Child Serving Workforce Views, Attitudes, and Images of Same Sex Families Research Project

Seeking Professionals/Paraprofessionals who work with Children and their Families Research Participants

Interview Topics Include:

- Demographic Information
- Your views and attitudes about same sex families
- Staff attitude and behavior towards same sex families
- Support offered to you through your organization
- How working with same sex families is similar to/different from working with traditional heterosexual families
- How competent are you to work with same sex families
- Specific training needs you and your coworkers have for working with this population
- Concerns you have about the children and family services in your state

Participants must be:

- A professional or paraprofessional who works with children and their families
- Must have been an employee of an agency whose mission is to help children and their families for at least 1 year
- Social Worker, Therapist, CASA, Guardian Ad Litem, Attorney, Judge, Police Officer, Nurse, Doctor, Teacher, Teacher’s aide, Counselor, Day Care Employee, Child Advocate, CSO, Volunteer
- Time commitment of 1 hour to complete the online survey and telephone interview

If interested in participating in this study, contact Lisa Hines, Ph.D. Principal Investigator and Faculty member at Wichita State University 316.978.3278 or Lisa.Hines@Wichita.edu

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