Activity Title: Strengthening Protective Factors Training of Trainers (TOT) Training

## **Activity Background/Description:**

The Strengthening Families Protective Factors Framework includes the following five protective factors: Parental Resilience, Social Connections, Knowledge of Parenting and Child Development, Concrete Support in Times of Need, Social and Emotional Competence of Children. It is a research-informed, strength-based approach that prevents child abuse and neglect by focusing on the well-being of all families and helping families identify and build on their own protective factors.

To build on the usefulness of the Protective Factors Framework, a Training of Trainers (TOT) "Bringing the Protective Factors Framework to Life in Your Work" will be held with the goal of over 20 trainers becoming certified as Protective Factors Trainers. Once trained, it is anticipated that over 500 early care and learning staff, home visitors, parenting educators, and others will be trained on the Protective Factors Framework in New York State.

Implementation Timeline: July 2019 – December 2019 (or end of grant period)

## **Additional Details:**

For more information about Protective Factors Training <a href="https://ctfalliance.org/protective-factors/">https://ctfalliance.org/protective-factors/</a>

## **Cross-sector Partners:**

NYS Council on Children and Families, Prevent Child Abuse NY

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