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News from Our Corporate Partners:

Relias Webinar: Integrated Care in a Value-Based World: For Behavioral Health Organizations

In this webinar, we discuss how a rich performance management solution can work in tandem with existing clinical initiatives targeting your at-risk populations. In addition, learn how to engage your providers to ensure your success with new payment models.

Learn how we can help you:

- Get a longitudinal view of individual members
- Measure your performance and identify improvement opportunities
- Identify high-risk probability and rising risk members
- Measure the impact of care initiatives
- Identify opportunities for providers to standardize to evidence-based practice and engage them with you in this effort

Register for this webinar at:

https://www.relias.com/resource/integrated-care-in-a-value-based-world-for-behavioral-health-organizations?aliid=169166420&utm_source=marketo&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=eb_2019-02-04_integrated-care-vb-world-wbn-share&mkt_tok=eyJpIjoiTkdOaE1qbGxNRGxsTXpReClInQioiIjclJ2NUhhdVI0R25lcWI0ajhMaGNlbXE2QVZNT2JmZndld3Z6QnNSOTBrZVdXV0hwNEpySlp2SllwU2N5SkVsQkxHK1FRTlplNQmVYMHY2Y1QrRjkzNVFOSXNjaGI2cG1ycHJlZnFaYW1FXC84ZkZ3RDNOU3RnWW9kVWtGYVhYQjY0In0%3D

myStrength to Join Forces with Livongo Health to Deliver Breadth of Capabilities Spanning Mental and Physical Health for People with Chronic Conditions

myStrength, Inc., the leading provider of digital behavioral health solutions, today announced that it has entered into a definitive agreement to be acquired by Livongo Health, the leading Applied Health Signals company empowering people with chronic conditions to live better and healthier lives.

The full press release can be found at:

<https://www.livongo.com/news/livongo-signs-definitive-agreement-to-acquire-mystrength/>

State and National Developments and Resources:

Michigan Suicide Prevention Community Technical Assistance Meeting

Michigan Suicide Prevention Community
Technical Assistance Meeting
May 2-3, 2019

The Injury and Violence Prevention Section at the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services is excited to offer an opportunity to build your capacity to address suicide. As in previous years, we will be offering a variety of skill and knowledge building sessions, as well as providing time to network.

Meeting Goals

- Enhance participants' suicide prevention collaboration, leadership, strategic planning, prevention, and program implementation skills.
- Provide tools for Coalitions, Communities, and Individuals to improve existing programs, and to develop new opportunities and resources for the communities they serve.
- Offer networking opportunities with state and national experts; as well as peers working on suicide prevention initiatives similar to your own.
- Explore national, state, local, and personal roles in sustaining current efforts, implementing new models, and continuing to expand suicide prevention in the state.

Who Should Attend

This meeting is designed for people who are currently or would like to provide leadership and promote collaboration in their respective communities around suicide prevention planning and implementation. Communities are strongly encouraged to send teams of 3 - 5 people to the meeting. Participants might include representatives from: mental health, public health, education, social services, the medical community, youth serving organizations, community or faith based organizations, populations at risk, as well as anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one to suicide.

Registration

Registration is \$75.00 and includes up to two nights lodging (double occupancy) and five meals. In an effort to keep the spirit of the conference one that is intimate and provides rich opportunities for networking, registration is limited to 100 people.

THE REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 1. REGISTER ONLINE AT:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=wo5eo7qab&oeidk=a07eg0t4mzufd427812>

Facility

The conference will be held at the Ralph A. MacMullan (RAM) Conference Center in Roscommon, Michigan. Check it out online at: www.michigan.gov/ramcenter.

Please note there is a very limited number of single rooms available at an additional charge of \$20 per night. They can be reserved online, first come first served. Once the single rooms are gone, all accommodations will be double occupancy.

Conference registration does not include dinner on Wednesday, May 1. If you would like dinner at the RAM Center on Wednesday, you will need to pay for it separately. Please make this selection in the online registration form.

Refund Policy - We are unable to refund a canceled registration. If you are unable to attend the conference, we can substitute someone, but there are no refunds.

