

## The Annual Spring Teachers of the Incarcerated Workshop Series

*Sponsored by the Mid-West & West RAENs*

### NIC Live Satellite Broadcast

3/16 @ WXXI - Rochester &  
Erie #1 BOCES - Buffalo  
12pm-3pm

Broadcast topic: "Community Supervision: Using a strength-based, family-focused approach."  
Lunch provided.

### Dr. Cal Crow

#### Destination Labor Market Entry: Session 2

4/26 @ Keuka College - Keuka Park  
9:00am-4:00pm

Workshop topics will include:  
Cognitive and affective learning taxonomies,  
Communication skills that improve student learning, motivation and employability and much more! Lunch provided.

#### Bringing Your Best Self to Work & ESOL for Incarcerated Settings

5/6 @ Days Inn - Batavia  
9:00am-4:00pm

Learn how stress can affect your productivity at work and how better time management skills can improve your overall performance. (AM session)  
ESOL teaching and learning in correctional facilities, working with lower level ESOL students - for literacy and language proficiency and facilitating multi-level classes. (PM Session)  
Lunch provided.

#### Mental Health First Aid

5/25 @ Location TBA

Mental Health First Aid is the initial response to a mental health crisis, or to the mild, moderate or severe symptoms of many common mental health disorders. This training will focus specifically on depression and anxiety disorders.

**\$135/person, materials and lunch provided.**

## Additional Professional Development Opportunities

### BEST Plus

3/16 9:00am-4:00pm @  
WFL BOCES - Canandaigua

Become a certified BEST Plus administrator. Practice administering both the print and computer-based versions of the test, and familiarize yourself with the scoring rubric. You will also receive a test administrator guide and practice CDs. Lunch provided. **\$20 for materials.**

### Workplace Essential Skills

3/21 9:30am-12:30pm @  
Monroe 1 BOCES Professional Development Center  
East Rochester

Workplace Essential Skills uses video, print materials, and the internet to help learners find a new job, train for a better job, or be more successful on the job. You may take this half-day training as an overview of WES; or, if you attended this year's GED Connection training, you can use it as follow-up for incorporating WES into your program as approved by NYSED.

### Crossroads Café

4/14 9:30am-3:30pm @  
Finger Lakes Community College - Canandaigua

Crossroads Café is a video-based program for teaching ESOL. This series helps students build English language skills and better understand U.S. culture. Included are the requirements for NYSED approved programs to collect EPE for Crossroads Café delivery in a traditional, distance-learning, or combined setting. Lunch provided.

### ESOL Teacher Day

5/7 (Saturday) @ Location TBA

A full day of training made up of workshop sessions that will address innovative and practical classroom techniques. Training topics will include: Effective pedagogical approaches for adult ESOL learners, Citizenship updates, Total Physical Response & Storytelling, Transitioning ESOL students to post secondary education, and BEST Plus follow-up/score norming. Come collaborate with your colleagues and help create a regional network of resources! Lunch provided.

**Registration required! Please call Bree Spencer at 585-258-0290 or visit [wxxi.org/adulted](http://wxxi.org/adulted) to register.**

**Check out our  
website for more  
information!**

For full training  
descriptions, complete  
events calendar, online  
registration and directions,  
visit the Mid-West RAEN  
website:

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To register contact:

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**We look forward to seeing  
you soon!**

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