



Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist Training (SAPST) -Training of Trainers-

June 7, 2010 through June 10, 2010
Hal Holmes Center, 209 N. Ruby Street, Ellensburg, WA

The Prevention Specialist Certification Board of Washington (PSCBW) is providing this Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist Training, Training of Trainers (SAPST-TOT) based upon a national curriculum developed by the federal Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP).

Participants will be trained and certified to deliver the SAPST curriculum. Participants will be selected on the basis of several factors including and not limited to:

- Having completed the SAPST participant training
- Levels of prevention and training experience
- An estimate of the extent that the applicant plans to deliver the SAPST within Washington State
- Participants being representative of the broad diversity and geography of Washington State

A training fee will be assessed for this training. The regular registration fee is \$150. The discount registration fee for current Certified Prevention Professionals is \$125.

Training Content: The training will incorporate practice in preparing and delivering the SAPST curriculum. There will also be material on interactive training techniques. Participants' presentations will be evaluated by other participants and the trainers. The SAPST modules will address:

- Prevention in its Historical Content
- Research, Planning and Evaluation
- Dimensions of Diversity and Cultural Issues
- Media (Media Advocacy, Media Literacy and Social Marketing)
- Human Development and Prevention
- Ethics

Lead Trainer -- Nora Luna: She is currently an Area Extension Specialist in School Retention for the University of Nevada Cooperative Extension Southern Area. She develops, implements, and evaluates programs to enhance school engagement and prevent school dropout. Previously, she served as the Associate Director of the U.S. – Mexico Border Communities Alliance for the Western Center for the Application of Prevention Technologies. Ms. Luna has over ten years of prevention experience, is a Certified Prevention Specialist and has been a staff member of the University of Nevada Reno since 1998. She was the lead in the development of all Western CAPT Spanish products and other materials such as SAPST. She has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminal Justice and a Master of Education degree in Educational Psychology. She is bilingual (English and Spanish).

Certificate of Completion: Participants are required to attend all four days of the training. Upon completion, participants will be awarded a certificate. The PSCBW has approved hours from SAPST TOT to be used toward the initial application for a Certified Prevention Professional (CPP) credential. Hours may also be used to fulfill CPP continuing education requirements.

Register by May 3rd, 2010 – Space is limited.

To register, mail the following:

- Completed application (see below)
- Check payable to “Prevention Specialist Certification Board of Washington.” The regular registration fee is \$150. The discount registration fee for current Certified Prevention Professionals is \$125. Checks will be held pending selection of participants.
- Mail payment to:
Lisa Jacobsen, Certification Secretary
Prevention Specialist Certification Board of Washington
P.O. Box 865
Burlington, WA 98233

Approximately three weeks prior to the training, the PSCBW will confirm whether your registration has been accepted or you have been placed on a wait list. If more registrations are received than space available, the PSCBW will limit the number of individuals from an organization. Participants confirmed to attend the training will receive SAPST training manuals and other training materials. Light refreshments will be provided. Lunch will be on your own.

For questions about this training, please contact:

- Alan Zeuge, PSCBW Board Member
- Telephone at (509) 477-4508
OR
- Email at azeuge@spokanecounty.org

For more information about the PSCBW, please visit:

www.PreventionCertificationWA.org OR www.pscbw.com

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**Application
SAPST Training of Trainers
June 7-10, 2010**

Name (First and Last): _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

Please respond to the following: (attach additional sheets if necessary)

1) Are you a current Certified Prevention Professional (CPP) credentialed through the PSCBW?

Yes

No

Other – I hold a current Certified Prevention Specialist credential through the International Certification & Reciprocity Consortium (IC&RC) member board: _____

2) When and where did you complete the SAPST training?

3) How many years experience do you have in substance abuse prevention? Summarize your work and volunteer history in substance abuse prevention.

4) Describe your experience making presentations and delivering trainings. Describe the training certifications you have. (For example: Strengthening Families (10-14), Second Step, Life Skills, etc.)

5) After you complete the SAPST TOT, what are your plans to deliver the SAPST within Washington State? Estimate frequency (how often it will be offered per year), expected number of people to be reached per year, type of anticipated audiences, and efforts to reach diverse populations.