

The 2011 AAADAC and MSATN Fall Workshop

AAADAC is pleased to once again partner with the MidSOUTH Addictions Training Network (MSATN) to co-sponsor the annual Fall Workshop at the Hilton Garden Inn in Jonesboro. The registration form for this event is on the following page.

The schedule of workshops are as follows:

- Sunday, October 2, 2011 – (6:00 PM - 9:00 PM)

“Spirituality in Treatment”

Trainer: Randy Jo Nielsen

This workshop will examine the historical and current use of spirituality in treatment approaches. Issues to be discussed include proselytizing, treatment within faith-based organizations and research on spirituality's effect on treatment success.

- Monday, October 3, 2011 – (9:00 AM - 4:00 PM)

“Conflict Mediation”

Trainer: Diane Bynum

This workshop will address the different elements of a conflict. It will examine conflicts from the differing parties' position and interesting points of view. It will demonstrate ways to move from impasse to mutual agreement. Discussion and role play will be utilized to assist in grasping this pattern of handling conflict within a therapeutic setting.

- Tuesday, October 4, 2011 – (9:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

“Implementing Strengths Based Case Management and Continuing Care in Behavioral Health”

Trainer: Lisa Murphy

This workshop will cover two evidence-based practices (EBP): Strengths Based Case Management and Continuing Care. Information on both EBPs will be discussed, as well as ways to implement into residential and outpatient behavioral health programs. We will discuss what is reimbursable through the Medicaid system. These programs will assist programs with enhancing long term client retention.

- Wednesday, October 5, 2011– (9:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

“Counseling Older Adults”

Trainer: Gary Morgan

This workshop will focus on older adults (age 55 and above), the fastest growing segment of our population. The workshop will examine myths and issues on aging, diagnostic approaches, resources and therapeutic techniques for the treatment of older adults with symptoms of mental illness and chemical dependency.

- Thursday, October 6, 2011 – (9:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

“Ethical Issues Involving COD Treatment”

Trainer: Rob Covington

This workshop will focus on ethical issues and concerns involving treatment services to persons with co-occurring disorders (COD). Considerable emphasis will be given to collaborating and interfacing with other behavioral healthcare professionals and the client's family in provision of quality services to COD clients.

- Friday, October 7, 2011 – (9:00 AM – Noon)

“Avoiding Counselor Burnout”

Trainer: Matt Knight

This workshop wraps up the AAADAC and MSATN Fall Workshop. It is a fun training that will leave you empowered and refreshed.