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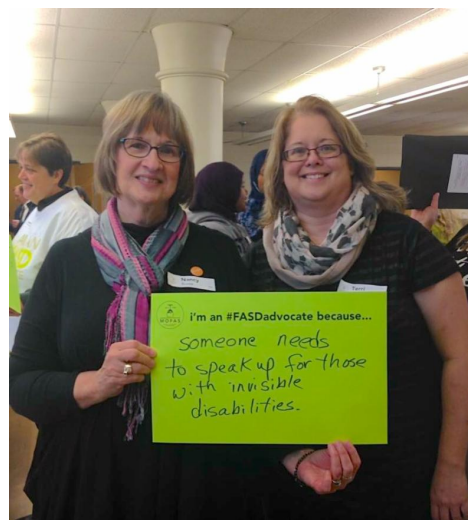
Family Voices of Minnesota is offering a **strengths-based Family Leadership Training** designed for parents and caregivers of children with special healthcare needs and disabilities.

Participants will complete a [CliftonStrengths](#) assessment and have access to individual coaching with a Gallup-certified strengths coach.

Topics covered in the curriculum include

- A History of Disability in MN
- Family-Centered Care
- Advocacy and Public Policy
- Parent-Professional Partnerships
- Understanding State Agencies

Each monthly training session will be facilitated by Family Voices of MN staff, and nationally recognized experts will be presenting information on each topic.



Where?

Monthly trainings will be **virtual using video-based conferencing**.

The webinar sessions will be 90 minutes each and other work will be completed independently.

When?

This training will be offered virtually on a monthly basis from **October 2019 through May 2020** (no December session).

Specific meeting dates and times will be set once the cohort is established. We will work to meeting times monthly that will work for the group.

Requirements?

Participants will need

- Internet access
- Computer, tablet, or smartphone

Participants must have completed the pre-requisite **CONNECTED Volunteer Support Parent Training**.

Total monthly time commitment of 4 - 5 hours

- 90 minute training session
- 1 - 2 hours prep and homework
- 1 hour call with Family Voices of MN staff mentor

REGISTER

Register by emailing tricia@familyvoicesmn.org.

For questions and additional information, please email or call Tricia Brisbane 763-315-4185.

Deadline for registration for the FVMN Family Leadership Institute is **Wednesday, September 25th 2019**.