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Additional Learning Opportunities

Pre-Conference Training: Suicide to Hope on Wednesday, May 1

Suicide to Hope is a full day training for clinicians and professional helpers who are involved in ongoing suicide care for people once they are safe. While ASIST training is not a prerequisite, it is recommended. This training is \$35. If you register for this session it includes lunch and dinner on Wed. 5/1/19. You DO NOT need to register for those meals separately.

Pre-Conference Training: safeTALK on Wednesday, May 1

safeTALK is a 3 hour training that offers valuable skills and requires no formal training or prior experience in suicide prevention. This training is \$25. If you register for this session it includes dinner on Wed. 5/1/19. If you register for this training, you DO NOT need to register separately for dinner.

Anyone wanting to stay the night on Tuesday, April 30 can call the RAM Center directly and reserve a room. Room rates for double occupancy are \$40 per person and single occupancy is \$60. Lodging on Tuesday night does not include any meals.

Children with Special Needs Fund Receives \$50,000 Grant; Families Can Apply

Below is an excerpt from a recent press release announcing expansion of assistance through Michigan's Special Needs Fund as a result of private gift.

Children with special needs will have better access to their homes and communities through the purchase of ceiling and stair lifts thanks to a Rollin M. Gerstacker Foundation grant.

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services Children with Special Needs Fund is receiving the \$50,000 grant and will be awarding funds twice this year. Applications received by May 23, 2019, will be reviewed in June, and applications received by Aug. 22, 2019, will be reviewed in September.

Besides ceiling and stair lifts, the Children with Special Needs Fund also assists with partial or full payment for items such as wheelchair ramps, vehicle accessibility devices, transit options, therapeutic tricycles, air conditioners for certain medical conditions, weighted blankets or vests, and adaptive recreational equipment. Applications for these items are reviewed year-round.

"For nearly 75 years, the Children with Special Needs Fund has been a resource for Michigan families of children with special health care needs, and it plays an important role in the lives of these children and their families," said MDHHS Director Robert Gordon. "Many families may not be aware of the fund, and we want them to know this is a resource they can turn to when no other resources are available."

Thousands of children with disabilities and serious illnesses have benefited from the fund with awards of more than \$8 million. The fund operates from private funds through gifts, bequests and donations made by individuals, organizations and businesses.

Based in Midland, the Rollin M. Gerstacker Foundation was established by Eda U. Gerstacker in 1957 in memory of her husband. Eda Gerstacker died in 1975 and family members continue to serve as officers and trustees of the foundation. The Children with Special Needs Fund was created in 1944 when Dr. James Pardee, co-founder of Dow Chemical Company, made a generous bequest of Dow stock.

Anyone who wants to find out if a child is eligible for assistance or donate to the fund can visit www.michigan.gov/csnfund or contact their local health department's Children's Special Health Care Services worker. Apply for funds by clicking the "Application button on the left side of the website homepage.

MLPP Announces Owner's Manual for Michigan

Below is a recent announcement from the Michigan League for Public Policy (MLPP) regarding the launch of The Owners Manual for Michigan.

We're excited to share some good news with you on this frigid Michigan afternoon! Since you follow our work closely, we wanted you to be among the first to know about a new project from the Michigan League for Public Policy.

Today we're launching The Owner's Manual for Michigan, a clear and comprehensive public policy plan informed by residents from around the state. The plan is intended to help the state's leaders better understand the challenges facing many Michiganders, and offers tangible policy recommendations on how the state can better serve its people.



Over the last few months, League staff met with local residents in Lansing, Detroit, Flint, Jackson, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, and Petoskey and solicited additional input online to learn how state policies have been affecting state residents. The big takeaways? Michigan's economic "recovery" is still far from reaching ALL people, there are a lot of policies that are in need of significant repair, and in nearly every issue area, there are drastic inequities by race and ethnicity, income and geography.

