

# ANNOUNCING

## “Safety Training for Mental Health Workers in the Community”

### Train-the-Trainer Sessions

The New York State Office of Mental Health’s Bureau of Education and Workforce Development (BEWD) is pleased to offer a series of three-day Train the Trainer sessions for designated staff of state and non-state providers of mental health services, on the “Safety Training for Mental Health Workers in the Community” curriculum. This curriculum was developed to provide mental health workers in the community with the appropriate knowledge, attitudes and skills to address workplace safety, crisis prevention and intervention, safe conduct in the field and incident analysis and debriefing.

These Train the Trainer sessions will provide staff of state and non-state providers of mental health services, who are designated by their organizations to attend, with the opportunity to become trained to directly train staff working in their own community agencies/organizations/settings using the curriculum in use at OMH facilities for training community-based staff. There is no cost to attend these Train the Trainer sessions; however, travel and/or lodging expenses associated with this training will be the responsibility of the sending agency. NYS OMH staff should contact the Bureau of Education and Workforce Development if travel will be required to attend this program.

Programs will run from 9:00 - 5:00 each day.

| LOCATION:   | DATES:                 | ADDRESS:   | REGISTER BY: |
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| WESTCHESTER | MARCH 24, 25, 26, 2010 | ST. VINCENT’S HOSPITAL<br>275 NORTH ST., HARRISON, NY                | 3/12/10      |
| ALBANY      | APRIL 13, 14, 15, 2010 | WORKERS’S COMPENSATION BOARD<br>100 BROADWAY, MENANDS, NY ROOM 518B  | 3/30/10      |
| LONG ISLAND | APRIL 20, 21, 22, 2010 | PILGRIM PSYCHIATRIC CENTER<br>998 CROOKED HILL RD., W. BRENTWOOD, NY | 4/9/10       |
| SYRACUSE    | MAY 4, 5, 6, 2010      | HUTCHINGS PSYCHIATRIC CENTER<br>620 MADISON AVE., SYRACUSE, NY       | 4/23/10      |
| ELMIRA      | MAY 17, 18, 19, 2010   | ST. JOSEPH’S HOSPITAL<br>555 ST. JOSEPH’S BLVD., ELMIRA, NY          | 4/30/10      |
| BUFFALO     | JUNE 8, 9, 10, 2010    | BUFFALO PSYCHIATRIC CENTER<br>400 FOREST AVE., BUFFALO, NY           | 5/14/10      |

**TO REGISTER:** Send an email containing the registrant’s name, organization, email address, work address and work telephone number to Dawn Lewis, OMH Bureau of Education and Workforce Development, at [cohrdml@omh.state.ny.us](mailto:cohrdml@omh.state.ny.us). **Pre-registration is required. Space is limited. Confirmations of acceptance with additional information regarding training locations will be emailed to attendees in advance of each program. Please register by the deadlines noted above.**

