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We would like to offer a very special "Thank You" to Schuylkill County Drug and Alcohol Programs for bringing Mr. Bruce Shaffer, a nationally recognized trainer to Schuylkill County. Because of their sponsorship, we are able to participate in a professional training at no cost.

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Training Opportunity

Stimulants

Friday, May 4, 2018

9:30AM - 4:30PM

Alvernia University
Schuylkill Campus



Meet Our Trainer

Bruce Shaffer, M.ED., C.C.J.P. has a Master's Degree in Counseling Psychology from Temple University, Philadelphia, PA. He has over 30 years experience in the substance abuse field. Mr. Shaffer has been employed by various treatment agencies in various capacities. At present, Mr. Shaffer is self employed splitting his time between therapy and training.

Your Training Host

Clinical Outcomes Group, Inc. (COGI)
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STIMULANTS

Methamphetamine has been a problematic substance in the Western United States for more than a decade. However here in the Eastern part of the country, it did not really present as much as a problem. That is no longer a reality. Many Eastern Mid-Atlantic States are now reporting significant increases in use, treatment, hospital incident, arrests, etc. Right along with this trend, the helping profession, have seen an increase in the use of amphetamine (Adderal, Ritalin), ecstasy, cocaine, and bath salts.

This workshop is designed to increase a helping professional's awareness of the bio-psychosocial effects of stimulants on the individual, the family, and society.

Participants Can Expect to learn the following:

- ◆ Current trends
- ◆ What the drugs are
- ◆ Signs & symptoms of abuse
- ◆ Different forms, routes of ingestion, and the slang of this culture
- ◆ Short and long term effects
- ◆ The basics of a methamphetamine "meth" lab
- ◆ Basic treatment strategies
- ◆ The effects on children that live in these environments

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A 1 hr break for lunch on your own is planned.

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While there is no cost for this training,
Registration is REQUIRED.

Seating is Limited
Reserve Your Seat Today!

To Register: Visit www.coginc.org and
click on the link for the Stimulants
Training under "New to COGI website"