



For the members of the MN ACE  
Interface Presenter Network



November 2021

## Have you joined the Presenter Network on Slack yet?

A few months ago, we launched a virtual space for cross-network collaboration for ACE Interface Presenters on Slack.

When you join, you can connect with others across our statewide presenter network in a variety of ways. There are "channels" for finding co-presenters and presentation opportunities, for sharing announcements and resources related to NEAR sciences, and for engaging in dialogue about what implementing NEAR science research looks like in different fields from social work to corrections to schools.

[Join us on Slack by clicking here.](#)

*Anyone who joins in the next week using the link above is automatically signed up for a chance to win a \$20 gift card.*

In case you missed it, a recording is now available of our Slack 101 training. [Click here](#) to watch the recording and learn more about how Slack works.

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## Presenter Network Survey

We are gathering input from the Presenter Network to inform the future direction and focus of our community capacity-building efforts. **Please take a few moments to complete this short survey** to ensure that this initiative continues to be as useful as possible for your Self-Healing Communities efforts and other community healing efforts across the state.

Please complete the survey by Monday, December 6th.

[Take the Survey](#)

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## Announcement: Updated Presenter Expectations

After piloting offering Virtual ACE Interface presentations for a year, FamilyWise Services is going to relax requirements for virtual presentations for the presenter network:

### Updates:

- Presenters no longer need to opt in if they want to offer virtual presentations
- Presenters no longer need a certified presenter for Virtual Presentations; instead, presenter teams for Virtual Presentations can now include 2+ presenter candidates who are working towards completing certification

### Refreshers:

- Find the current certification requirements and paperwork [here](#)
- Find the requirements and paperwork you need to submit to FamilyWise each time you present [here](#)

### Helpful Reminders:

- If you need support preparing for an in-person or virtual presentation, please reach out to your [FamilyWise regional staff person](#) for planning and/or presentation support.
- If offering a virtual presentation, keep in mind that it is helpful to have someone dedicated to support technology during the presentation; check out the [sample Virtual Presentation Agenda](#) for guidance on what tech support could entail

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### Coming Soon: Remembering Resilience Podcast Series!

We are excited to share that new podcasts are coming soon from the Remembering Resilience podcast series! New podcasts will center on Native American resilience through and beyond trauma.

If you haven't already, check out the first season of podcasts on the [Remembering Resilience website](#).

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*MCCC merged with FamilyWise Services in July 2020. FamilyWise Services is now the license holder of the ACE Interface Curriculum. If you have any questions about the merger, please contact your regional [FamilyWise Services staff person](#).*

