

THE RECONNECTION PROGRAMS AT NORTH STAR

The Reconnection Programs offer five fun, informative and supportive workshops for previously incarcerated individuals, parents and their families at the North Star Neighborhood Reentry Resource Center, 1834 East 55th Street in Cleveland, 216.881.5440

- Parenthood Development: Our parenting program provide fathers, mothers and other parenting figures (aunts, uncles, grandparents, adult mentors) with information and support in their quest to enhance their parenting abilities. The group sessions include the sharing of researched materials on the subjects of: ages and stages of childhood development, family communications, male/female relations and punishment vs. discipline.
 - o Facilitator: Muqit Sabur, Center for Fatherhood and Family Dynamics
 - The 12 session program will meet weekly, Thursdays 4-6pm. New participants are welcome to join the group at any time. **Beginning July 11th**
- Child Support Navigation: This program helps families navigate the child support system. The workshop delivers information and practical application on paternity, modification of child support orders, waiver and compromise of arrearages and navigation of the child support process. The program will also help participants navigate the process of establishing parental rights for non-custodial fathers and mothers.
 - o Facilitator: Darella Motley, Key Source Pro Se Consulting and Training
 - o This program is offered once a month on the first Wednesday, 4-6pm. Beginning July 10th
- Money Management: This fun and engaging program for individuals and family members addresses: attitudes toward money, how to increase credit scores, types of predatory lending, saving money on any income, plugging money leaks, and more.
 - o Facilitator: Gwen Riase, US Wealth School
 - The program is offered once a month on the second Weds, 4-6pm. Beginning July 17th
- PATTHS (Parents are Teaching and Talking about Healthy Sexuality): The workshop empowers parents to speak to their children honestly and openly about sexuality and reproduction and to role model responsible and healthy behaviors for their children.
 - o Reverend Dr Brian A Moore, Passages, Inc.
 - The program is offered once a month on the third Wednesday, 4-6pm. Beginning July 24th
- Better Together: This program is for co-parenting partners and teaches conflict-resolution, relationship and communication skills. The program provides parents and parenting figures a variety of shared experiences and opportunities to interact with each other while participating in creative, recreational activities.
 - o Muqit Sabur and Phyllis Quarles, Center for Fatherhood and Family Dynamics
 - o The program is offered once a month on the fourth Weds, 4-6pm. Beginning July 31st

The Reconnection Programs at North Star are a program of the Healthy Fathering Collaborative <u>neofathering.net</u>. info@neofathering.net . 216.245.7842