FOCUS GROUP WORK PLAN FOR 2019

Name of Focus Group: Divorce & Co-Parenting Education
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1. Do you wish to have a time allocated for your focus group during the next NCFR Annual Conference? Yes_____ No_____

2. If yes, please list or attach the tentative agenda.
   Review of 2019 Activities and Accomplishments; progress on program discussion; reports of current research on educational programs; informational presentation to be determined.

3. Please list 2019 Focus Group Goals/Projects/Aspirations.
   a. Work to increase membership and communication among us.
   b. Increase sharing of resources among members
   c. Plan topics for future meetings.
   d. Establish a process for working on identifying the current state of the art in design, delivery and evaluation of programs.
   e. Determine if the group has interest and resources to develop standards to propose for policy makers considering establishment of parenting education programs.

4. Please identify any opportunities, suggestions or concerns regarding the role of this Focus Group in furthering NCFR’s inclusion and diversity initiatives.
   a. The group discussed this topic at length in the 2018 meeting, and identified our lack of information about the involvement of under-represented groups in planning, delivering, evaluating, or as participants in divorce and co-parenting education.
   b. The group noted the importance of raising awareness at every opportunity of the need to address inclusivity in every forum in which members participate, including designing and evaluating curricula.
5. Please list areas where you would like assistance from NCFR staff.
   None noted.

6. Are there any other concerns or questions have come from the 2018 Focus Group Annual Meeting?
   ____ No

Attach your 2018 annual meeting minutes to this form and return by December 1, 2016. Send to: Bethany Cox, NCFR member relations manager, at bethanycox@ncfr.org.