# Most Important BUT Most Ignored Questions for Training Cadre Development

**Instructions**: Use this form as a starting point for your development efforts. Customize this form, adding relevant information as appropriate or removing information that does not apply to your situation.

1. For what reason(s) do we need a cadre? List reasons for forming a cadre.
2. For what specific training sessions do we need trainers? List training titles.
3. Approximately how many training events do we estimate will be conducted per year for each training session identified?

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| Training Session | Approximate Dates or Times Per Year | Number of Trainers Needed |
| [INSERT session title] | [INSERT dates or number] | [INSERT number] |
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1. Who will coordinate the cadre process (i.e., recruitment, development, management, evaluation)? List coordinator name and contact information.
2. Will we compensate our cadre members? Describe compensation details (e.g., money, materials, other). Indicate what permissions are needed (if any) to compensate trainers.
3. What are our expectations or policies for cadre members? Define expectations or list specific policies.
4. How will we ensure quality and consistency for our training events? Explain how quality standards will be ensured.
5. How will we evaluate our cadre members and provide feedback? Describe your evaluation process.
6. What process will we use to terminate a trainer who violates our policies, contract, or agreement? Describe termination process.
7. How will we nurture and develop our trainers initially? Over time? Describe professional development opportunities that will be provided. Consider associated costs (e.g., travel, materials, training costs, consultants).
8. Do we have funds available for professional development?
9. Who will coordinate professional development of our trainers?