



## Conference Breakout Session Request for Proposals

*Apply now to present at our  
annual conference!*

The 5th Annual WNY Family Engagement Conference will be taking place at the **Buffalo Marriott Niagara on February 26, 2025**, and we're inviting you to be a part of it! The theme for this year is **Reaching Parents and Caregivers!**

Once again, there will be three breakout tracts that participants will be able to choose from. The themes of each tract are ***mental health, disability, and adverse childhood experiences (ACES)***. We are seeking engaging speakers who can inspire, inform, and connect our participants with family engagement strategies and tools that they will be able to takeaway and implement in their work to support the mental health and well-being of parents.

We welcome you to submit a proposal to present a breakout session for one of the three tracts. Proposals will be accepted through **December 22nd, 2024 at 4:00pm**.

Please note that all sessions need to be:

- Applicable for all members of our target audience (education, mental health, and human services agency professionals)
- Be an information sharing opportunity (not a sales pitch or advertisement)

### Breakout Sessions

These sessions are a time for our participants to dig deeper along one of the themes of our breakout tracts; ***mental health, disability, and adverse childhood experiences (ACES)***. These sessions are 1 hour in duration and will be either after the morning keynote, or after lunch. With your proposal, please include how your proposal fits in with our theme of supporting parents and caregivers, which tract you feel your proposal fits best with, a name and description of your presentation, and any technology needs you believe you will have.

**[CLICK HERE TO SUBMIT A PROPOSAL!](#)**

If you have any questions, please send us an email at [info@cmcwny.org](mailto:info@cmcwny.org).