

PACER Parent Leadership Training

Using your personal story as a catalyst for change

Learn to tell your personal story and influence meaningful change in school, community, and statewide procedures and policy for students with disabilities and mental health needs in Minnesota.

We invite Minnesota parents of children and youth with disabilities and mental health needs to attend as many of this year's training sessions as you can, based on your availability and the topics that interest you most.



Scan for for session descriptions, presenter information and bios, and to register

Training sessions

*All sessions are **free** and will be facilitated online via Zoom*

Minnesota history in progress: Parents leading for change in our schools and institutions

Tuesday, February 18, 2025 • 4 - 6 p.m.

Intersectionality and parent leadership

Thursday, February 20, 2025 • 4 - 6 p.m.

Special Education Advisory Councils: Your superpower connection to district-level advocacy

Tuesday, February 25, 2025 • 4 - 6 p.m.

Children's mental health: Leadership for change in systems of care

Thursday, February 27, 2025 • 4 - 6 p.m.

Telling your story to advocate for systems change

Tuesday, March 4, 2025 • 4 - 6 p.m.

Capstone experience

PACER's Day at the Capitol

Thursday, March 6, 2025 • **Location:** Minnesota State Capitol

PACER's Parent Leadership Training is not a requirement to attend Day at the Capitol.