**Parenting The Second Time Around**

**Participants Say…**

“I liked the give and take of information; I felt I wasn’t the only one who is going through tough problems.”

“Some of my ideas on discipline were refreshed: I am now going to use different tactics - not spanking or slapping hands.”

“I am becoming a better advocate for my grandchild; in regards to the laws, I understand the system more.”

“At last there is practical information to help me raise my teen grandchildren!”

“Thank you for letting me know that there are others in my situation and that there is support & help available.”

**Group Leaders Say…**

“Relative caregivers have so many needs; this resource does a wonderful job of choosing the most important to highlight.”

“Having worked for many years in adult literacy, I was pleased to see the effort to make the text easy to read and understandable. Even materials from other sources were thoughtfully chosen with a concern for clear communication.”

“This is an excellent program and can be easily used to train those who work with kinship care families across the nation.”

“After the local program, two grandparent caregivers emerged as leaders to initiate an ongoing support group that will meet monthly.”

“We are so pleased that there are new workshops on raising teens. This is a growing issue for our families.”

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The facilitator’s manual for *Parenting The Second Time Around* contains everything you will need to offer an eight workshop series with handouts, supplementary materials, and evaluation tools. Each workshop is planned for a two-hour block of time.

**Topics include information about:**
- child development
- discipline and guidance
- caring for yourself as a caregiver
- rebuilding a family
- living with teens
- legal issues
- advocacy

*Parenting The Second Time Around* is designed for experienced workshop leaders, such as Cooperative Extension Professionals, Office for the Aging Staff, Social Workers or Adult Educators. Order your copy today!

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