

**Facilitator Application  
Georgia Training**

Location TBD

**February 11- 13, 2011**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to call \_\_\_\_\_

Reference (Name and email or phone) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Please note: Your reference should be someone who knows you well enough to recommend that you be trained to become a facilitator.)

Are you a member of NAMI? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If **no**, are you willing to join? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If **yes**, please explain:

Please tell us why you want to be a NAMI Family Support Group Facilitator:

**Job Requirements:**

- ✓ Willingness to undergo training and to adhere to fidelity to the NAMI Family Support Group model
- ✓ Adhere to fidelity to the NAMI Family Support Group model is required
- ✓ Commitment to co-facilitate two support group meeting per month for a minimum of one year .
- ✓ Ability to provide group participant data as required
- ✓ Willingness to identify potential new facilitators from their support groups
- ✓ Positive regard for, or personal experience with mutual support
- ✓ Be or become a member of NAMI
- ✓ Coordinate Support Group meetings with Affiliate or local Support Group leadership
- ✓ Encourage group attendees to join NAMI and participate in Affiliate or local Support Group activities.

Availability to co-facilitate NAMI Family Groups (Check **all** that apply):

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Morning							
Afternoon							
Evening							

Do you have your own transportation? Yes \_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Public Transportation? Yes \_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Are you willing to travel? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If yes, how far: \_\_\_ 5-10 miles \_\_\_ 11-20 miles \_\_\_ More than 20 miles

What language(s) other than English do you speak fluently?

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**Information needed should you be selected to attend training:**

1. Do you have any dietary restrictions or food allergies? If so please specify.

2. Do you need any special accommodations that we should be aware of? If so please specify.

3. Will you be requiring overnight accommodations for Thursday night?

Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

4. Do you have transportation? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\*

\* If yes, would you be willing to transport other participants? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

**5. Agreements**

- I have read and understand the NAMI Family Support Group Facilitator job requirements.  
\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)
- I understand that if there are more applicants than training slots, I may be placed on a Waiting List for the Training. If I am, I will keep the Training Weekend open in the event a training slot opens up for me.  
\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)
- I understand that my attendance at Facilitator Training does not guarantee that I will be certified as a NAMI Family Support Group Facilitator.  
\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)
- If selected to attend the NAMI Family Support Group Facilitator Training, and receiving certification as a facilitator, I acknowledge that I am making a commitment to facilitating a support group twice a month for a one year period.  
\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)
- Once I am certified, I will begin facilitating no later than \_\_\_\_\_ *date*  
\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)
- My group already conducts meetings at \_\_\_\_\_ *location*  
and we already conduct weekly meeting or intend to go to weekly meetings after the training.  
- OR -  
We have already secured the following location to begin a new support group after the Training. \_\_\_\_\_ *address*  
\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

**PLEASE FILL OUT AND RETURN BY FEBRUARY 1, 2011 TO:**

**Jean Dervan  
NAMI Georgia  
3050 Presidential Drive Suite 202  
Atlanta, GA 30340  
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**Did you remember to:**

- Get a Letter of Recommendation from your affiliate leadership (where applicable) and include it with this application?**
- Ask for Friday off of work?**
- Complete and include your Membership Application Form, if you are not currently a member?**