

Tacoma

# Training

## RESOURCE FAMILY TRAINING INSTITUTE

TRAINING FOR FOSTER PARENTS, ADOPTIVE PARENTS, AND KINSHIP CARE PROVIDERS

<http://fosterparent.dshs.wa.gov>

**PRESENTS:**

### Got Teens?

### Need Support & Resources?

**With Rick Butt, MSW**

Rick received his master of social work degree in 1999 and brings 20+ years of experience in Child Welfare both in Canada and the U.S. Rick is the Program Manager for Independent Living Skills, Transitional Living Skills/Responsible Living Skills Program and Passion to Action for the Department of Social & Health Services, Children's Administration.

This workshop will focus on increasing improved life outcomes for adolescents in foster care by highlighting the role, influences, and contributions of caregivers and social workers. Participants will also identify services, supports and strategies that support and enhance positive youth and young adult development.

- Empower your Teen as they move into Young Adulthood
- Skills to help your Teen achieve self sufficiency
- Identify Transitional Living services & resources for your Teen
- Discuss Positive Youth Development

**Thursday, January 13, 2011**  
**Tacoma DCFS Office**  
**1949 South State Street**  
**Tacoma, WA 98405**  
**Time: 10:00am – 2:00pm**

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**PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**  
**CONTACT FOR SPECIAL NEEDS 10 DAYS PRIOR**