Financial Health Coaching for Low-Income Clients Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Microfinance & Financial Inclusion	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the fundamentals of financial health and literacy for low-income populations.
2. Apply behavioral finance principles to enhance client decision-making.
3. Conduct comprehensive financial assessments for individual clients.
4. Develop personalized budgeting and savings strategies tailored to client circumstances.
5. Implement practical debt management and reduction plans.
6. Teach clients about credit building, responsible borrowing, and credit monitoring.
7. Connect clients with local and national community resources and financial assistance programs.
8. Improve client motivation using goal-setting, coaching techniques, and financial education.
9. Utilize digital tools, apps, and technology to support financial planning and tracking.
10. Measure client progress, adapt strategies, and ensure sustainable results.
11. Maintain ethical standards in financial coaching practices.
12. Promote long-term financial resilience and empowerment.
13. Develop strategies for reporting and evaluating the impact of financial health interventions.

Organizational Benefits

- Enhanced client financial literacy and empowerment
- Stronger organizational reputation in community support
- Increased client satisfaction and retention

- Streamlined financial coaching processes and tools
- Effective use of organizational resources for community impact
- Reduced financial crises among clients through proactive guidance
- Improved staff knowledge and coaching competency
- Creation of measurable outcomes for reporting and accountability
- Stronger partnerships with financial institutions and NGOs
- Enhanced community engagement and social impact

Target Audiences

1. Social workers and community outreach professionals
2. Nonprofit organization leaders and volunteers
3. Financial counselors and advisors
4. Case managers and program coordinators
5. Microfinance and credit union staff
6. Educators teaching financial literacy programs
7. Healthcare providers providing financial guidance
8. Policy makers and public service professionals

Course Duration: 5 days

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Financial Health Coaching

- Understanding financial health concepts
- Importance of financial literacy for low-income clients
- Assessing client financial knowledge and behaviors
- Tools for financial assessment and coaching
- Identifying common financial barriers
- Case study: Assessing financial literacy of a low-income client

Module 2: Behavioral Finance and Client Motivation

- Core principles of behavioral finance
- Understanding client financial behavior patterns
- Strategies to motivate clients for positive change

- Overcoming procrastination and financial avoidance
- Reinforcing good financial habits
- Case study: Motivating clients to maintain savings goals

Module 3: Budgeting and Cash Flow Management

- Creating client-specific budgets
- Expense tracking and financial monitoring
- Prioritizing needs versus wants
- Managing irregular or seasonal income
- Techniques for reducing unnecessary spending
- Case study: Designing an actionable monthly budget

Module 4: Debt Management and Reduction

- Identifying types of personal debt
- Strategies for prioritizing repayment
- Negotiating with creditors and service providers
- Consolidation and debt reduction options
- Educating clients on responsible repayment strategies
- Case study: Creating a debt reduction plan for a client

Module 5: Credit Building and Responsible Borrowing

- Understanding credit scores and credit reports
- Techniques for improving creditworthiness
- Accessing credit-building programs
- Avoiding predatory loans and financial scams
- Teaching responsible borrowing strategies
- Case study: Assisting a client in improving credit score

Module 6: Accessing Community Resources

- Identifying relevant local, national, and nonprofit resources
- Leveraging community programs to support clients
- Integrating resources into financial plans
- Teaching clients to utilize assistance programs

- Strengthening community partnerships
- Case study: Supporting a client through local financial assistance programs

Module 7: Technology and Digital Financial Tools

- Digital tools for budgeting, saving, and financial monitoring
- Mobile apps for financial coaching and client engagement
- Online resources for low-income clients
- Implementing remote or virtual financial coaching
- Tracking client progress digitally
- Case study: Using digital tools to enhance client financial planning

Module 8: Evaluating and Measuring Impact

- Setting measurable financial goals for clients
- Tracking progress and analyzing outcomes
- Adapting coaching strategies based on results
- Reporting progress to stakeholders
- Continuous improvement in coaching practices
- Case study: Evaluating the effectiveness of a financial coaching intervention

Training Methodology

- Interactive workshops and collaborative group discussions
- Role-playing exercises simulating real-life client scenarios
- Hands-on exercises for financial assessment and budgeting
- Case study analysis and solution development
- Real-world application projects for practical experience
- Continuous feedback and coaching from instructors

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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

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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