We encourage you to explore the elements of the Owner's Manual, and we hope you'll take a moment to tell us your thoughts about how to get Michigan back on the road to economic security. Also, please help us spread the word and be sure to sign up for updates and follow the Owner's Manual Facebook page. The Owners Manual for Michigan can be found at: <https://mlpp.org/michmanual/>

Behavioral Health Providers Are Owed Millions in Unpaid Medicaid Claims

The Arizona Daily Star reported on January 28, 2019, that Arizona behavioral health care providers are owed millions of dollars in unpaid claims in Tucson, following the transition last year to an integrated physical and behavioral health care model. The Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) issued a \$125,000 sanction to Arizona Complete Health for claims processing delays and inaccurate payment rates, among other violations. Some behavioral health providers faced risk of closure. Read More at: https://tucson.com/news/local/tucson-mental-health-providers-owed-millions-in-unpaid-claims-after/article_87a91de8-258e-5275-ad05-734311af8cbf.html

Screening for Adverse Childhood Experiences and Trauma



Below are excerpts from a recent announcement, by the Center for Health Care Strategies, of approaches to screening for adverse childhood experiences and trauma.

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As trauma-informed care continues to gain traction, more and more providers are beginning to screen patients for exposure to adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) and trauma. However, variation exists regarding when and how to screen in both adult and pediatric populations.

This technical assistance tool offers various approaches and considerations for screening adults and children for ACEs and trauma. It draws from the experiences of pilot sites that participated in Advancing Trauma-Informed Care, a multi-site demonstration made possible by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation that sought to identify how trauma-informed approaches can be practically implemented within the health care sector.

The full article can be found at:

https://www.traumainformedcare.chcs.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/TA-Tool-Screening-for-ACEs-and-Trauma_020619.pdf

Potential Enrollment Impacts of Michigan's Medicaid Work Requirement

Below are excerpts from a recent report by the Manatt Group on the projected impact, on Healthy Michigan enrollees, of Michigan's Work Requirement.

Potential Enrollment Impacts of Michigan's Medicaid Work Requirement (Prepared for the State Health and Value Strategies program, a grantee of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation)

To date, Section 1115 waivers that condition Medicaid eligibility on beneficiaries' meeting work and community engagement (CE) requirements have been approved by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) for eight states: Arizona, Arkansas, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, New Hampshire, and Wisconsin. Some of the waiver applications and approvals do not include projections of coverage impacts, an important consideration as these waivers move forward. Information that is now available on implementation experience in Arkansas offers key insights for other states.

In a new issue brief, supported by funding from the State Health and Value Strategies program, a grantee of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Manatt Health provides estimates of potential impacts of Michigan's work requirement based on the Arkansas experience and data available on the composition and demographics of the Michigan beneficiaries subject to the requirement, with adjustments that reflect the differences between the states.

Michigan's waiver application seeking approval of work requirements did not include projected enrollment impacts, nor did a Senate Fiscal Agency analysis of the State's legislation. A House Fiscal Agency analysis forecasted Medicaid expansion enrollment reductions of 4 to 8 percent. As this brief describes, information from Arkansas suggests that Michigan could see enrollment reductions that are more than three times the upper bound of the legislative estimate.

Click here to read the full report.

https://www.manatt.com/Manatt/media/Media/Images/White%20Papers/Manatt_MI-Work-Req-Estimates_20190206-Final.pdf

MHEF Announces Nutrition & Healthy Lifestyles Applications Being Accepted

The Michigan Health Endowment Fund recently announced its 2019 Nutrition & Healthy Lifestyles Initiative. MHEF is seeking proposals that bring nutrition and physical activity into schools, create fresh food pipelines, or make healthy lifestyles more accessible to seniors, children, and their families. Information on the Request for Proposals can be found at:

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<https://www.mihealthfund.org/grantmaking/nutrition-healthy-lifestyles-initiative>

Informational Webinar: Thursday, February 14

Thursday, February 14 at 10:00 a.m. MHEF is hosting a webinar to walk you through the RFP and answer your questions. Find out everything you need to know before submitting a proposal, including:

Program overview. We'll walk you through the Nutrition & Healthy Lifestyles program and our focus areas.

Criteria for funding. We'll let you know the types of projects we want to fund, as well as those we can't.

Tips for a successful proposal. From concept papers to full proposals, we'll fill you in on what we look for every step of the way.

