

# Magellan's Pennsylvania team will host four workshops during the 2024 RCPA Conference

Magellan Behavioral Health of Pennsylvania was recently chosen to host four workshops during the [2024 RCPA conference \*Embracing Challenges, Empowering Success\*](#) to be held September 24-27 in Hershey, PA. The workshops and a short overview of each are as follows:

## **Bridging Gaps Between "Us" and "Them": Increasing Personal & Professional Skill Sets During Intervention**

In a groundbreaking collaboration, Magellan Behavioral Health of Pennsylvania and JKM Training, Inc.: Safe Crisis Management Training unite to train practitioners. This boundary-spanning effort aims to equip professionals to better meet the needs of individuals facing dual diagnosis with mental health and intellectual disabilities by fostering skills in self-management and ensuring comprehensive support for this unique population.

## **Empowering Autistic Lives: Psychiatric Rehabilitation Strategies**

This workshop introduces strategies for addressing the unique needs of autistic individuals through psychiatric rehabilitation. A collaborative effort involving the Behavioral Health Managed Care Organization, ASERT, psychiatric rehabilitation providers, and autistic self-advocates has shaped this initiative. Participants will gain insights into partner roles, the specific service needs of autistic individuals, and available staff training. The workshop underscores the importance of adopting a person-centered approach to support within this setting, promoting a holistic and individualized approach for the well-being of autistic adults.

## **Podcast Healing: Crafting Conversations for Behavioral Wellness**

Unlock the power of podcasting as a transformative tool in the field of behavioral health! In this dynamic workshop, participants will delve into the fascinating world of podcasting, exploring its history, current trends, and its potential impact on the behavioral health industry.

## **Using Data Collaboratively to Improve Provider and Member Outcomes: How BH-MCOs and Providers Can Partner to Drive Change**

Providers working with a BH-MCO used to be a scary thought, now not so much. This presentation will provide clear strategies on how BH-MCOs and providers can partner to improve member and provider outcomes, improve internal efficiencies, and achieve strategic benchmarks by using data to your advantage.