

Upcoming Mediation Training and Continuing Mediation Education Opportunities

This list of approved training programs is updated regularly when trainers or programs submit information regarding mediation training opportunities to the Office of Judicial Administration.

Please contact the person or organization identified in the "Contact Person" column for additional information.

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Course	Cost	Where	When	Contact Person
Navigating Child Support (1.2 CDRE Hours)	Free	Live Online	May 9, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Mediator Roundtable: Speaking with Children in ADR (1 CDRE Hour)		Live Online	May 15, 2025	Jennifer Berger (785) 233-7700 jenniferberger@jenniferbergerlaw.com
Strategic Use of Conferencing & Caucus for Mediation and DR (1 CDRE Hour)	HMA Member: \$30 Non-HMA Member: \$80 Full Time Student: \$15	Live Online	May 21, 2025 11:30am – 12:30pm	Heartland Dispute Resolution Association Janet Lhuillier (913) 956-7620 heartlanddisputeresolution@gmail.com www.heartlanddisputeresolutionassociation.org
Mind Games and Psychology in Legal Negotiations (3.5 CDRE Hours)		Live Online	May 29, 2025 12:00pm – 3:15pm	NBI, Inc. Tiffany DeBlare (855) 855-6240 Tiffany.deblare@nbi-sems.com www.nbi-sems.com
Parent/Adolescent Training (18 Primary Hours)		Building Peace 2518 Ridge Court, Unit 206 Lawrence, KS 66046	May 29-30, 2025 8:00am – 5:30am	Tonya Ricklefs ricklefstonya@gmail.com https://tonya-ricklefs.clientsecure.me
Drafting Parenting Plans after Mediation (1.2 CDRE)	Free	Live Online	May 30, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	MARCH, Inc. Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2714 dkuhlman@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org

A Training Workshop on Mediating Civil Cases (24.5 Primary Hours)	Regular Rate \$1100 non-profit/government/student Rate \$900	UMKC Law School 500 E 52 nd St Kansas City, MO 64110	June 2-4, 2025 Day 1: 9:00am – 4:30pm Day 2: 8:30am – 5:00pm	University of Missouri Kansas City-School of Law CLE Jacey Johnson (816) 235-1648 jebbhx@umkc.edu www.law.umkc.edu/cle
Conciliation Training (8 CDRE Hours)	\$275	Live Online	June 6, 2025 8:30am-4:40pm	ADR: A Step Forward Ronnie Beach (913) 403-6000 Ronniebeach2@gmail.com
Core Mediation Training (18 Primary Hours)	\$450	Live Online	June 12-13, 2025 8:00am – 5:00pm	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Mediator Roundtable: Cell Phone Provisions in Agreements (1 CDRE Hour)		Live Online	June 19, 2025	Jennifer Berger (785) 233-7700 jenniferberger@jenniferbergerlaw.com
Mentor Mediator Roundtable (for approved Mentor Mediators only) (1 CDRE Hour)		Live Online	June 25, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Office of Judicial Administration Amanda Jacobsen (785) 296-2256 https://kscourts.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/VKwpOLu7S2e7SgWu_QX4cg
Mediation 2025: What You Must Know (7 CDRE Hours)		Live Online	June 26, 2025 10:00am – 5:00pm	NBI, Inc Elizabeth Zenner (855) 855-6240 Elizabeth.zenner@nbi-sems.com www.nbi-sems.com
Understanding Unique Legal Issues for LGBTQ+ Couples and Families (1.2 CDRE Hours)	Free	Live Online	June 27, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org

Domestic Mediation Training (27 Primary Hours)	\$550	Live Online	July 9-11, 2025 8:00am – 5:00pm	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Core Mediation Primary Training: Practical Skills for Managing Interpersonal Conflict (28.8 Primary Hours)	\$575 – registered by June 20, 2025 \$625 – registered after June 20, 2025	Live Online	July 9, 11, 16, 18, 21, 23, 2025 8:30am-1:00pm	KIPCOR Gretchen Schrag (316) 284-5217 www.kipcor.org
Understanding Conflict Dynamics for Effective Mediators (1.2 CDRE Hours)	Free	Live Online	July 25, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Mediator Roundtable: Drafting an Agreement (1 CDRE Hour)		Live Online	August 21, 2025	Jennifer Berger (785) 233-7700 jenniferberger@jenniferbergerlaw.com
The Role of Emotional Intelligence in Mediation (1.2 CDRE Hours)	Free	Live Online	September 12, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Mediator Roundtable: Holiday, Vacation and Special Provisions in Agreements (1 CDRE Hour)		Live Online	September 18, 2025	Jennifer Berger (785) 233-7700 jenniferberger@jenniferbergerlaw.com
Mentor Mediator Roundtable (for approved Mentor Mediators only) (1 CDRE Hour)		Live Online	September 24, 2025 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Office of Judicial Administration Amanda Jacobsen (785) 296-2256 https://kscourts.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/srYwEGrTRZSUy7ZCZcGlyQ

Core Mediation Training (18 Primary Hours)	\$450	Live Online	September 25-26, 2025 <i>8:00am – 5:00pm</i>	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Understanding the Program and Helping Clients Use the Resources (1.2 CDRE Hours)	Free	Live Online	October 11, 2025 <i>12:00pm – 1:00pm</i>	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org
Conciliation Training (8 CDRE Hours)	\$275	Live Online	October 24, 2025 <i>8:30am-4:40pm</i>	ADR: A Step Forward Ronnie Beach (913) 403-6000 Ronniebeach2@gmail.com
Domestic Mediation Training (27 Primary Hours)	\$550	Live Online	October 29-31, 2025 <i>8:00am – 5:00pm</i>	MARCH Inc Dawn Kuhlman (816) 708-2715 education@marchmediation.org www.marchmediation.org

Other States:

Nebraska Mediation Center Association
877-342-2004 (toll free)
www.nemediation.org

Missouri Mediation Association
P.O. Box 67
Liberty, MO 64069

CONTINUING MEDIATION EDUCATION:

There have been a number of complaints from rural mediators that they cannot easily obtain CME credits. The Council received approval from OJA to implement the following policy for allowing credit towards completion of the 6 hour CME requirement. The Dispute Resolution Coordinator will be given discretion in approving any of the following:

DISCUSSION GROUP: Approved mediators can receive up to half their CME credit (3 hours) through participation in discussion group meetings which are approved by the Office of Dispute Resolution. The purpose of a discussion group is to review problems which have developed in mediations. Each discussion group must be made up of three or more approved mediators who have completed a mediation since their last participation in a discussion group. One of the participating mediators can be designated to gain approval for the CME. Each participant is required to submit a very short summary of the discussion. One hour of discussion group participation will equal one hour of CME credit.

VIDEOTAPE: Approved mediators can receive up to half their CME credit (3 hours) by participating in a videotape mediation presentation. The videotapes must

be approved in advance by the Dispute Resolution Coordinator. An approved videotape presentation will consist of an approved videotape, a discussion of the videotape by three or more approved mediators and distribution of any written materials to all participating mediators. Each participant is required to submit a very short summary of the discussion.

PRESENTATION: Approved mediators can receive up to one hour of CME credit for making a one hour or more presentation to a professional organization on how mediation works. The presenting mediator must submit verification of the presentation which can include a meeting agenda or letter from the organization. A professional organization is defined as one which has a good chance of applying the information on mediation within their organization. All trains approved for CME by the Office of Dispute Resolution will be eligible.