In January 2018, education leaders from across the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) finalized eight science-based training standards. They serve as a measure of quality for any trainings developed or funded by CDC and provide training developers with guidance for developing quality training.

A quality training is one that meets all eight standards

1. Training **NEEDS ASSESSMENT** informs training development
2. Training includes **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**
3. Training content is **ACCURATE AND RELEVANT**
4. Training includes opportunities for **LEARNER ENGAGEMENT**
5. Training is designed for **USABILITY AND ACCESSIBILITY**
6. Training **EVALUATION** informs improvement
7. Training includes opportunity for **LEARNER ASSESSMENT**
8. Training includes **FOLLOW-UP SUPPORT** for the learner

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