Register for the webinar at: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_L2Q0gUN9Rauu6OmHIWDVCQ

State Legislative Update:

State of the State Date Change

On Tuesday, Governor Gretchen Whitmer announced her first State of the State address has been moved to **Tuesday, February 12** at 7:00 p.m. due to President Trump's State of the Union address now being on February 5th.

Prescription Drugs Costs are Major Concerns for Health Insurance Industry

Pharmacy costs are growing at an unsustainable rate, Mark Cook, of Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan, and Dominick Pallone, of the Michigan Association of Health Plans, told the House Health Policy Committee during presentations in its organizational meeting today.

Prescription drugs have become the biggest expense category in health care at 23.3 percent, according to national statistics. Medicine costs make up more of the total health care pie than staying in the hospital, which makes up 16.1 percent of medical costs. "Sixty percent of Americans use at least one prescription drug annually," Cook said. "Prescription drug costs now account for nearly 28 percent of our overall costs. It is 23 percent nationally, but for us, it is 28 percent. And they are the single largest expense to the enterprise. Costs for brand-name drugs have risen 232 percent since 2008, obviously far outpacing inflation. Michigan drug spending and high-cost specialty medications increased by 12 percent in 2017 alone. Specialty drugs account for 1 percent of prescriptions filled, but over 40 percent of our total pharmacy payments. These specialty drug costs are going to continue to climb."

Rep. James Lower (R-Cedar Lake) asked if over-utilization of drugs is a part of what is fueling the increase. Cook answered yes, but Lower said later he didn't have specific proposals in mind on how to address that issue. It might be more of an awareness issue, he said.

"I think in our society, a lot of people don't realize that if a doctor says, 'well, this might help you, if you take this supplement,' I think a lot of folks don't realize, you can say no. You can say, no I'd rather not," Lower explained.

On the issue of over-utilization, Cook said there is a federal rule pending which would require television ads for prescription drugs to include the price. He said he believes that would have "dampening effect" on over-utilization, once people realize the drug being advertised might have a heavy price. "We, along with New

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Zealand, are the only two countries in the world that allow prescription drug advertising on television. And I think that should tell you something right there," Cook told the committee.

House Health Policy Chair Hank Vaupel (R-Fowlerville) said the presentations gave him some ideas for possible future legislation that emphasizes preventative programs.

Federal Update:

State Medicaid Facts

The Center on Budget and Policy Priorities has released **new state-by-state Medicaid fact sheets**, showing how Medicaid helps millions of families and individuals across the country. These resources offer health care advocates important data and talking points about their state's Medicaid program. [Click here](#) to learn about how Medicaid contributes to your state.

Education Opportunities:

CMHAM Annual Spring Conference

Save the Date: The CMHAM Annual Spring Conference will be held on:

June 10, 2019: Pre-Conference Institutes

June 11 & 12, 2019: Full Conference

Suburban Collection Showplace

Novi, Michigan

Note: Hotel reservation and Conference registration are not available at this time.

Second Annual Michigan CIT Conference Save-the-Date



Crisis Intervention Teams (CIT) were established in 1988 in response to an officer killing a young man experiencing a mental health crisis. Since that event, crisis interventions teams across the country have formed to develop better ways to actively intervene real time with individuals in a mental health crisis and establish improved community partnerships that support community members to obtain mental health treatment first rather than involvement with the judicial system.

The first annual Michigan CIT conference was hosted by Riverwood Community Mental Health in Berrien County. After this conference, a state collaborative was formed to support Michigan CIT programs and to

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establish standards for CIT initiatives across the state. The next conference will be hosted by Summit Pointe Community Mental Health in Battle Creek. Law enforcement personnel, corrections personnel, behavioral health professionals, persons living with behavioral health disorders, family members, advocates, judges / court personnel, public defenders / prosecutors and policy makers are encouraged to attend!

Mark your calendars and join us in Battle Creek for the second annual CIT: Crisis Intervention Team Conference October 2-4, 2019. Hear from various presenters on strategies to start your CIT in your community, or ways to improve your existing program. Also, learn more about how CIT is benefiting communities in our state and how to collaborate with other counties. CIT is more than just a training! We look forward to seeing you at our conference as we 'Bring it All Together'. For more information, please email MICITConference2019@gmail.com.

