2022-2023
FVDG/DGE Training
Program Overview

July 2022
Available in July
MD training for FVDGs
Actual date determined by MD GLT coordinator

August

September
Seminar group leaders contact FVDGs

October
Registration for International FVDG/DGE Seminar (Days 1-3) in St. Charles, IL., USA

November
Seminar Pre-assignment booklet and assessment results available

December

January
Registration for International FVDG/DGE Seminar (Day 4) in Boston, MA, USA

February
International FVDG/DGE Seminar (Days 1-3) in St. Charles, IL., USA

February - April
FVDGs/DGEs continue planning for success and working on district goals

March

April

May
May - June
FVDGs online learning and assignments

June

July 2023
July 7
International FVDG/DGE Seminar (Day 4) in Boston, MA, USA
2022-2023 FVDG/DGE Training Program
Overview

Multiple district training for first vice district governors
- Local, in-person or virtual training taking place between July 2022 and June 2023
- Dates, times, and locations are determined and communicated by the Multiple/Single District GLT coordinator
- Topics include, but are not limited to:

  Online learning pre-assignments:
  - The Service Journey course
  - Public Speaking course
  - Review of District e-book and other governing documents
  - Review of Lion Account digital products

  Interactive sessions:
  - District Governor Orientation
  - LCIF
  - Public Speaking
  - Effective Listening
  - Promoting Service Journey Resources
  - Local topics

Seminar group leaders will connect with the first vice district governors assigned to their training groups, starting in late August to early September.

Group leaders will host three webinars over the next several months with FVDGs as a part of the training program. FVDGs should plan to attend these webinars.

- September:  Meet and greet
- November:  Marketing project pre-assignment
- January:  Marketing project pre-assignment (continued) and Q Center readiness
Independent online learning and assignments

- FVDGs independently review the resources on lionsclubs.org, the District Governor webpage and the District e-Book.

- Beginning in September, FVDGs complete training courses assigned to their 2022-2023 FVDG/DGE learning path in the Lions Learning Center. All assigned courses should be completed according to the completion schedule as communicated by group leaders. Each course takes approx. 20 to 40 minutes to complete, except for the Global Membership Approach Orientation which could take up to two hours.

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Leadership Assessment

- In October, FVDGs/DGEs are emailed a unique link to the Head, Heart and Guts leadership assessment.

- Downloadable personalized assessment results will be available for each FVDG/DGE in early November.

- The Becoming a Whole Leader pre-assignment course in the Lions Learning Center should be reviewed once the FVDG/DGE downloads his/her assessment results.
Registration begins in October for the International FVDG/DGE Seminar in St. Charles, Illinois, USA.

**District Goals Assignment (Available in November)**
- FVDGs are asked to meet virtually or in-person with both the current district team and their incoming district team to assess district goals, discuss how to continue supporting their achievement and begin formulating new goals for next year that will build upon the current district goals.

  Note: This assignment will also be available for download in the 2022-2023 FVDG/DGE learning path in the Lions Learning Center.

**Seminar Pre-assignment Booklet**
- Early November FVDGs/DGEs will be emailed a PDF workbook of pre-assigments that directly relate to training sessions scheduled during the International FVDG/DGE Seminar in St. Charles, Illinois, USA.

  Pre-assigments include, but are not limited to:
  - Becoming a Whole Leader
  - Managing Your Team
  - Leading Change
  - Supporting Membership
  - Marketing Project

  Note: The booklet will also be available for download in the 2022-2023 FVDG/DGE learning path in the Lions Learning Center.

Registration begins in January for the International FVDG/DGE Seminar taking place in Boston, Massachusetts, USA, in July.
February

International FVDG/DGE Seminar (Days 1-3)

- The Seminar takes place February 7 - 9 at the Q Center in St. Charles, Illinois, USA. The city of St. Charles is located about 40 miles West of Chicago.
- FVDGs/DGEs arrive on February 6 and depart on February 10.
- The Q Center is a secure, all-inclusive training facility with dormitory style sleeping rooms, cafeteria dining, gathering spaces and scenic views. See registration materials for more information regarding the Q Center.
- Events at the Q Center are exclusively for FVDGs/DGEs. Spouses, companions, and guests may not attend.
- The three-day seminar includes the following events and topics (subject to change at any time):
  - Tour of Lions Clubs International headquarters and photo opportunity with International First Vice President Dr. Patti Hill.
  - General session presentations featuring messages from International First Vice President Dr. Patti Hill, DGE Seminar Chairperson Elisabeth Haderer, guest speaker(s) and staff.
  - Interactive in-person workshops led by seminar group leaders, covering topics such as:
    - Leadership skill development, managing teams, supporting membership retention, marketing, LCIF, action planning, and leading change.
  - Opportunities to mingle and bond with Lions from around the world, connect with LCI/LCIF staff, and visit the Lions SHOP at the Q Center.
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February

- FVDGs/DGEs continue planning for success by collaborating with district teams to develop and finalize district goals and action plans.


May

- Online learning and assignments (continued)
  - FVDGs/DGEs independently review new resources on the LCI/LCIF websites
  - FVDGs/DGEs complete training courses assigned to their 2022-2023 FVDG/DGE learning path in the Lions Learning Center. All assigned training modules should be completed by mid-June. Each module takes approx. 20 to 40 minutes to complete.

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FVDGs/DGEs can also self-select online leadership courses based on an interpretation of their Head, Heart and Guts leadership assessment results or individual goals they may have.
July

International FVDG/DGE Seminar (Day 4)

- July 6: DGEs arrive in Boston, Massachusetts, USA. After checking into the hotel, DGEs and their spouses/companions can pick up their convention registration materials, gifts from the incoming president, district governor name badges and materials, at a designated location.

- July 7: DGEs and their spouses or companions attend Day 4 of the International FVDG/DGE Seminar.
  
  - Each DGE and their spouse or companion gather in a ballroom for a full day of general sessions, featuring inspiring messages from Lions/guests, a special presentation for DGE spouses/companions and the latest news and updates from LCI/LCIF.
  
  - The day culminates with an elegant celebration banquet.