Foundations of Gender Inclusive Camps

This 2.5-hour workshop is designed to establish basic understandings of gender diversity and approaches for applying them to the context of camps and similar programs. Through direct presentation, video clips of youth and others talking about gender, and group reflection and discussion, this workshop takes participants through a review of basics gender concepts and terminology. With this solid background in place, the session describes concrete methods for applying the lens of gender diversity to both day and residential camp settings.

The workshop is divided into two segments:

1. **Dimensions of Gender (75 minutes)**
   - Exploration of the current context related to evolving notions about gender
   - Presentation of key terminology and concepts
   - Reflection on personal beliefs and experiences
   - Perspectives from youth and caregivers

2. **Creating Gender Inclusive Camp: Practices in Action (60 minutes)**
   - Training that builds on understanding of basic concepts of gender and applies them to various camp settings
   - Introduction to *Framework for Gender Inclusive Camps* and related tools and resources
   - Discussion of strategies related to supporting transgender and other gender-expansive youth in camp settings
   - Approaches for responding to questions and concerns raised by your staff, community, and other stakeholders

Also included in this program of professional development is a set of articles, resources and tools for implementing various strategies in your work with youth and caregivers.

**Training Format**

*Foundations of Gender Inclusive Camps* is a live, interactive online training. These two components can be done in a single session or as separate pieces. They are not offered as standalone trainings.

**Pricing**

$850 for online video conference delivery

**To learn more**

Please contact us at training@genderspectrum.org to learn more, discuss how the training can be tuned to your specific context, or schedule a training. We look forward to partnering with you in this important work.

* If the proposed costs are a barrier to engaging in this work, we can discuss a sliding fee. While the prices for our services help support our organization, we never want cost to prevent organizations from doing this important and necessary work.