

CASTELLINO APPROVED WOMB SURROUND FACILITATORS – REQUIREMENTS 8/8/21

Womb surround in-person or on zoom count for approval ONLY IF 4 PARTICIPANTS OR MORE. (The only exception is for online womb surrounds you are offering if 4 people sign up and one has to cancel at the last moment so there is no time to fill the space).

3 DIFFERENT OPTIONS:

- Those who have completed assisting a Castellino Foundation Training
- T15 Assistants who have assisted part of a Castellino Foundation Training
- Those who have not participated as an assistant in a Castellino Foundation Training

THERE ARE 3 NEW REQUIREMENTS

1) **Solo womb surrounds.** The reason is to demonstrate the skill of leading a WS on your own with support of the Castellino supervision structure.

2) **Group Supervision.** The reason for requiring group supervision is because it has proved an invaluable tool for those who have been participating and builds the ability to work in cooperative teams.

3) You must have **malpractice insurance**, also called 'E&O' in the US (Errors and Omissions) and regular 'slip and fall' insurance for injury on the premises. In the USA this is available from Hands on Trade <http://www.handsontrade.com> and also through other professional organizations.

Required of everyone applying to become a approved WS Facilitator

- 1) Sponsored by a approved womb surround supervisor who must give final approval after all requirements are met.
- 2) Graduate from the Castellino Foundation Training. Attended 4 womb surrounds, completed all homework, completed payment and attended all modules.
- 3) Individual or group supervision after each co-facilitated or solo womb surrounds offered for approval. When you are co-facilitating with a approved womb surround facilitator that is a supervisor, supervision will be part of this. Solo womb surrounds and womb surrounds co-facilitated with someone who is not a WS supervisor would require supervision afterwards with a womb surround supervisor to be 'counted' toward your requirements.
- 4) Two group supervision series with a womb surround supervisor taken AFTER completion of the training.
- 5) Be a registered Craniosacral therapist (RCST, BCST), a Board-Certified Polarity Practitioner (BCPP), a Somatic Experience Practitioner or the equivalent in somatic training and experience.
- 6) Within the last three years before completing requirements and asking to be approved, take, assist or co-facilitate a WS with a trainer, a supervisor or assist or attend a Castellino Foundation Training module.
- 7) Approval of your womb surround supervisor.

Highly recommended:

- 1) Regular peer supervision with another trainee(s)/graduate(s).

Required of those who have assisted a complete Foundation Training

- 1) Take 4 womb surrounds, at least one with a different trainer than your sponsor.
- 2) Assist 4 womb surrounds with approved womb surround facilitators.
- 3) Offer a total of 8 womb surrounds, at least two co-facilitated with your sponsor and 1 solo. At least 4 of these WSs will need to be in person.
 - a. The sponsor will decide how many WSs to attend and assist before co-facilitating. Co-facilitators are called facilitators-in-training before they are approved.
 - b. Offer one solo womb surround. It is required you have a qualified assistant-graduate or near graduate of a Castellino Foundation Training or you have a supervisor on call.

Required of those who have assisted PART of a Castellino Foundation Training (T14,15)

- 1) Take 5 womb surrounds, at least one with a different trainer than your sponsor.
- 2) Assist 6 womb surrounds with approved womb surround facilitator.
- 3) Offer a total of 9 womb surrounds, at least two co-facilitated with your sponsor and 1 solo. At least 4 of these WSs will need to be in person.
 - a. The sponsor will decide how many WSs to attend and assist before co-facilitating. Co-facilitators are called facilitators-in-training before they are approved.
 - b. Offer one solo womb surround. It is required you have a qualified assistant-graduate or near graduate of a Castellino Foundation Training or you have a supervisor on call.
 - c. For someone who has already offered many womb surrounds, womb surrounds offered can be substituted for womb surrounds taken or assisted on a one-to-one basis.

Required of those who have NOT assisted a Castellino Foundation Training

- 1) Take 6 womb surrounds, at least one with a different trainer than your sponsor.
- 2) Assist 8 womb surrounds with approved womb surround facilitator.
- 3) Offer a total of 10 womb surrounds, at least two co-facilitated with your sponsor and 1 solo. At least 4 of these WSs will need to be in person.
 - a. The sponsor will decide how many WSs to attend and assist before co-facilitating. Co-facilitators are called facilitators-in-training before they are approved.
 - b. Offer one solo womb surround. It is required you have a qualified assistant-graduate or near graduate of a Castellino Foundation Training or you have a supervisor on call.
 - c. For someone who has already offered many womb surrounds, womb surrounds offered can be substituted for womb surrounds taken or assisted on a one-to-one basis.