Administration for Community Living (ACL) Announces HCBS Resource

Below is a recent announcement from the federal Administration for Community Living (ACL) regarding a set of newly developed HCBS resources.

As you may know, the Administration for Community Living (ACL) is putting on a series of webinars on topics related to the HCBS Settings Rule. The second in the three-part series took place on November 29th. If you were unable to participate, we want to make sure you have access to the slide deck used for the webinar. You will also see links to other resources, and a reminder regarding the third and final webinar, in the ACL message below.

Dan Berland; Director of Federal Policy; NASDDDS

Recap of Webinar 2 of 3: "Promising State Strategies for Working with Providers to Meet the HCBS Settings Criteria & Promote Optimal Community Integration" (November 29, 2018)

For those that participated in the 11/29/2018 webinar, please complete the following 3-minute survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/P25Z8TR>. We value your feedback, and it helps ACL strengthen its technical assistance offerings in the future.

We have attached an accessible copy of the power-point presentation, and a recording of the webinar may be downloaded over the next two weeks through the following instructions:

Click on the link below, or if your email program does not allow linking, copy and paste the link into the address field of your Internet Browser.

<https://resnet-garm.webex.com/resnet-garm/lsr.php?RCID=b43e4856e1175bf97995a2e37d4588c8>

Once you have been redirected to the Download page, select the "Download" button. When given the option to "Open" or "Save" the file; select the arrow next to the "Save" button then select "Save As".

Once the "Save As" window appears, choose the location where you would like to save the FTP file and select the "Save" button.

Please find the link to a copy of Minnesota's "[Provider's Guide to Putting the HCBS Rule Into Practice](#)".

A written transcript is also available upon request. These materials, along with additional written technical resources, will also be shared on ACL's website by January 2019.

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Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT) Trainings for 2018/2019

2-Day Introduction to DBT Trainings

This 2-Day introduction to DBT training is intended for persons who serve adults through CMH, CMH Service Providers, PIHP, and PIHP providers in the state of Michigan who are interested in learning the theoretical underpinnings of the treatment. It will explain what the key ingredients are in DBT that make up its empirical base. A basic overview of the original DBT skills will be covered along with how to structure and format skills training groups. This training is targeted toward those who are new to DBT with limited experience and who are looking to fulfill the pre-requisite to attend more comprehensive DBT training in the future.

Dates/Locations:

February 21-22, 2019 | Detroit Marriott Livonia – *TRAINING FULL*

March 18-19, 2019 | Great Wolf Lodge, Traverse City – *Discounted hotel rate expires Feb. 17!*

May 13-14, 2019 | Kellogg Center, East Lansing – *TRAINING FULL*

Who Should Attend?

This event is sponsored by the adult mental health block grant and is only intended for persons who serve adults through CMH, CMH Service Providers, PIHP, and PIHP providers in the state of Michigan. This seminar contains content appropriate for medical directors, clinical directors, case workers, supports coordinators, and other practitioners at all beginning level of practice.

Training Fee:

\$125 per person. The fee includes training materials, continental breakfast and lunch for both days.

[CLICK HERE](#) for full training details, CE information, overnight accommodations and registration links.

5-Day Comprehensive DBT Trainings

- This training is designed for CMH, CMH service providers, PIHP, and PIHP service provider staff who are directly responsible for delivering DBT.
- Due to the fact DBT is a comprehensive treatment that treats high-risk individuals, one's core training ought to be comprehensive as well.
- IT IS EXPECTED THAT ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL MAKE A FULL COMMITMENT TO ATTEND ALL 5 DAYS mindfully and will participate fully in discussion, role-plays and complete daily homework assignments.
- Participants are asked to bring a copy of "Cognitive Behavioral Treatment of Borderline Personality Disorder" by Marsha Linehan, PhD, with them to the training.
- COMPLETION OF A 2-DAY INTRODUCTION TO DBT TRAINING OR EQUIVALENT IS A PRE-REQUISITE FOR ATTENDING THIS TRAINING.
- This is NOT a training that teaches DBT skills. There will be very little focus on DBT skills. The majority of the focus of this training will be to help clinicians on how to conduct individual DBT sessions. If your goal is to come to this training in order to learn DBT skills, do not attend. By attending, you understand and consent to knowing this ahead of time.

