

Training course on Public Speaking and Presentation Skills for Social Protection Professionals

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Social Protection	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Analyze the fundamental concepts of **effective public speaking** and its relevance to social protection.
2. Comprehend the principles of **audience analysis and message tailoring** for diverse stakeholders.
3. Master methodologies for **structuring compelling presentations** with clear objectives.
4. Develop expertise in designing **visually impactful and concise presentation slides**.
5. Formulate strategies for **effective vocal delivery, body language, and stage presence**.
6. Understand the critical role of **storytelling and narrative** in engaging audiences.
7. Implement robust approaches to **managing public speaking anxiety and nerves**.
8. Explore key strategies for **handling questions and engaging in dynamic Q&A sessions**.
9. Apply methodologies for leveraging **visual aids and technology** effectively.
10. Understand and address **ethical considerations** in presenting social protection information.
11. Develop preliminary skills in **adapting presentations for different formats** (e.g., online, panel discussions).
12. Deliver a comprehensive and impactful **presentation on a social protection topic**.
13. Examine **global best practices and lessons learned** from influential social protection speakers.

Target Audience

This course is essential for all social protection professionals who need to communicate effectively:

1. **Social Protection Policymakers & Program Managers:** Presenting policy proposals and program results.
2. **M&E Specialists & Researchers:** Disseminating evaluation findings and research.

3. **Government Officials:** Presenting to parliament, public, or international bodies.
4. **Development Practitioners:** Presenting to donors, partners, and communities.
5. **Advocacy Professionals:** Making a case for social protection funding and policy.
6. **Team Leaders:** Presenting to internal teams and management.
7. **Consultants:** Delivering reports and recommendations to clients.
8. **Anyone:** Seeking to enhance their communication and influencing skills.

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Course Modules

Module 1: Foundations of Effective Public Speaking

- Define effective public speaking and its importance in social protection.
- Discuss the purpose of presentations: inform, persuade, inspire.
- Understand the communication process: sender, message, receiver, feedback.
- Explore common fears and challenges in public speaking.
- Identify the characteristics of a compelling social protection speaker.

Module 2: Audience Analysis and Message Tailoring

- Comprehend the principles of thorough audience analysis.
- Learn to identify audience needs, interests, knowledge levels, and expectations.
- Discuss how to tailor your message, language, and examples to resonate with specific groups.
- Understand the importance of speaking to different stakeholder perspectives.
- Practice adapting a social protection message for different audiences.

Module 3: Structuring Compelling Presentations

- Master methodologies for structuring impactful presentations.
- Learn about the "hook," problem, solution, benefits, and call to action framework.
- Discuss logical flow, clear transitions, and signposting.
- Understand effective introductions and memorable conclusions.
- Practice outlining a presentation on a social protection topic.

Module 4: Designing Visually Impactful Slides

- Develop expertise in designing visually appealing and concise presentation slides.
- Learn about the "less is more" principle in slide design.
- Discuss effective use of images, icons, and data visualizations.
- Understand typography, color schemes, and consistent branding.
- Practice creating and refining presentation slides.

Module 5: Vocal Delivery, Body Language, and Stage Presence

- Formulate strategies for effective vocal delivery and body language.
- Learn about pace, pitch, volume, and articulation.
- Discuss eye contact, gestures, posture, and movement.
- Understand how to project confidence and enthusiasm.
- Practice vocal exercises and non-verbal communication techniques.

Module 6: Storytelling and Narrative in Presentations

- Understand the critical role of storytelling and narrative in engaging audiences.
- Learn how to weave personal anecdotes, case studies, and beneficiary stories.
- Discuss the emotional connection created by compelling narratives.
- Explore how to use stories to illustrate data and policy implications.
- Practice incorporating storytelling into a social protection presentation.

Module 7: Managing Public Speaking Anxiety and Nerves

- Implement robust approaches to managing public speaking anxiety and nerves.
- Learn about relaxation techniques and visualization.
- Discuss preparation strategies to build confidence.
- Understand how to channel nervous energy positively.
- Practice stress reduction techniques before presentations.

Module 8: Handling Questions and Q&A Sessions

- Explore key strategies for handling questions and engaging in dynamic Q&A sessions.
- Learn about anticipating questions and preparing responses.
- Discuss techniques for clarifying questions and staying on message.
- Understand how to manage challenging questions or hostile audiences.
- Practice mock Q&A sessions and receive feedback.

Training Methodology

- **Interactive Workshops:** Facilitated discussions, group exercises, and problem-solving activities.
- **Case Studies:** Real-world examples to illustrate successful community-based surveillance practices.
- **Role-Playing and Simulations:** Practice engaging communities in surveillance activities.
- **Expert Presentations:** Insights from experienced public health professionals and community leaders.
- **Group Projects:** Collaborative development of community surveillance plans.
- **Action Planning:** Development of personalized action plans for implementing community-based surveillance.
- **Digital Tools and Resources:** Utilization of online platforms for collaboration and learning.
- **Peer-to-Peer Learning:** Sharing experiences and insights on community engagement.
- **Post-Training Support:** Access to online forums, mentorship, and continued learning resources.

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

- Participants must be conversant in English.

- Upon completion of training, participants will receive an Authorized Training Certificate.
- The course duration is flexible and can be modified to fit any number of days.
- Course fee includes facilitation, training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch, and a Certificate upon successful completion.
- One-year post-training support, consultation, and coaching provided after the course.
- Payment should be made at least a week before the training commencement to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice, to enable better preparation.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$1,000
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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