Foundations in Public Service Leadership Program

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 24, 2021

As innovation, collaboration and delivering results are more important than ever, mid-career professionals must develop these leadership attributes to ensure their teams can achieve their missions. A strong leadership foundation is critical to be able to assume greater responsibility for leading others, managing complex projects and working across boundaries.

The Foundations in Public Service Leadership Program develops the skills you need to effectively influence others, lead teams and drive change within your agency. Aligned to the four core tenets of the Partnership’s Public Service Leadership Model—self-awareness, engaging others, leading change and achieving results—you will learn to enhance your own leadership style, improve your communication skills and understand how to successfully lead others to achieve outcomes and goals. By the end of the program, you will be able to more effectively influence others, manage and lead change, and make decisions that positively impact your team, agency and customers.

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2021 PROGRAM DATES

- Program Orientation and Kick-Off
  June 14, 2021
- SESSION 1: Understanding Yourself
  June 21, 2021
- SESSION 2: Recognizing Your Impact
  July 12, 2021
- SESSION 3: Engaging Employees
  August 2, 2021
- SESSION 4: Cultivating Your Team Culture
  August 23, 2021
- SESSION 5: Responding to Change
  September 13, 2021
- SESSION 6: Creating the Change
  October 4, 2021
- SESSION 7: Making Decisions
  October 25, 2021
- SESSION 8: Navigating the System
  November 15, 2021
- SESSION 9: Synthesis and Celebration
  December 6, 2021
Tuition is $4,500 and includes:

- All coaching and facilitation
- Course materials (e.g., videos, articles)
- Assessments, one-on-one coaching and individualized development planning
- Online collaboration tools
- Access to the Partnership’s resources, expertise and networks
- Invitations to ongoing activities

Who should apply

The Foundations in Public Service Leadership program is designed for leaders of teams, new supervisors, and technical experts who lead projects (typically GS-12 to GS-13, but could include GS-11 and GS-14 employees on a case-by-case basis).

Location

All sessions will be virtual.

Time commitment

The classroom sessions, combined with pre-work between sessions and one-on-one coaching, total 40 hours of coursework. You are expected to prepare for and attend every session. Prior to applying to the program, please review the program schedule and confirm your availability for the nine half-day virtual sessions. In addition to the nine half-day sessions, you must attend a mandatory orientation session on June 14 from 1-2 p.m. ET. All other sessions will take place from 1-5 p.m. ET.

For more information

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