

LAVORP Volunteer Facilitator Training

Short Agenda - Fall 2011

Tuesday, October 11 - 6:30 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. - Orientation

Welcome, Remarks and Introductions - Story Telling/Values - Training Overview
Victim-Offender Conference Process - Manual and DVD Review - Referral Sources and Confidentiality

Homework: No homework for Sunday, October 16

Homework: For Friday, October 21

- a. **Study** Sections 1, 2, 3, plus 5.03 to 5.03.03 & 5.04 to 5.04.03 & 5.30.03 to 5.30.07
- b. **Study** the DVD/Video on the complete Victim-Offender Conferencing process. Pay particular attention to the first phone call to offender and first phone call to victim (5.03 to 5.04.03) as you will be role playing them on Friday, 10/21 (Use **"Study Guide for Role Plays"** to reflect on DVD). **Guide is in the Manual.**
- c. Read the "Little Book of Restorative Justice" if you have not already done so

Sunday, October 16 - 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

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Friday, October 21 - 8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Morning - Discussion of VOC Process -Facilitator Functions - First Phone Call to Offender and Victim - Role Plays
Addressing the Harm/Restitution - Agreements

Afternoon - Victim Experience - Speaker - Juvenile Probation - Speaker

Homework: A. Review Section 4.
B. Study the DVD and Sections 5.05 to 5.05.07 (Offender Prep Meeting) & 5.07 to 5.07.07 (Victim Prep Meeting) in preparation for Role Plays tomorrow)

Saturday, October 22 - 8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Morning - Communication - Offender Prep Meeting - Role Play

Afternoon - Victim Prep Meeting - Role Play - Quick Thinking/Overcoming Objections

Homework: Review sections 3.10 to 3.17 and 2.12 to 2.13
Using DVD, study 5.08 to 5.13 in preparation for role play of victim-offender conference
Write two sentences using your own words:

- A sentence explaining Restorative Justice to a victim
- A sentence explaining Restorative Justice to an offender

Saturday, October 29 - 8:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Morning - Adolescent Experience - Speaker - Risks and Benefits of Victim-Offender Conferencing

Afternoon - Conference Role Plays - Realities of the Victim-Offender Conferencing Process - Post Mediation Responsibilities

Distribution of Cases - Evaluations and Certificates