**APPLICATION**

**Advanced Analytics for Illinois Child Welfare Administrators**

**March 22-24, 2017**

**Chicago, Illinois**

**May 17-19, 2017**

**Champaign, Illinois**

**Instructions**

* Please type your answers into the form. You must fill out the form completely. Applicants must submit a completed application form and a completed recommendation form to analytics@chapinhall.org with the subject header: **Application for Illinois Advanced Analytics**.
* Applications for the **Chicago** class are due on or before **March 6 by 5 PM CT**.
* Applications for the **Champaign** class are due on or before **April 21 by 5 PM CT**.

[**Click here**](https://fcda.chapinhall.org/data-center-news/advanced-analytics_illinois/) to learn more about the curriculum and read feedback from former students.
Please contact analytics@chapinhall.org with any questions.

**Which class are you applying for?**

[ ]  Chicago, March 22-24, 2017

[ ]  Champaign, May 17-19, 2017

[ ]  I would like to be considered for either class

**Part 1/4: Personal information**

Applicant Name: First       Last

Job Title:

Organization:

Work Address: Street

 City       State       Zip

Work Phone:

Work Fax:

Work E-mail:

**Part 2/4: Your experience with administrative data**

Please describe how you currently use administrative data in the course of your work.

Please describe a situation in which having better access to and control of administrative data would strengthen evidence-based decision making and potentially improve child and family outcomes in your organization.

Please describe the data analysis and manipulation skills you currently possess.

**Part 3/4: Your course expectations**

Advanced Analytics will teach you how to identify and conduct the types of quantitative analyses required to fuel the Continuous Quality Improvement process; the course will also teach you about typical pitfalls that lead to the incorrect use of administrative data. With that in mind, please answer the following questions:

Please tell us why you want to attend Advanced Analytics and how you hope to benefit from this experience.

Given your position at your agency, please describe how you would use this knowledge to improve how your agency uses data to make policy and practice decisions.

**Part 4/4: Attachments**

Make sure you have the attachment in order before you submit your application. The required attachment is described below.

**Recommendation**

[Click HERE](http://fcda.chapinhall.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/2017-IL-AD-AN_recommendation.docx) to download the recommendation form. This form should be completed by your supervisor or manager. When complete, attach the recommendation form to your application.