

# North Carolina Supervisors Office Hours for Practice Standards



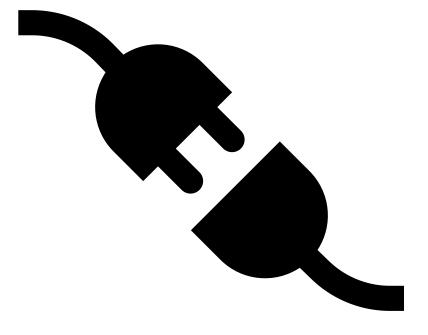


#### Please:

- Turn your camera on
- Introduce yourself in the chat
- Be prepared to have an engaging conversation

## Quick Plug

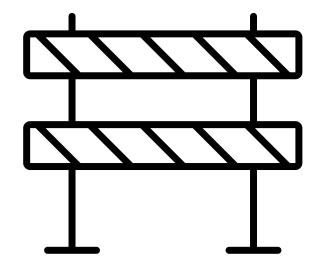
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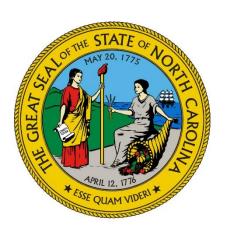


Using the Chat, share a word or two about where you feel successful as a supervisor



Using the Chat, share a word or two about where you feel challenged as a supervisor





## Communicating as a Supervisor

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Timely and consistent sharing of spoken and written information so that meaning, and intent are understood in the same way by all parties involved. **Open and honest** communication underpins successful performance of all essential functions in child welfare.

**Engages in two-way communication** 

Uses respectful, non-judgmental, and empowering strategies

**Operates with transparency and honesty** 

Respects confidentiality and privacy

## **Communicating Activity**



Think of a time when a Supervisor of yours did not communicate well.....

#### **Breakout Rooms-Questions to Consider:**

- 1. What behaviors did they demonstrate you did not like?
- 2. What was the impact of the way they communicated?
- 3. What would you have preferred your supervisor do in communicating with you?

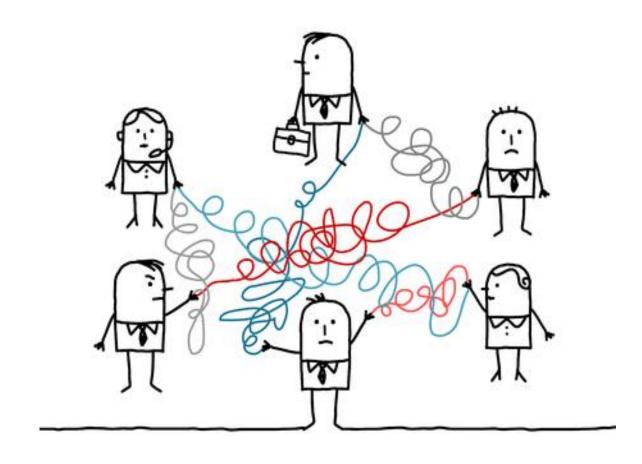
## Report Out:

What were the themes in your breakout discussions?

### **Big Group Discussion**

Think of a time when you initially experienced a struggle effectively communicate with an employee, but you were able to adjust and ultimately were successful.....

What did you do?



### **Communicating Action Steps**

Based on our conversations today, what are three things you can commit to practicing in your communications with your staff?

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