary restrictions. Training materials are available in alternate formats upon request.

Refund policy

If you cancel your registration on or before 10 business days prior to the first date of training, you will receive a refund of your payment minus a \$100 administrative fee (or you may substitute another person to attend without incurring any fees); otherwise you will not be refunded. We reserve the right to cancel this event if we do not meet our minimum of 20 registered participants by the registration deadline, in which case a full refund will be provided. We will notify any registered participants via email or phone within 2 business days following the registration deadline if this event is cancelled.

Register early as space is limited.

Questions?

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