

PARTNERS IN FACILITATOR DEVELOPMENT®

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In this world, three dominant factors are at play for employees:

- Less time
- Processing and responding to vast amounts of information
- Needing to eliminate inefficiencies and increase speed

Organizational researchers found 'unproductive meetings' caused an organization to waste \$8,000 a day. That amount does not include the \$7,000 wasted on 'problems that are ignored

for fear of conflict caused by communication within meetings not managed well.'

If an organization is to succeed amidst global integration, workforce development, social media and environmental conditions, leaders must know how to facilitate effective meetings



INIFAC's Partners in Facilitator Development

Program® (PIFD®) can address these issues by

assisting organizations in creating their own internal facilitator assessment program and creating the opportunity to track employees' progress, performance, and development.

Based on research, INIFAC has identified six competencies required for running successful meetings.



Our assessment process, with its defined scoring guidelines, provides you with:

- A proven credentialing process for your employees and teams.
- The highest ranking, most rigorous and consistent assessment available in the facilitation industry.
- Confirmation of employees' capability for facilitating groups to achieve outstanding results.
- Menon and Thompson Harvard Business Review, "Stop Spending, Start Managing; Strategies to Transform Wasteful Habits"
- An assessment tool to measure your employees' competency level when facilitating groups

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Organizations around the globe are assembling teams of facilitators to help their organizations plan and execute more effective meetings to reach sustainable results. Yet, how can you assess an employee's competencies level in an effort to identify gaps and advance professional development?

THE GOAL

Create Master Level Facilitators in Your Organization

The goal of the PIFD® is to present a program in your organization that you can use to determineemployeeprogressasheorsheadvancesintheirfacilitationskillsandknowledge. The PIFD® program prepares employees to receive international recognition through INIFAC.

THE SOLUTION

- Internal Assessment to develop your facilitators
- External Assessment to certify your top performers

INIFAC oversees the Certified Master Facilitator Program® (CMF®)

- the highest certification available in the profession. This rigorous, assessment rates facilitators across six competency areas with 30 detailed sub-competencies.

Through the Partners in Facilitator Development® Program, INIFAC offers organizations the opportunity to use the INIFAC assessment model to guide and support the development of their own people.

Using INIFAC's materials, you can implement an internal Facilitator Development Program to assess your facilitators and track their progress through a range of levels which extends from Novice to Advanced Facilitator.

Facilitators achieving the Accomplished or Advanced level, are eligible to submit their materials to INIFAC

- your partner in facilitator development
- for an external/international review to qualify as Certified Competent Facilitator® (CCF®) or Certified Master Facilitator® (CMF®).



PROGRAM ROAD MAP

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IDENTIFY THE PIFD TEAM > CORE FACILITATORS > ASSESSORS

1 Planning

Project Initiation

- Review the overall purpose process, roles & responsibilities
- Identify the team: core facilitators and assessors

Development Administrator

- Select Program Administrator
- Understand processor
- Undertake assessment
- Fulfill support needs
- Hold a briefing for the Assessment Team and PA

Project Awareness

 Develop the internal process for raising awareness of PIFD® program Encourage participation by leaders and facilitators

2 Preparation

Measuring existing competencies:

Administer assessment tools to gauge facilitation competencies

Programming

Develop timeline for most experienced facilitators to progress towards certification

Execute training and development program

- Facilitation skills
- Experience gathering
- Coaching

3 Implementations

Launch Program

- Initiate training
- Monitor action learning
- Utilize the benefits of
- upskilled facilitators

Facilitators submit documentation

- Video assessment
- Written Submittal

Internal _{No} Level Achieved _{Yes}



Assessment Tools

INIFAC provides your facilitators, administrator, and assessors with a wealth of tools and expert assistance for implementing your own Facilitator Development Program:

WHAT YOU WILL RECEIVE

Facilitator Competency Model

Six competencies and 30 sub-competencies will form the foundation for your Facilitator Development Program and be used to assess the development of your facilitators as they achieve facilitation mastery.

Candidate Forms

Instructions and on-line instruments to be used by your candidates for assessment.

Video Role Plays

A series of case studies along with specific participant roles designed for the candidate to exercise the full breadth of INIFAC competencies and sub-competencies.

Procedures

Specific steps to take in organizing and coordinating your assessment program.

Assessor Guides

At the core of the INIFAC process are the scoring guidelines for your assessors to assess each of the 30 sub-competencies, both for the written and video portion of the application. These guides provide a qualitative assessment approach for achieving a high-level of consistency, rigor, and reliability throughout the development process.

Expert Assistance

A Certified Master Facilitator® works with you to guide your program implementation through the process. Depending on the licensing option you choose, assistance will include telephone and/or onsite support.



PRICING OPTIONS

	PREMIUM	PREMIERE	PROFESSIONA
Materials	License kit, including: • Candidate materials • Role plays • Procedures • Assessor guides	License kit, including: • Candidate materials • Role plays • Procedures • Assessor guides	License kit, including: • Candidate materials • Role plays • Procedures • Assessor guides
Support	4 CMF® assessments Executive briefing by the Chair of INIFAC 40 hours on-site or phone support from a CMF® assisting with: • Customizing your assessment program • Consulting support to your administrator in implementation • Guiding up to 4 lead facilitators through the assessment process	2 CMF® assessments 24 hours on-site or phone support from a CMF® assisting with: • Customizing your assessment program • Consulting support to your administrator in implementation • Guiding up to 2 lead facilitators through the assessment process	8 hours phone support from a CMF® assisting with: • Customizing your assessment program • Consulting support to your administrator in implementation
Initial Cost	\$30,000 + travel (if required)	\$20,000 + travel (if required)	\$11,000
Annual Renewal	\$5,600Continued use of Program2 CMF® assessments	\$3,300 • Continued use of Program • 1 CMF® assessments	\$1,000 • Continued use of Program

