



### Join the Fathers Corps Movement!

In partnership with Training at First 5, the Alameda County Fathers Corps (ACFC) is proud to announce the launch of **the Father-Friendly Provider Network (FFPN)**. The FFPN is a training series that will mirror the training calendar of the Fathers Corps Learning Community and will be open to all service providers. The focus will continue to be on how fathers/farther-figures support early childhood, how providers and programs can support and engage fathers, and the implementation of the Father Friendly Principles. FFPN participants will build their capacity to effectively engage fathers and father-figures through training, reflection, and networking with other providers and ACFC members; participants will also have a better understanding of strategies for implementing the Father-Friendly Principles. The FFPN is a co-ed learning community that will be celebrated and acknowledged with ACFC learning community members in June 2019. [Please click here to view a video highlighting the ACFC 2018 Celebration.](#) **FFPN members who attend at least seven of the ten trainings will receive an Alameda County Fathers Corps Father-Friendly Provider Specialist certificate.**

**The FFPN will launch on September 21, 2018  
12:00 pm – 3:30 pm at First 5 Alameda County  
1115 Atlantic Ave., Alameda**

This is an exciting time for the ACFC; we are expanding our work and building the capacity of all providers to provide father-friendly services to families in Alameda County and beyond. Please join us as we launch this new project.

Lunch is provided at all trainings

All Trainings: 12:00pm - 3:30 pm at First 5 Alameda County, 1115 Atlantic Ave., Alameda

| Date     | 2018 – 2019 Father-Friendly Provider Network   |
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| 9/21/18  | Strategies for Implementing the Father Friendly Principles (FFPN and Fathers Corps)                        |
| 10/30/18 | Understanding How Fathers Support Brain Development  |
| 11/27/18 | Engaging and Supporting Formerly Incarcerated Fathers  |
| 12/14/18 | Life Course Approach to Improving the Lives of Boys and Men of Color (FFPN and Fathers Corps)              |
| 1/8/19   | Navigating the Child Support System  |
| 1/25/19  | Offsite: Becoming Visible - LGBTQ Dads (FFPN and Fathers Corps)  |
| 2/26/19  | Navigating the Family Court System   |
| 3/26/19  | Understanding and Reflecting on How Personal Bias Affects Your Work With Families (FFPN and Fathers Corps) |
| 4/23/19  | Current Immigration Practices and the Impact on Early Childhood  |
| 5/21/19  | Social Media/ Technology Impact on Brain Development   |
| 6/21/19  | 6 Year Acknowledgement of Fathers Corps and FFPN Members and Celebration                                   |

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Please click the links below to learn more about the Fathers Corps

- [5-Year Report](#)
- [Father-Friendly Principles](#)
- [5-Year Video-short](#)
- [5-Year Video-extended](#)
- [Barriers to Father Engagement Report: Voices of Fathers and the Providers who Serve Them](#)