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### **Addendum to Safe Sanctuary Policy for All Conference and District Events**

Texas Annual Conference

Effective February 1, 2014 – Adopted December \_\_, 2013

**The following is adopted as an Addendum to the Safe Sanctuary Policy for All Conference and District Events which was made effective on June 1, 2005:**

Effective February 1, 2014, in addition to providing a copy of the Texas Annual Conference Safe Sanctuary Policy to all persons, whether lay or clergy, including all paid and unpaid leaders, who will have any direct or indirect contact with children and youth who participate in any activities or events sponsored by the Texas Conference and/or its Districts, all such persons will be required to take the Online Child Abuse Awareness, Training and Certification Program provided at [www.trainright.org](http://www.trainright.org), the Texas Department of Health & Human Services-approved and certified provider chosen by the Conference to provide the program to individuals covered by this Policy. The certification provided by TrainRight will be good for a period of two (2) years from the date of successful completion of the online training at which time, persons covered by this policy will have to be re-certified by re-taking the online training program. This Addendum shall remain in effect until modified or revoked by the Conference.