



**The Nurturing Program for Parents and Their
Children with Special Needs and Health
Challenges© (SNHC)
3 Day Advanced Training**

Three Day Advanced Facilitator Training (Virtual)

Tuesday to Thursday- January 11, 12, 13, 2022 ~ 9 a.m. -4:00 p.m. EST

This is an advanced training. Participants must have completed a foundational training in Nurturing Parenting® in order to attend.

Goal: To enhance the well-being of children with special needs and health challenges and their families by empowering professionals to implement the SNHC Nurturing Program, and/or SNHC community based workshops and webinars. To support facilitators in using the Family's Guide to ASD and in being inclusive of families with children with special needs and health challenges in all programming.

Objectives:

1. Increase awareness of the conceptual basis of The Nurturing Program for Parents and Their Children with Special Needs and Health Challenges© and the SNHC Community Based Workshops and Webinars.
2. Recognize challenges faced by families parenting children with special needs and health challenges (including ASD)
3. Increase awareness of personal experiences and attitudes regarding health, healing, disabilities, grief and loss.
4. Enhance awareness, knowledge and skill development of topics included in SNHC program materials, workshops and webinars, and a Family's Guide to ASD.
5. Provide experience with planning, preparation and implementation of the adult and children's activities.

6. Understand the impact that caring has on the professional caregiver and promote self-nurturing skills.

Primary Trainer:

Michele Tryon MA, CCLS is a Nationally Recognized Trainer/Consultant with Nurturing Parenting Programs®, co-author of *The Nurturing Program for Parents and Their Children with Special Needs and Health Challenges*®, author of *A Family's Guide to Autism Spectrum Disorder*® and the *Nurturing Program for Parents and Their Children with Special Needs and Health Challenges*™ Workshops and Webinars. She has worked with Nurturing Parenting Programs® since 1987 and is a certified child life specialist, a parent educator, and founder of Michele Tryon Consulting, Virginia Beach, VA. (www.micheletryon.net)

Co-Trainer:

Carol Dolber McMurray, MSW, ACSW, is a Nationally Recognized Trainer/ Consultant with the Nurturing Parenting Programs® and an active Member & Coordinator of Virginia and Our Extended Nurturing Network. She has worked with and on behalf of children and families for over thirty-five years, particularly in the field of foster family care and adoption. Carol has conducted Nurturing Parenting Program® Trainings for over twenty-five years, provided workshops on Nurturing Parenting, the Community Based NPP, facilitated Nurturing Skills groups with adolescents, utilized Nurturing Parenting in In-Home Services and Foster/Resource/Adoption training, and helped organizations in the implementation of Nurturing Parenting to meet their community needs. Carol is Principal with Child & Family Development and Consultation Services (www.childfamilydevelopment.com) where she also serves as a Trainer and Life Book Consultant. In her work to promote a Nurturing family life and assist children and all their families affected by child maltreatment, she also provides workshops and seminars on Healthy Brain Development; Attachment, Trauma and Loss Issues; Communication and Problem-Solving; Facilitation/ Group and Family Dynamics; and Pre-Service and In-service Trainings with Foster/Resource/Adoptive Families.

Cost: \$325

In addition, each participant must purchase 3 manuals from Family Development Resources (Nurturingparenting.com) prior to the training. The SNHC Adult Facilitator Manual (HCAMP), The SNHC Children's Facilitator Manual (HCAMC) and The SNHC Parent Handbook (HCPHB). A cost of approximately \$65.

Registration Required at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nurturing-parenting-special-needs-and-health-challenges-advanced-training-tickets-165769231233>

Space is limited to 12 participants– register early.

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