

Application:

Certificate in Parent Education



*The
Alfred Adler Institute*

- APABC Since 1973 -

**Adlerian Psychology Association of BC
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Private Career Training Institutions Agency, Registration #3558 (Province of British Columbia)

Program:

The Certificate program in Parent Education provides the necessary training for Parenting Facilitators to lead Adlerian recognized Parenting Programs. The training will provide participants with the necessary understandings and practical skills required to effectively lead parenting programs. The program is designed to ensure a high quality of facilitation for the variety of parent populations served within this diverse society.

Prerequisites:

- The applicant is a member in good standing of the Adlerian Psychology Association of British Columbia (APABC);
- The applicant has participated in an approved Adlerian Parenting program such as the STEP or Positive Discipline Programs;
- Provide a recent Criminal Record Check;
- Attend an in-person interview with the Program Director or designate.

Training Components:

- Introduction to Adlerian Psychology (2 credits)
- Introduction to Basic Principles of Adlerian Parenting (0.5 credit)
- Group Dynamics/Group Facilitation Skills (0.5 credit)
- Basic skills in Adult Education (0.5 credit)
- Planning / Co-leading a parenting program with a Certified Parenting Facilitator (18 hours) (1.5 credits)

Total Required Credits = 5

(each credit = 12 hours of class time)

Normally candidates will complete the Certificate within 6 months.

Assessment: Courses are assessed entirely on a pass/fail basis with competency feedback.

Program Director: James Skinner, M.Ed.

A. Applicant Information

(Block Letters):

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Last Name: _____

(previous name –if applicable-) _____

Address (Street): _____

City: _____ Province/State: _____

Postal Code / Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ email: _____

(Secondary email: _____)

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

B. Program Information :

(Note: The Language of instruction is English; this is a site-based training program leading to a Certificate in Parent Education)

Name of Program student is enrolling in: _____

Commencement date _____ Completion date _____
(approximate) (approximate)

-candidates normally complete this 60 hour Program within 6 months-

C. Admission Requirements

1. APABC Member in Good Standing? (please circle): Yes No

2. A recent criminal record check

3. Participation on an approved STEP Parent group

4. Attend an in-person interview with the Program Director.

I declare that I have met the admission requirements of The Alfred Adler Institute:

_____ (sign) _____ (date)

Appendix A

Our Mission...

The *Alfred Adler Institute* is the training and certification division of the *Adlerian Psychology Association of British Columbia* (APABC), registered under the BC Society Act. The Institute's mandate is to promote Dr. Alfred Adler's (1870-1937) compassionate, pragmatic, and socially informed approach to mental health treatment and prevention.

Famously, Dr. Alfred Adler, along with Dr. Sigmund Freud and Dr. Carl G. Jung, was one of the three classic founding figures of the practices of counselling and psychotherapy. Adler's theory and methods have proliferated over the past 100 years, influencing thousands of professionals around the world. Since the early 1970s, Vancouver, BC has been renowned as a centre for Adlerian based practice. APABC's training programs have attracted students from across the country and around the world.

The Institute provides quality educational programs and clinical services to the public based on Adler's holistic model of human psychology and community. For nearly 40 years, APABC has promoted community and professional training opportunities in parent education and counselling psychology in Vancouver and elsewhere in British Columbia. The *Alfred Adler Institute's* programs are delivered by an internationally known Adlerian faculty and other leading professionals.

The Institute's offices are housed at *The Adler Centre*, located on Vancouver's West Broadway corridor. The Centre offers low cost counselling and clinical services for individuals, families, couples and groups. On-site clinical supervision is also available for Adlerian practitioners and interns. The Centre hosts accessible parent education workshops throughout the year.

The Alfred Adler Institute is a values based organization and adheres to the following principles:

- We value diversity and social equality and are committed to respecting differences based on sex, sexuality, religion, culture, ethnicity, material background and age;
- We encourage scholarly excellence and the mentoring of students – graduates who will provide the highest standards of ethics and integrity in the provisioning of educational and clinical services to the public;
- We encourage the development of self-reflexive practitioners who possess in-depth self-knowledge, compassion, empathy, humbleness, a service orientation, and social interest;
- We are committed to both prevention and treatment consistent with Alfred Adler's holistic philosophy.

The Adlerian Psychology Association of British Columbia
(APABC) is a member affiliate of:
North American Society for Adlerian Psychology (NASAP); and
The International Association for Individual Psychology (IAIP).

Appendix B

In accordance with the Province's PCTIA By-Laws J(ii), I authorize *The Alfred Adler Institute* to Collect and Retain Personal Information as it pertains to the Institute's training programs (under the Province of British Columbia's *Personal Information and Protection of Privacy Act*):

Signature: _____

Please Note: APABC and *The Alfred Adler Institute* does not sell or divulge any personal information to third parties.