Dates/Locations:

May 20-24, 2019 | Detroit Marriott Livonia

June 3-7, 2019 | Best Western, Okemos

August 12-16, 2019 | Great Wolf Lodge, Traverse City

Training Fee:

\$250 per person. Fee includes training materials, continental breakfast and lunch for 5 days.

[CLICK HERE](#) for full training details, CE information, overnight accommodations and registration links.

Implementation of Integrated Dual Disorder Treatment (IDDT) and Co-Occurring Evidence-Based Practices Annual Trainings for 2018/2019

Course Description:

Adults with co-occurring mental illness and substance use disorders have far worse outcomes in employment, hospitalization, housing, and criminal justice involvement than their single disordered peers. This co-prevalence has been studied since the 1980s, yet despite this substantive increased risk, most service systems were organized to treat individuals with a single disorder, excluding those with co-occurring disorders, or providing sequential or parallel treatments that were incompatible or in conflict with each other. Integrated services offer superior outcomes to parallel or sequential treatments and call on providers to develop interventions to assist individuals in moving toward recovery for both illnesses simultaneously. Recovery-oriented care requires changes at a systems and individual practitioner level in areas including assessment, treatment planning, and delivery. Integrated co-occurring providers will learn about the research on integrated care including evidence-based practices (EBP), and ways to develop stage-matched assessment, treatment planning, and treatment interventions for adults with co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders.

This training fulfills the annual requirement for persons who are part of an IDDT team, as well as for persons providing COD services in Adult Mental Health outpatient services.

Dates/Locations:

April 26, 2019 | Hotel Indigo, Traverse City

June 19, 2019 | Okemos Conference Center

Training Fee:

\$65 per person. The fee includes training materials, continental breakfast and lunch.

[CLICK HERE](#) for full training details, CE information, overnight accommodations and registration links.

Motivational Interviewing College Trainings for 2018/2019

4 Levels of M.I. Training offered together at 4 convenient locations!

This event is sponsored by the adult mental health block grant and is intended for persons who serve adults only through the mental health and substance abuse provider network in the state of Michigan. It contains content appropriate for CEOs, COOs, clinical directors, supervisors, case managers, support coordinators, therapists, crisis workers, peer support specialists and any other practitioners at the beginning, advanced and supervisory levels of practice.

New This Year! We are excited to add a new 2-Day TNT: Teaching Motivational Interviewing training to the lineup.

Dates/Locations:

February – DoubleTree Bay City

Basic: Monday & Tuesday, Feb. 25-26, 2019

Advanced: Monday & Tuesday, Feb. 25-26, 2019

Supervisory: Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2019

Teaching MI: Wednesday & Thursday, Feb. 27-28, 2019

March – Weber's Ann Arbor – *Discounted hotel rate expires TODAY!*

Basic: Monday & Tuesday, March 11-12, 2019

Advanced: Monday & Tuesday, March 11-12, 2019

Supervisory: Tuesday, March 12, 2019

Teaching MI: Wednesday & Thursday, March 13-14, 2019

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April – Shoreline Inn Muskegon

Basic: Monday & Tuesday, April 8-9, 2019

Advanced: Monday & Tuesday, April 8-9, 2019

Supervisory: Tuesday, April 9, 2019

Teaching MI: Wednesday & Thursday, April 10-11, 2019

June – Holiday Inn Marquette

Basic: Monday & Tuesday, June 10-11, 2019

Advanced: Monday & Tuesday, June 10-11, 2019

Supervisory: Monday, June 10, 2019

Teaching MI: Wednesday & Thursday, June 12-13, 2019

Training Fees: (The fees include training materials, continental breakfast and lunch each day.)

\$125 per person for all 2-day trainings (Basic, Advanced)

\$69 per person for the 1-day Supervisory training.

[CLICK HERE](#) for full training details, CE information, overnight accommodations and registration links.

