

2026 NARA Annual Licensing Seminar Session Guide

September 14 - 16, 2026 | Palm Springs, CA

Advancing Golden Standards Through Trauma Responsive Kin Specific Licensing | Child Welfare
Assisted Living National Perspective | Adult Care
Balancing the Load: Strategies for Managing Your Caseload | Child Care, Child Welfare, & Adult Care
Beyond Compliance: Using Licensing Data to Strengthen CCDF Outcomes and Spot Longitudinal Trends | Child Care
Bridging the Gap: Practical Printables for Licensing Success | Child Care
Building Systems That Work for FCC (Virtual Session) | Child Care
Child Care Licensing and Workforce Registry in the Northern Mariana Islands | Child Care
Child Care Licensing Over Time: History, Research, and Regulatory Change (Virtual Session) | Child Care
Data-Informed Models for Licensing Workforce Retention and Professional Development
Designing What Works: Aligning Systems with Real Licensing Work | Child Care, Child Welfare, & Adult Care
Enhancing Child Safety Through Rigorous Inspector Training (Virtual Session) | Child Care
Fifteen Years of Progress: Supporting Healthy Weight through Licensing | Child Care
From "I Think" to "I Know": How Digital Compliance Tools Are Transforming Regulatory Confidence | Child Care & Child Welfare
From Compliance to Collaboration: Engaging Providers in Child Care Licensing | Child Care
From Noncompliance to Clarity: Improving Wisconsin's Child Care Finder (Virtual Session) | Child Care
How To Develop a Mature Organization | Child Care, Child Welfare, & Adult Care
Increase Clarity on Comprehensive Background Checks for CCDF Lead Agencies (Virtual Session) | Child Care
Interstate Background Checks: Progress, Gaps, and National Solutions | Child Care & Child Welfare
Motivational Interviewing | Child Care & Child Welfare
Navigating Complexity Together: Program Integrity and Compliance | Child Care
New York State's Gold Standard Professional Development Portfolio | Child Care
North Dakota: Advancing Toward a Fully Integrated Early Childhood Data System (Virtual Session) | Child Care
PA Navigate - Linking Patients to Community Resources | Adult Care



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Proactive Oversight: Building High-Reliability Systems in Human Care Regulation | Child Care, Child Welfare, & Adult Care
Progress on the Implementation of Kin-Specific Foster Home Approval Standards (Virtual Session) | Child Welfare
Public Trust by Design: Shaping the Next 50 Years
Raising Ratios, Raising Stakes: Strategic Planning for Workforce Sustainability | Child Care
Raising the Standard for Staff Safety in the Field | Child Care, Child Welfare, & Adult Care
Reasonable Regulation: Using Coaching Methods to Increase Compliance | Child Care
Redefining Licensing: Messaging, Partnerships, and a Nationwide Shift Toward Prevention | Child Care
Remembering the Child in Child Care Systems | Child Care
Simple Rules, Safe Kids: Right-Sized Child Care Regulations | Child Care
Small but Mighty: Using Microcenters to Increase Child Care Access (Virtual Session) | Child Care & Child Welfare
Smarter Regulation Through Behavioral Science | Child Care, Child Welfare, & Adult Care
Strengthening Collaboration Across Child Care Systems | Child Care
The Benchmark of Excellence in Intake, Investigations, and Enforcement | Child Care
The Hidden Burden of Child Care Licensing in Ohio | Child Care
The Rollout Playbook: Surviving (and Thriving) After Promulgation | Adult Care
Turning Compliance Into Practice: Making Documentation Meaningful | Child Care & Child Welfare

OPENING KEYNOTE

GLOBAL SPEAKER & BEST-SELLING AUTHOR

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THE STRENGTH OF SURRENDER:
LETTING GO TO LEAD FORWARD

