

APL activities and resources include workshops, webinars, technical assistance, and mentoring in both leadership concepts and practical application to support APL program participants as they become change leaders for their agencies. WIC Directors or Managers whose staff is participating receive APL program orientation and mentoring.

## ***Workshop #1: Getting Ready for APL***

You will receive an introduction to APL, personalized feedback on how you see yourself and others, and how they may see you, and project planning guidelines. You will explore the challenges to make lasting changes and identify how you and your work team might achieve desired outcomes. All of this will guide you as you begin to think about your plan for completing your Platinum WIC project.

## ***Between Workshops***

Through webinars, site visits and phone conferences with your APL consultant, you will receive direction and technical assistance to define and manage your Platinum WIC project, and introduce it to your director or manager and other staff at your agency.

## ***Workshop #2: On the Way to Platinum Service***

During this workshop, you will continue developing your Platinum WIC project plan, tailored to your WIC agency. You will share what is going well and what could be better with your projects and receive feedback from each other. You will discover your communication style and explore how to communicate with members of your WIC team who have different communication styles. You will have the opportunity to learn or enhance your presentation skills.

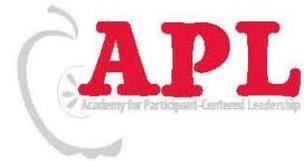
## ***Workshop #3: Keeping it Going***

You will present your Platinum WIC project by sharing your implementation strategies and outcomes achieved. You will discover how to keep your efforts going to build on your success.

## ***Recognition***

Academy participants will receive certificates of completion upon approval of their submitted Platinum project. Completed platinum projects will be listed on the Platinum WIC webpage at [www.wicworks.ca.gov](http://www.wicworks.ca.gov).

# APL PROGRAM SCHEDULE



## **MAY - JULY 2012**

- Application process
- Sites and participants selected and notified

## **OCTOBER 1, 2012**

- APL Orientation for Directors and Managers - Uetco gpvq."Ucvg"Y KE"Vtcklpi "Egpyt  
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## **OCTOBER 23-25, 2012**

- Leadership Workshop #1 - Sacramento, State WIC Training Center

## **DECEMBER 7, 2012**

- Webinar – morning

## **JANUARY - MAY 2013**

- Site visits with APL Consultants

## **FEBRUARY 26-28, 2013**

- Leadership Workshop #2 - Sacramento, State WIC Training Center

## **JUNE 7, 2013**

- Webinar – morning

## **SEPTEMBER 11-12, 2013**

- Leadership Workshop #3 - Sacramento, State WIC Training Center