

**Announcement of Pre-application Webinar  
Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) No. SM-17-008  
Promoting Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care (PIPBHC) Grant Program**

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration is announcing a webinar for prospective applicants interested in applying for fiscal year 2017 **Promoting Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care Grant Program**. (Short title: PIPBHC, FOA No. SM-17-008). The webinar and conference call will be led by SAMHSA, Center for Mental Health Services staff.

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) has announced it is accepting applications for fiscal year 2017 Promoting Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care Grant Program. The purpose of this program is to (1) promote full integration and collaboration in clinical practice between primary and behavioral healthcare; (2) support the improvement of integrated models for primary and behavioral health care to improve the overall wellness and physical health status of adults with serious mental illness; and (3) promote and offer integrated care services related to screening, diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of mental and substance use disorders, and co-occurring physical health conditions and chronic diseases. SAMHSA expects that a continuum of prevention, treatment and recovery support services will be offered to consumers within the PIPBHC grant program.

SAMHSA is proposing to award approximately 11 grants up to \$2 million each for a total of \$22.612 million this FY.

The webinar will be held on the following date:

**April 6, 2017 (Thursday)**

Time: 3:00 – 4:00 pm EDT

Dial-in Number: 888-324-8508

Participant Passcode: 3855831

Net Conference Access Information URL: <https://www.mymeetings.com/nc/join/>

Conference Web Number: PWXW3492410

Participant Passcode: 3855831

Participants can join the event webinar directly at:

[Webinar access.](#)

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Applicants with questions on program issues should contact PIPBHC program staff via email at [PBHCI@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:PBHCI@samhsa.hhs.gov). Applicants with questions about grants management and budget issues should contact Gwendolyn Simpson at [FOACMHS@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:FOACMHS@samhsa.hhs.gov)