

# Education & Training Webinar

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## THE RATIONALE:

### Addressing Tobacco Use in Behavioral Health Services

This one-hour presentation thoroughly explores the bio-psycho-social aspects of tobacco use disorder specific to individuals with mental and substance use disorders. Data are reviewed to explain a high prevalence of the use of combustible tobacco and vaping products, the physical and mental health consequences, and common misconceptions that sustain smoking in the treatment setting and recovery community. A description of a systems approach for integrating tobacco interventions into existing services is provided.

## REGISTRATION:

- There is no registration fee
- Use bit.ly link to register
- Limited to 25 registrants

## INTENDED AUDIENCE

All clinical and non-clinical staff, recovery peers, interns, volunteers, & community allies. This foundational training is the first of a series and is considered a prerequisite to subsequent webinars.

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## INSTRUCTOR:



Tony Klein, MPA, NCACII has over thirty-five years of administrative, clinical, and training experience in behavioral health services. Known for his advocacy to address tobacco use disorder in mental health and drug & alcohol treatment, he develops curricula and program integration strategies to support evidence-based tobacco interventions anchored in the principles of recovery-oriented care.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- 01** Define the origin of prevailing tobacco-related social norms in the treatment & recovery culture.
- 02** Cite data to demonstrate that Pennsylvanians with mental & substance use disorders have disproportional tobacco-related health disparities & inadequate access to appropriate tobacco treatment services.
- 03** Identify strategies to denormalize tobacco use in behavioral health settings & support evidence-based tobacco use disorder interventions within a recovery-oriented framework.

