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# Mentor Training for Adults who Work with Youth

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We specialize in assisting school districts, community colleges and business and industry partners in designing, implementing and monitoriing instructional and workforce development programs that prepare young people for life after high school.

Nicholas Rogers, President, has over 30 years experience in Education and Training and, during the last 20, has focused mainly on instructional systems that support and integrate academic achievement, Workforce Development and Employment Preparation.

A retired school district administrator, he understands deeply the perspectives of school-based vs. central office staff.; and, as a member of numerous boards of chambers of commerce, business and community organizations, he knows how to link these very different stakeholders in order to create and sustain collaborative programs.

#### **MENTOR TRAINING**

# FOR STAFF WORKING WITH AT-RISK YOUTH

NREd Consulting has developed and presented their motivational, engaging and extremely useful presentation which focuses on the importance and elements of mentoring at-risk youth, as well as on training the adults who need to connect with them.

Since all disconnected youth must develop trusting and productive relationships with their mentors in order to succeed, this training focuses on strategies that adult case managers, mentor/supervisors and co-workers can employ to appropriately engage, train and guide their mentees and give them positive experiences in the world of work.

Although Mentoring is a requirement for most if not all publicly-funded youth employment programs, there is no standardized definition or format for it. In most cases, workforce entities insist that

mentors provide orientations and ongoing monitoring, but prospective mentors rarely have the oppprtunity to be trained in the psycho-social and cultural elements involved when working with at-risk youth or to be provided with strategies for dealing with these issues in order to help mentees overcome barriers to success.

For more information or to schedule a training, please contact us at

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