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TRAINING ACADEMY
SCHOOL FOR COUNSELORS



Earn a California Certified Prevention Specialist Certificate (CCPS)

This 45 hour certificate and CE program is appropriate for everyone who has a role in the field of prevention.

For AOD and mental health professionals, social workers, and other human service workers. This workshop will review environmental strategies and prevention efforts that aim to change or influence community standards, institutions, structures, and attitudes that shape individuals' and community behaviors.

Now Accepting Registrations!!

Classes beginning February 25, 2010!

4660 Viewridge Ave, San Diego, CA 92123

6 classes (9:00 AM to 6:00 PM)

* exception 6th class is five hours

8 Hours of Continuing Education Per Class

OR 45 Hours for full program

\$499

includes Registration, Tuition, Course Materials,
& Completion Certificate.



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Counselors and Social Workers (MFTs, LCSWs): California Board of Behavioral Sciences (Provider #2280).

CAADAC: California Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors (Provider # IS-01-478-1011).

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CAARR: California Association of Addiction Recovery Resources (Provider # 5046).

RAS: Registered Addiction Specialist- Breining Institute (Provider # CEP0803031013-WRM-HS-CW).

Nurses: Mead Academy-MHS, Inc. is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing (Provider #CEP 15343)

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Start Date: April 22, 2010

Location: The Hacienda- 2550 W. Clinton Ave., Fresno, CA 93705



Code	Class Title	Date	Summary of Class
PC-950	Ethics for Prevention Specialists & Theories of Addiction: Impact of Prevention	4/22/2010	This class will review CAADAC Certified Prevention Specialist requirements and expectations. This workshop will examine a sample code of ethical conduct for prevention professionals and review different cases in ethical judgments in prevention situations. Part II: This workshop will discuss the theories of addiction and why it is important for the prevention field to understand these theories. It will review modalities of treatment and discussion will revolve around the historical perspectives of AOD use and dependencies.
PC-951	Overview of Prevention & Community Assessment	4/23/2010	This class provides an overview of SPF. It will discuss prevention terms, definitions and briefly discuss SAMHSA Prevention Framework. This workshop reviews five methods to community assessment and how to meet the needs of the communities' problems and goals.
PC-952	Community Capacity Building & Research Based Practices	4/24/2010	This workshop describes networking strategies, team building techniques and effective use of coalitions. Instructor will review how to utilize SPF for community building. Part V will describe the building blocks of a successful prevention program. It will give detailed information about evidence-based practices and review evidence based prevention programs.
PC-953	Public, Organizational Policy & Systems Approach to Prevention	4/29/2010	Participants will understand policy approaches to the prevention of alcohol problems, model policies, enforcement, local government processes with focus on social host liability – preventing underage drinking parties, alcohol industry marketing and its impact on youth, alcohol retail availability and community health, responsible beverage service and advocating for change at the community, state and national level. In this class participants will understand the purposes of evaluation and bringing all of the components of SPF together.
PC-954	Human Development and its impact on Communities & Culture and Special Populations in AOD Prevention	4/30/2010	Part I of this class will describe how human development has an impact on prevention strategies. It will present an effective strategy for analyzing a community's development and methods for working within that community. Part II will discuss dimensions and elements of culture and diversity and their relationship to prevention planning through the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF). It will identify barriers and strategies for working in communities as it related to gender and culture.
PC-955	Teaching and Training	5/1/2010	Participants will learn basic and advanced methods of training and presentations. They will look at target audiences, learning preferences and transfer of learning techniques. Students will understand the significant influences of media in prevention.

Enrolling Now for Individual Workshops OR Full Course!!



\$96 per class
8 Continuing Education Hours OR
\$499 full course 45 CE hours

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DESCRIPTION OF MODULE

This 45 hour certificate and CE program is appropriate for individuals who have a role in prevention; AOD and mental health professionals, social workers, and other social service workers. The purpose of this training is to provide an overview of basic information for substance abuse prevention professionals. This course will review environmental strategies and prevention efforts that aim to change or influence community standards, institutions, structures, and attitudes that shape individuals' behaviors. Focus is on SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework.

