

Prevention Quarterly Meeting and Training

AGENDA

Ashland United Methodist Church
2600 Ashland Road, Columbia, S.C.

Thursday, August 3, 2017

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| 9:00 am – 9:30 am | Sign In |
| 9:30 am – 10:45 am | DAODAS Updates/Business
The Blunt Truth Updates |
| 10:45 am – 11:00 am | Break |
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11:00 am – 11:45 am *It's SCAPPA Time*

Objective: Prevention professionals in the field will gain knowledge on how to obtain Prevention Specialist Certification and also the levels of certification. A discussion will also be held on what is needed to maintain S. C. professional standards/certification to ensure continued education and awareness.

This session will also include:

SCAPPA Board Overview and Updates

Certification Purpose and Updates on the Certification Process

- Recognition of newly Certified Prevention Specialist(s)
- Updates: Certification Training Review Committee & Certification Peer Review Committee
- Scholarship Fundraising Update

It's SCAPPA Time

- a. SCAPPA Updates – **Brandi Simmons, SCAPPA President**
 - b. Fundraising update/Discussion
 - c. Jan Oglietti Scholarship Award
 - d. Certification Update and Recognition of newly Certified Prevention Specialist – **Wehme Hutto**
 - e. Peer Review Committee - **Wade Bishop**
 - f. Training Review Committee - **Amanda Prince**
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CERTIFICATION PURPOSE

The establishment of standards and a system of voluntary professional certification assures the opportunity for continued growth and development for prevention specialists in the substance abuse field.

The Certified Prevention Specialist is an individual who has demonstrated competence related to alcohol, tobacco and drug prevention and who provides services that build the capacity of individuals and systems to promote healthy environments, lifestyles, and communities. *International Certification and Reciprocity Consortium (IC&RC)*

12:00 pm – 1:15 pm Lunch

1:15 pm – 3:15 pm

How to Create and Build a Coalition in your Community

Trainers:

Dawn Blackmon, CSPS, ICPS
Regional Capacity Coach, Region III
Circle Park Prevention Services

Jessie Marlowe
Prevention Coordinator
Shoreline Behavioral Health Services

Participants will learn and/or be provided information on:

1. What a coalition is and what it means to establish a grassroots, community coalition
2. What your community coalition should look like and who should be a part of the coalition
3. Learn what are the advantages and disadvantages of working with a community Coalition
4. What are the steps to developing and building a Coalition
5. How to maintain a coalition.

3:15 pm

Q & A / Evaluations

About the Trainers

Dawn Calcutt Blackmon, CSPS, ICPS

Dawn Calcutt Blackmon is the Regional Capacity Coach at Circle Park Prevention Services for Region III of South Carolina. At Circle Park, she has served as the Coordinator of the 12th Judicial Circuit Alcohol Enforcement Team, the Florence County Coalition for Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Prevention, the Drug Free Communities Support Program for Florence County and the Community Trials Project. Mrs. Blackmon has worked in the alcohol, tobacco and other drug abuse prevention field for over 22 years and serves on several key statewide task forces and committees. She is a certified senior prevention specialist (CSPS), a certified trainer for Substance Abuse Prevention Skills Training (SAPST) and the Palmetto Retailers Education Program (PREP). She has also served as a trainer for the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Program in Washington DC. Mrs. Blackmon served as president of the South Carolina Association of Prevention Professionals and Advocates (SCAPPA) and previously served on the board. Mrs. Blackmon is a graduate of Francis Marion University with a Bachelors Degree of Business Administration and lives in Florence with her husband and 2 daughters.

Jessie Marlowe, CSPS

Jessie Marlowe serves as the Prevention Coordinator at Shoreline Behavioral Health Services. The department houses primary prevention, the DFC grant, the ECHO grant, Community Outreach, AET, and a Ropes Course that runs full time. Jessie is a graduate of Coastal Carolina University, with a Bachelor's Degree in Health Promotion. She has been in the field for almost 9 years, and is a Certified Senior Prevention Specialist (CSPS). Jessie serves on the BHSA Prevention Committee, the SCAPPA Board, the Horry County CAST Coalition and the 15th Circuit Heroin Coalition, while co-chairing the prevention sub-committee on the heroin coalition. She is a PREP instructor for Training of Trainers. Jessie previously was the CAST Coordinator, and worked under the Safe Schools, Healthy Students grant. Jessie lives in Conway with her husband, two boys, and two dogs.