Individualized Service Plans Using the ASAM Criteria and Motivational Interviewing Trainings

- April 30-May 1, 2019 – Drury Inn & Suites, Grand Rapids
- June 18-19, 2019 – Holiday Inn, Marquette
- July 16-17, 2019 – Best Western/Okemos Conference Center, Okemos
- August 13-14, 2019 – Hilton Garden Inn, Detroit
- August 27-28, 2019 – Radisson Plaza Hotel, Kalamazoo
- September 24-25, 2019 – Great Wolf Lodge, Traverse City

Visit www.cmham.org for more information.

SAVE THE DATE: 20th Annual Substance Use and Co-Occurring Disorders Conference

- September 15, 2019 - Pre-Conference Workshops – Cobo Hall, Detroit
- September 16-17, 2019 – Cobo Hall, Detroit

Ethics for Social Work & Substance Use Disorder Professionals Trainings for 2018/2019

Community Mental Health Association of Michigan is pleased to offer 6 Ethics for Social Work & Substance Use Disorder Professionals Trainings presented by Tom Moore, LMSW, LLP, CCS, Owner and Principal, Two Moons, LLC.

This training fulfills the Michigan Social Work Licensing Board's requirement for licensure renewal for ethics.

This training fulfills the MCBAP approved treatment ethics code education – specific.

Trainings offered on the following dates.

- February 20 – Lansing [Click Here to Register for February 20](#) *Training is full!*
- March 13 – Lansing [Click Here to Register for March 13](#)
- April 24 – Troy [Click Here to Register for April 24](#)

Training Fees: (fee includes training material, coffee, lunch and refreshments.)

\$115 CMHAM Members

\$138 Non-Members

Pain Management for Social Work and SUD Professionals Coming Soon!

Check back soon for more information and save-the-dates!

Michigan's 11th Annual Gambling Disorder Symposium



The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services invites you to join us for a day of increased awareness of Gambling Disorders:

MICHIGAN'S 11TH ANNUAL GAMBLING DISORDER SYMPOSIUM
"GAMBLING.....HOW DO YOU SEE IT?"

Friday, March 1, 2019
Diamond Center at Suburban Collection Showplace
46100 Grand River Avenue, Novi, MI 48374

Symposium Registration Fee: \$35/person [TO REGISTER, CLICK HERE!](#)

Who Should Attend: CEOs, COOs, CFOs, medical directors, clinical directors, case workers, supports coordinators, and other practitioners at all levels of practice (beginning, intermediate and/or advanced).

Miscellaneous News and Information:

Job Opportunity: Executive Director of Network 180

Network180 is seeking its next Executive Director to direct the management and delivery of a complete array of mental health, intellectual /developmental disability, and substance abuse services to the citizens of Kent County, Michigan. With an annual budget of over \$140 million, Network180 annually serves over 18,000 individuals in Kent County through a network of over 30 non-profit providers. Interested candidates can apply through our website at: <http://www.network180.org/en/employment/employment-opportunities>.

CMHAM Welcomes New Training and Meeting Planner Alexandra Risher

Alexandra comes to CMHAM with 5 years of association event planning experience. She graduated from Michigan State University with a Bachelor of Arts in Hospitality Business and earned her Certified Meeting Professional (CMP) certification in 2017. In 2016, Alexandra moved to Texas to pursue a master's in clinical Mental Health Counseling but had to return to Michigan before completion. She is excited to begin this new role as a Training and Meeting Planner at CMHAM because it allows her to further pursue her passion for mental health advocacy and event planning. In her spare time, she enjoys renovating her new house and spending time with her husband and 7-month-old son.

CMHA WEEKLY UPDATE

CMH Association's Officers and Staff Contact Information:

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The Officers of the CMH Association of Michigan recently proposed, in their commitment to fostering dialogue among the members of the Association with the Association's leaders, that their contact information be shared with the Association membership. While this dialogue will not take the place of the regular dialogue and decision making that occurs during the meetings of the Association's Executive Board, Steering Committee, Provider Alliance, Association Committees, Directors Forum, PIHP CEOs meeting, nor any of the great number of Association-sponsored and supported dialogue venues, the Officers want to ensure that the members of the Association can reach them to discuss issues of interest to the Association's members. The contact information for the officers is provided below:

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