



## CWICE 8 – Part Training Series Certificate Program Frequently Asked Questions

Peel CAS' Child Welfare Immigration Centre of Excellence (CWICE) is a provincial service and training centre, recognized nationally for its leadership and innovation. In 2020, the CWICE 8–Part Training Series Certificate Program launched. The training series seeks to increase awareness and knowledge of the intersection of child welfare with unresolved immigration, settlement, integration, and border-related issues, in order to achieve equitable outcomes for children, youth, and families.

### 1. Can anyone attend the CWICE 8-Part Training Series?

The training was developed for child welfare sector professionals, and it is currently open for registrations from child welfare staff in organizations across Canada. It is recommended for Direct Service Child Welfare staff and managers.

### 2. How many training sessions are in the CWICE 8 – Part Training Series Certificate Program?

There are eight (8) modules delivered virtually over two (2) mornings from 9:30am to 1pm. The topics include:

- ◆ CWICE 101: Introduction of the Canadian Immigration System & Intersection with Child Welfare
- ◆ CWICE 102: Refugees Part 1: Asylum Seekers & Denied Claimants
- ◆ CWICE 103: Refugees Part 2: Unaccompanied and Separated Children
- ◆ CWICE 104: Humanitarian & Compassionate Grounds Applications for Permanent Residence
- ◆ CWICE 105: Refugees Part 3: GARs and Privately Sponsored Refugees
- ◆ CWICE 106: Placements Across Borders, Family Sponsorships & Economic Immigration Streams
- ◆ CWICE 107: Temporary and Unresolved Immigration Status
- ◆ CWICE 108: Creating & Ensuring Equitable Outcomes in Child Welfare

### 3. Where do I register for the modules?

Registrations are open through [Eventbrite](#).

### 4. Is there a cost to the training?

Yes, there is a cost per module – please see [Eventbrite](#) for updated pricing. There is no comparable Certificate Program currently available as the CWICE training series is unique in Canada.

For Agencies interested in registering more than 20 staff per module, please contact us directly for scheduling and invoicing at [cwice@peelcas.org](mailto:cwice@peelcas.org)

5. Do I have to take the modules in order?

Yes, the curriculum was designed to build upon the knowledge gained within previous modules.

Participants start with module 101 and continue the learning through the next modules (102, 103, 104 etc.) until successful completion of all eight (8) modules. Attendance at both sessions for each module is required for successful completion.

6. What are the prerequisites to register for the modules?

You need to complete the previous module to fulfill the prerequisites before you enroll in the next module.

7. Can I take the module that interests me most?

At this time, the modules are not offered as single courses. The curriculum was designed to build upon foundational knowledge and increase in specificity. Training participants need to complete the modules sequentially to fulfill the prerequisites before registering for the next module.

8. I took module 101 but I missed a day, can I take module 102?

Please arrange to register and complete the day you missed to fulfil the prerequisite and then enroll in module 102.

9. I took module 101 and 102, when can I take modules 103 to 108?

You can view the full training schedule for the upcoming year in [Eventbrite](#).

10. How can I obtain my certificate?

A certificate will be provided to you upon completion of all eight (8) modules.