Instruction will include the following:

- Overview of Prevention
- SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework
- ATOD & Prevention Education and Knowledge
- Public and Organizational Policy
- Systems Approach to Prevention
- Research Based Prevention Planning
- Community Capacity Building
- Community Assessment
- Teaching and Training
- Culture, Gender and Special Populations
- Prevention Ethics

COURSE INFORMATION

This course is 45 hours of instruction. It will be offered in the following locations in 2010: Fresno, San Diego

Students will receive an attendance certificate with transcripts and/or a 45 hour continuing education certificate and Certificate in Expertise in Prevention Studies by meeting the following requirements:

- Attendance in course
- Completing written and reading assignments
- Class participation
- Completion of written test
- Paying all fees and tuition

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These modules are designed for persons wanting to enter or are currently working in the field of prevention. Students may utilize this certificate as part of CAADACs application process for California Certified Prevention Specialist (CCPS). See CAADAC full application at:

<http://www.caadac.org/pages/certification/certification-requirements/california-certified-prevention-specialist-ccps.php>

CORE FUNCTIONS (From CAADAC CCPS manual) Bolded areas are included in the WRM prevention certificate program (45 hours). Students are responsible for submitting all other trainings requirements with CCPS application.

Core Area I *Minimum hours: 10*

Planning & Evaluation:

- A. Planning**
- B. Evaluation Theory & Procedure**
- C. Community Assessment & Data Collection**
- D. Evaluation**
- E. Grant & Proposal Writing

Core Area II *Minimum hours: 40*

Education and Skill Development

- A. Human Development**
- B. Teaching and Training**
- C. Public Speaking**
- D. Pharmacology*
- E. Theories of Addiction***
- F. Signs & Symptoms of ATOD Abuse and Dependence***
- G. HIV/AIDS+ (6 hours)
- H. ATOD Prevention Resources & Models/Historical Perspectives***
- I. Supervisory/Management Skills

Core Area III *Minimum hours: 10*

Community Organization:

- A. Community Capacity Building**
- B. Networking**
- C. Working with Volunteers
- D. Prevention Program Development**

Core Area IV *Minimum hours: 10*

Public and Organizational Policy:

- A. Marketing**
- B. Written Communication

Core Area V *Minimum hours: 10*

Professional Growth & Responsibility:

- A. Systems Approach to Prevention**
- B. Group Facilitation
- C. Prevention Ethics (6 hours)**
- D. Rules and Regulations
- E. Family Dynamics
- F. Cultural Diversity**

(*) areas are CAADAC requirements for application.

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Full Course \$499

Includes registration, course material, tuition fee and Certificate of Expertise in Prevention Studies.

This is a continuing education and prevention series. Students must participate in all workshops to receive the full CE hours or Prevention Attendance Certificate.

Participants may attend individual workshops separately at the cost of \$12 per hour.

Five eight hour workshops @ \$96 and one six hour class is \$60

Classes are:

- Thursday, April 22 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
- Friday, April 23 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
- Saturday, April 24 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
- Thursday, April 29 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
- Friday, April 30 9:00 am - 6:00 pm
- Saturday, May 1 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

For more information and course locations contact the Mead Academy Enrollment Coordinator by email at wrmta@mhsinc.org or by phone at 866-910-2600 x 1709

Three easy ways to register:

- Fax enrollment form to 858-278-1758
- [Click Here](#) to register online

REFUND INFORMATION

Withdrawal from the course before the start date will result in a 90% refund minus 10% will be kept for administration costs. Withdrawal during the course will result in a percentage equal to the hours not attended. Any notification of withdrawal or cancellation and any request for refund must be in writing.

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