Training and Technical Assistance Related to COVID-19

MHTTC Resources


Responding to COVID-19: highlight products and resources that can be useful when coping with the effects of widespread public health crises such as:

- Psychosocial Impacts of Disasters: Assisting Community Leaders
- Supportive Practices for Mental Health Professionals During Pandemic-Related Social Distancing

Recorded webinars:


Upcoming webinars:

- Changing the Conversation about Mental Health to Support Students During a Pandemic - April 9, 2020 – https://wiche.zoom.us/meeting/register/v5csf-2gpjluZPbtd8qPghoAaNNgvLyOjQ
- Changing the Conversation About Mental Health - How do we Come Back to the New Normal? – April 13, 2020 - https://wiche.zoom.us/meeting/register/uJYlcu2oqzwuXiNmgW8gO2vy5y4ovykkQO
- Telehealth Learning and Consultation (TLC) Tuesdays - Mountain Plains MHTTC, Mid-America MHTTC, and Mid-America ATTC
  - April 7, 11-12pm ET: Telehealth Billing
  - April 14, 11-12pm ET: Telehealth Tools
  - April 21, 11-12pm ET: Telehealth with Children and Adolescents
  - April 28, 11-12pm ET: Telehealth Troubleshooting

ATTC Resources

ATTC Pandemic Response Resources - https://attcnetwork.org/centers/global-attc/pandemic-response-resources

- Compassion Fatigue and the Behavioral Health Workforce Curriculum Infusion Package - This 5-part Curriculum Infusion Package (CIP) on Compassion Fatigue and the Behavioral Health Workforce was developed in 2020 by the Pacific Southwest Addiction Technology Transfer Center (PSATTC). Part 1 provides a brief overview of the behavioral health workforce and associated shortages, and introduces the demands on the workforce. Part 2 focuses on compassion fatigue and secondary traumatic stress. Part 3 provides a brief overview of how organizations can help individuals avoid experiencing burnout. Part 4 focuses on actions that behavioral health professionals can take to prevent compassion fatigue. And Part 5 focuses on self-care as an ethical duty in order to manage compassion fatigue - https://attcnetwork.org/centers/pacific-southwest-attc/news/compassion-fatigue-and-behavioral-health-workforce-curriculum

- Telehealth Learning Series - The Addiction Technology Transfer Center (ATTC) Network, the Center for Excellence on Protected Health Information (CoE-PHI), the National Consortium of Telehealth Resource Centers,
and the Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies (CASAT) at the University of Nevada - Reno (UNR) are facilitating a FREE, national online discussion and resource sharing opportunity for substance use disorder (SUD) treatment providers and peer support specialists faced with transitioning their services to the use of telephone and videoconferencing methods in response to COVID-19 social distancing guidelines - https://telehealthlearning.org/telehealth/

**PTTC Resources**

PTTC Pandemic Response Resources - https://pttcnetwork.org/centers/global-pttc/pandemic-response-resources

- Prevention Practitioner’s Role in Disaster Response
  The purpose of this checklist is to prepare the prevention practitioner for their role before and after disasters. They have unique skills that can assist and align with disaster response efforts.

**SMI Adviser Resources**

SMI Adviser Coronavirus Resources: https://smiadviser.org/about/covid

- Resources on COVID-19 and Serious Mental Illness
- Education Activities about COVID-19
- COVID-19 Resources

**Recorded Webinars**


**Center of Excellence for Protected Health Information – Focus-PHI**

While the CoE-PHI develops tools and resources to increase healthcare organization and provider awareness about OCR and SAMHSA COVID-19 Guidance and Resources (and what they can do to protect patient privacy while providing SUD and MH telehealth services), we suggest reviewing SAMHSA’s COVID-19 Guidance and Resources as well as the HHS Office of Civil Rights’ Notification of Enforcement Discretion for Telehealth Remote Communications During the COVID-19 Nationwide Public Health Emergency.

**PCSS Resources**

**Tip Sheet**

- Telehealth Tip Sheet - https://custom.cvent.com/10D3BAE39269457884C1D96DE1DF8D8D/files/c0f35116b188481b80df828b226e90c1.docx

**Recorded Webinars**

- Telepsychiatry’s Role in Medication Assisted Treatment: https://pcssnow.org/event/telepsychiatrys-role-in-medication-assisted-treatment/
• Use of Buprenorphine in the Management of Opioid Dependence in Underserved Communities:  

**Online Trainings**

• Supporting Providers After Overdose Death: https://learning.pcssnow.org/p/SupportingProviders
• Grief and Managing an Overdose Death: https://pcssnow.org/event/grief-and-managing-an-overdose-death/
• Young adult seeking treatment after overdosing: https://pcssnow.org/education-training/training-courses/teenager-seeking-treatment-after-overdosing-part-1/
• Stress, Relaxation, and Mindful Breathing: A Primer: https://pcssnow.org/education-training/training-courses/9-stress-relaxation-mindful-breathing-primer/

**Checklist**

• Initial Patient Contact about Buprenorphine Checklist -

**ORN Resources**

**Recorded Webinars**

• Compassionate Fatigue and Self Care: For Helping Professionals Working with Opioid Related Disorders

**Manual**

• Adapting Your Practice: Recommendations for the Care of Homeless Patients with Opioid Use Disorders -

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