

# MSAPCB News & Views

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## Intervention Specialty Endorsement Follow Up

In late 2011, a survey was sent out to our professionals to see if there was interest in the MSAPCB creating a new Interventionist Specialty Endorsement. Based on the results of the survey and Board discussion, it was decided not to create an endorsement at this time. However, it did appear that there was interest in Interventionist training. Therefore, the MSAPCB will be conducting a 2 day Interventionist training in Jefferson City in late October 2012. The details of the training are still being finalized. This training will be designed so that all participants will have met the training requirements necessary to apply to the National Association of Intervention Specialists for their Board Registered Intervention Level I credential. There are other requirements in addition to the training that professionals would need to obtain to apply. Details of the national credential will be provided at the live training in October. Watch for more details about the training later this Spring.

## Attention All Professionals

If you have any changes to your information that we keep on file, it is **YOUR RESPONSIBILITY** to let us know of those changes as soon as possible. Informational changes could be a variety of items including name, address, phone number, e-mail address, or work information.

To inform us of changes, you can call us at 573-751-9211, or fill out the change of address form on our website and e-mail the form back to us at [help@msapcb.com](mailto:help@msapcb.com).

■ Please make sure when applying for a credential that you are using the most recent application. To do this, go to our web site at [www.msapcb.com](http://www.msapcb.com) and look at the application online to see if the date matches the application you are submitting.

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## 2012 Calendar of Events



- Feb 10 Ethics Training in Park Hills, MO
- Feb 24 Ethics Training in St. Louis, MO
- March 2 Ethics Training in Springfield, MO
- March 2 Group Counseling Training in Sedalia, MO
- March 3 Ethics Training in Kansas City, MO
- March 8 MSAPCB Board Meeting Conference Call
- March 15 Supervision Training in St. Louis, MO
- March 22 Supervision Training in Jefferson City, MO
- March 23 Spirituality Training in Sikeston, MO
- March 23 Spirituality Training in Springfield, MO
- March 24 Ethics Training in Jefferson City, MO

### **MATS/MARS Program Update**

Due to some contract changes regarding the original Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist (MATS) program, starting January 1, 2012, the MATS program was changed to the new Medication Assisted Recovery Specialist (MARS) program. The new MARS program was created by a committee here in Missouri and focuses the program entirely on the science of addiction, the concept of addiction as a brain disease and a focus on the FDA approved medications being used to treat substance use disorders. The new MARS program consists of 32 self study hours followed by a 1 day 8 hour live training for a total of 40 training hours. Participants are tested over each of the 7 self study modules. The purpose of this program is to provide participants a comprehensive understanding of medication assisted recovery and how medications fit into an overall recovery system. The cost of the entire program is \$100. The new program started on January 1, 2012 with 57 participants. If you are interested in this program, watch for announcements in late March regarding a new group of participants to start May 1, 2012.

### **Board Elections/Appointments**

At the January 26, 2012 Board meeting, the following elections/appointments were made:

1. 2012 President—Clif Johnson
2. 2012 Vice President—Gloria Nepote
3. 2012 Treasurer—Jane Pfefferkorn
4. 2012 Secretary—Alicia Ozenberger
5. Corrections Member-At-Large Rep—Randall Robb—3 year term
6. Recovery Support/Faith Member-At-Large Rep—Jane Pfefferkorn—3 year term
7. General Member-At-Large Rep—Fran Joy—3 year term
8. Ethics Chair—Gloria Nepote
9. Ethics Committee—Ronnie Beaver and Mark McDonald
10. Education Chair—Larry Manion
11. Education Committee—Craig Miner and Kimberly Crouch
12. Legislative Committee—Alicia Ozenberger
13. Cultural Concerns—Bianca Farr

Congratulations to all those elected or appointed!

### **Professional Lookup Feature**

Have you viewed our new Professional Lookup Feature found on our web page at [www.msapcb.com](http://www.msapcb.com)? You may now look up yourself or another credentialed professional by last name or credential number. Information provided includes name, credential (s) held, credential number, original credential date, renewal date and clinical supervision number if applicable. A print button feature was recently added for verification printing.



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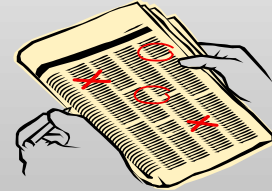
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## Advertising Opportunities

The MSAPCB offers several types of advertising opportunities. First, agencies may advertise employment openings on our web site for 30 days at a cost of \$45.00. Second, individuals can post resumes on our web site for 30 days at a cost of \$45.00. Third, agencies may purchase advertising space in our newsletter. Finally, we offer banner space on our web site main page. To take advantage of these opportunities, please contact us at 573-751-9211 or by e-mail at [help@msapcb.com](mailto:help@msapcb.com).



## Training Calendar

The MSAPCB provides a training calendar on our web site that identifies MSAPCB pre-approved training opportunities being offered around the state. The calendar can be accessed from our main page by choosing the Trainings/Live Trainings links. You may then choose a particular region of the state and month to see what pre-approved trainings are available. In addition, from our main page, choosing the Trainings/Online/Homestudy links will show you a listing of online/homestudy companies that have been approved by the MSAPCB.

If your agency would like to have trainings pre-approved, please contact Scott Breedlove for more information about the pre-approval process.

