

Faith Partners Comprehensive Training

Goal: Train congregational teams and individuals to tackle alcohol/drug & mental health issues using the resources of their congregation

Objectives: Participants will...

1. ...understand the need for active Faith Partners teams
2. ...catch a vision for what they can do with behavioral health in 5 Areas of Caring.
3. ...see how the Faith Partners Model can work in their congregation.
4. ...will grasp the value of being a mutually supportive team.
5. ...state commitment to the next steps as teams or individual advocates.

Program Outline:

Thursday 8/11 6-8:30

- 6:00-6:30** Introductions **Slides 1-13**
Housekeeping; God's Role, Introducing Trainers, Participants
Norms, Visions, and Goals
- 6:30-7:00** Why Us and Why Now **Slides 14-39**
The need, The Opportunity
FP Provides Comprehensive Training and Sustaining Activities for Teams
- 7:00-7:05** Break – **Slide 40**
- 7:05-8:05** **Team Building True Colors Slides 41-42**
- 8:05-8:25** The Foundations of Faith Partners & Areas of Caring **Slides 44-51** –
- 8:25-8:30** Closing Thoughts – **Slide 52**
Something I liked...Something I'd like to see done differently

Saturday 8/13 9-4:30

- 9:00-9:10** Review and Preview **Slides 53-54**
- 9:10-9:40** Area of Caring #1 - Primary Prevention **Slides 55-61**
- 9:40-10:05** Area #2 - Early "Intervention" – **Slides 62-84**
Invitation Simulation
- 10:05-10:25** Area of Caring # 3 Referral & Recovery – **Slides 85-91**
- 10:25-10:45** **Lost on the Moon Slide 92**
- 10:45-10:55** **BREAK - Slide 93**

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- 11:10-11:30** Area of Caring # 4 Support Troubled Families **Slides 94-110**
- 11:30-12:15** Panel Discussion – Team Successes and Challenges **Slide 111**
- 12:15-1:00** **LUNCH Slide 112**
- 1:00-1:15** **Some Communications Fun - Slide 113**
- 1:15-1:45** Team Training – How to become a Team **Slide 114**
Broken Squares - An Exercise in Team Building
- 1:45-2:00** Area of Caring #5 – Advocacy:
Policy and Review **Slides 115-117**
- 2:00-2:30** **So What? So, What Will You Do Now? Slides 118-120**
- 2:30-2:45** **BREAK Slide 121**
- 2:45-3:15** Finding (More) Team Members – **Slides 122-126**
- 3:15-3:45** Building a Strong Foundation – **Slides 127-132**
Mission, Vision, Values, Goals, Objectives
Drafting a Mission Statement
- 3:45-4:15** Your Next Steps **Slides 133-137**
Riding the Rails
- 4:15-4:30** Closing **Slides 138-140**

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