



STARTUp-Alaska Webinars

STARTUp-Alaska webinars target people with disabilities and providers interested in self employment. The 9-part series focuses on customizing self employment and is part of a larger training and technical assistance program.

Webinar Dates:

February 21, 2008

March 20, 2008

April 10, 2008

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<http://health.hss.state.ak.us/gcdse/projects/startup.html>

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Session VI: Customizing Self Employment: Determining the Specific Business Concept

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1-2:30 p.m. AK time, April 10, 2008

Session VI: Determining the Specific Business Concept

This session will continue the process to customize self-employment outcomes for potential business owners with disabilities. The previous two sessions provided the PBO with an analysis of the two (or more) alternative concepts developed in the Business Concept Plan. The research results are provided to the PBO in a brief meeting format and a joint decision is reached to determine the specific concept to be utilized in the business start up. We will discuss the format of this meeting as well as strategies to resolve any dispute between the PBO and the Business Support Team.

Presenter: Michael Callahan, Employment for All

Mr. Callahan works with organizations, families, and agencies on customized employment, transition, self-employment, community life opportunities, systematic instruction and self directed services. He has worked on numerous federal, state and local initiatives to blend/braid resources, implement customized employment, and increase self determination.

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