## Certified Reciprocal Prevention Specialist

The MSAPCB has decided to continue offering the Certified Reciprocal Prevention Specialist (CRPS) credential at a reduced fee of \$150.00 until June 30, 2012. This is a reduction of \$185.00 from the normal fee of \$335.00. We encourage those holding a current Missouri Substance Abuse Prevention Associate (MSAPA) credential to take advantage of this opportunity and upgrade to the IC&RC reciprocal level of prevention credentialing.

In addition, due to a lack of prevention supervision training opportunities, the requirement that current CRPS and Missouri Advanced Certified Substance Abuse Prevention Professionals (MACSAPP) must have attended the prevention training from ACT Missouri to sign off on CRPS applications will not take place until after June 30, 2012 as well.

The CRPS application can be obtained at [www.msapcb.com](http://www.msapcb.com) under the applications link.

## **Upcoming MSAPCB 2012 Trainings**

The MSAPCB offers the following upcoming training opportunities:

1. Friday February 10: "Ethics" in Park Hills, MO.
2. Friday February 24: "Ethics" in St. Louis, MO.
3. Friday March 2: "Ethics" in Springfield, MO.
4. Friday March 2: "Group Counseling" in Sedalia, MO.
5. Saturday March 3: "Ethics" in Kansas City, MO.
6. Thursday March 15-Friday March 16: "Clinical Supervision" in St. Louis, MO.
7. Thursday March 22—Friday March 23: "Clinical Supervision" in Jefferson City, MO.
8. Friday March 23: "Spirituality" in Springfield, MO.
9. Friday March 23: "Spirituality" in Sikeston, MO.
10. Saturday March 24: "Ethics" in Jefferson City, MO.

These trainings have different times, contact hours and costs.

For more information about any training or to sign up for one of these trainings, please contact Amy Frank at 573-751-9211 or at [amy.frank@dmh.mo.gov](mailto:amy.frank@dmh.mo.gov).

## **Clinical Supervision Training Changes**

The MSAPCB will be moving toward a new required Clinical Supervision Training model after May 2012. Many of you have attended the 3 day Clinical Supervision Training we have been offering since 2006. Starting in June of this year, the MSAPCB will be offering a new National Supervision training created by the National Addiction Technology Transfer Centers (NATTC). This new national model includes 14 hours of online training followed by a 2.5 day live training. Included in the live training will be several hours of training on specific MSAPCB credentialing processes. There will be 2 more Clinical Supervision Trainings under the current model in March 2012. These locations are in St. Louis and Jefferson City. After that, the new model will be promoted starting in June of 2012 after several people attend a Training of Trainers for the new model in May 2012. The cost of the new training will be \$125.00 and participants will receive 35 total contact hours of training. The new training will be the new required training for those wanting to supervise applicants in the credentialing process. Those who have already attended the current training will not have to go through the new training. It will be required for new supervisor applicants. However, we will offer a discounted rate for any individual who has already attended the current training but may want to attend the new training. We are also currently working on a new supervisor refresher course for those interested. Watch for more announcements regarding clinical supervision.

## **MSAPCB Disciplinary Action**

The MSAPCB has issued the following disciplinary action in the last few months:

1. Placed Daniel Bailey on probation until November 8, 2013.
2. Placed Angela Donahue on probation until October 5, 2014.
3. Michelle Rodabaugh's credentials were revoked.
4. Placed Dennis McGee on probation until October 5, 2013.

## The Missouri Recovery Network has MOVED!

The MRN office has MOVED and we have new contact information to share. Our new office is located at 1905 Stadium Blvd, Jefferson City, MO. Our new phone number is 573-634-1029 and our email address is [morecovery@pbhc.org](mailto:morecovery@pbhc.org). Our new mailing address is PO Box 104146, Jefferson City, MO 65110. Our website will remain the same at [www.morecovery.org](http://www.morecovery.org). Be sure to add us to your Favorites!

The Missouri Recovery Network (MRN) is growing and maturing as an organization and we have worked diligently to become the STATEWIDE VOICE FOR RECOVERY, with close to 2,000 members joining our recovery advocacy efforts statewide.

We hope you took part in one or more of our many statewide recovery events that took place during the month of September, National Recovery Month. As the recovery movement and community continue to grow, we continue to seek out opportunities to assist us in fulfilling our mission. If you are not a member, we invite you to join our efforts. You may join online via our website [www.morecovery.org](http://www.morecovery.org). If you are already a member, please tell others about us and encourage them to join our efforts.

Recovery is possible and REAL and happens everyday and in many ways. The pathways are multiple and we believe that sharing our stories of success offer hope to others still suffering from the disease of addiction. We continually strive to reduce the stigma and discrimination which keeps many individuals from seeking the help they need to get well. Help us make a difference one life at a time by joining our efforts and telling others about us!

MRN VISION: All Missourians with alcohol and/or other drug use disorders are assured prompt, equal access to treatment & recovery support services allowing them to achieve and sustain recovery and be accepted as valued members of their communities.

MRN MISSION: The Missouri Recovery Network mobilizes those in recovery, their families and allies to help end discrimination, broaden social understanding about addiction and recovery, reduce barriers to and support recovery, and achieve an improved public response to alcohol and other drug use disorders as a public health crisis.