



**Ontario Association
for Family Mediation**

OPENNESS IN ADOPTION/KIN MEDIATION - REFRESHER SESSION

Wednesday, February 24th, 2021

9:00 am -12:00 pm

The workshop will be offered at **no charge** this year, many thanks to MCCSS. Registration is open to Child Protection Mediators who previously took the Openness Training course (2016 or 2017). If you would like to register, please contact Louise Vandebosch, Program Manager at director@cpmed.ca. Last day for registration is January 31, 2021.

OPENNESS IN ADOPTION/KIN MEDIATION TRAINING

Openness Training for Child Protection Mediators who have not previously taken the training. Cost is \$700 +HST. If you would like to register, please contact Louise Vandebosch, Program Manager at director@cpmed.ca. Last day for registration is January 31, 2021.

Many ADR agencies require their ADR practitioners to take this course, prior to receiving referrals in Openness.

5 Modules (see below)

**February 25, March 4, March 5,
March 10, March 11**

9:00 am-12:00 pm, offered online

**Trainers: Pat Convery, Maryanne
King and Beth McCarthy**

THIS 5 SESSION-CERTIFICATE TRAINING
WILL PROVIDE OAFM-CHILD PROTECTION
MEDIATORS WITH A BEST PRACTICE
MODEL FOR OPENNESS IN ADOPTION/KIN
MEDIATION

TOPICS COVERED:

- Overview of legal and clinical issues in Openness planning
- Checklist tools to assess and support effective planning
- Bringing voice of youth into planning
- Cultural considerations
- Working with birth family in the aftermath of a child protection proceeding
- Overview of skill/practice foundations

***RESOURCES WILL BE PROVIDED WITH
TRAINING.***