



TIP 42 Training of Trainers Announcement Western Region

Call for Trainers

Description: The Substance Abuse Treatment for Persons with Co-Occurring Disorders Training of Trainers (TOT) is based upon Treatment Improvement Protocol (TIP 42), Substance Abuse Treatment for Persons with Co-Occurring Disorders, provided by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. This Training of Trainers will assist in transferring evidence-based knowledge on the treatment of co-occurring disorders to frontline clinicians across the state.

Training Goal: The state will have a cadre of trained professionals (educators, clinicians, other professionals) that can “transfer/train” the larger workforce across the state; thus, alleviating the barrier of access to co-occurring training resources.

Location: The two day training will be held at the Ramada Conference Center in Altoona, Pennsylvania.

Date: Tuesday, May 6 and Wednesday, May 7, 2008

Audience: Twenty-five selected professionals with previous training experience as well as, expertise in mental health or substance use, or co-occurring services will be trained.

Requirements: All trainers will be required to provide at a minimum, 4 co-occurring trainings per year, locally upon completion of this curriculum.

Trainer Selection: Qualified participants will be jointly selected by the Departments. Individuals selected to participate in the TOT will be notified by the Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.

This training is supported by the Department of Health and the Department of Public Welfare, in conjunction, with The Institute for Research, Education and Training in Addictions (IRETA), The Co-Occurring Center for Excellence (COCE), and The Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA).