

FREE IHSS Caregiver Training

Act Fast, Limited Availability!

Pathways to Professionalization

for IHSS Workers in San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara Counties

Early Enrollment Begins in October 2025!

Learn specialized caregiving skills for assisting care recipients & to become a recognized care team member.

Alzheimer's Disease & Related Dementias (ADRD):

Learn to recognize the signs of Alzheimer's disease & manage related symptoms and behaviors, such as memory loss, sundowning, hallucinations & wandering.

Online Format: Self-paced, e-learning

Duration: 6 courses, approximately 15 hours

Available in: English, Spanish, Cantonese

Compensation: \$770 upon successful completion

Emergency & Disaster Readiness (EDR):

Learn caregiving skills specialized for assisting consumers with access and functional needs in preparing for, responding to, and recovering from climate-related and other emergencies.

Online Format: Self-paced, e-learning

Duration: 6 courses, approximately 15 hours

Available in: English, Spanish, Cantonese

Compensation: \$770 upon successful completion







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Training Benefits

- Gain new skills
- Reduce stress & depression
- Socialize with other caregivers
- Improve quality of care for consumers
- Learn online anytime & anywhere, at your convenience



Eligibility:

You must be a current IHSS caregiver living in either San Francisco, San Mateo, or Santa Clara County, with a care recipient who also resides in one of these counties.

ADRD: Caregivers must be caring for a consumer at least 50 years of age and showing signs of memory loss or cognitive decline.

EDR: Caregivers must live in an environmentally impacted neighborhood and CCA will verify using CalEnviroScreen.

Career Advancement Opportunities:

Graduates of these courses may be eligible for CCA-sponsored Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) training to prepare for CNA certification. Please note: the potential to earn up to a \$5/hour wage increase applies only when working in the CNA field and is not part of the IHSS pay rate.

Contact CCA for details!

Questions? Email Us: studentaffairs@advancecaregivers.org