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We are also pleased to, once again this year, have the PCB Ethics Committee members on a panel to discuss the important topic of ethics. Our fabulous array of training and trainers, along with our exhibitors, advertisers, and sponsors, will enrich your experience and make this an enjoyable experience for all attendees. We are grateful for their support and the support of our attendees.

We hope that you will have a productive and fun-filled time at this very special conference.

On behalf of the entire PCB Board of Directors and staff, thank you for attending the PCB Annual Conference.



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information

What trainings did I select?

Your training selections, including room names, are conveniently listed on the back of your name tag.

Education Hours

10.5 total hours of education will be awarded for attendance at the entire conference.

Sign-in Sheets

You do not need to sign in or out of any trainings.


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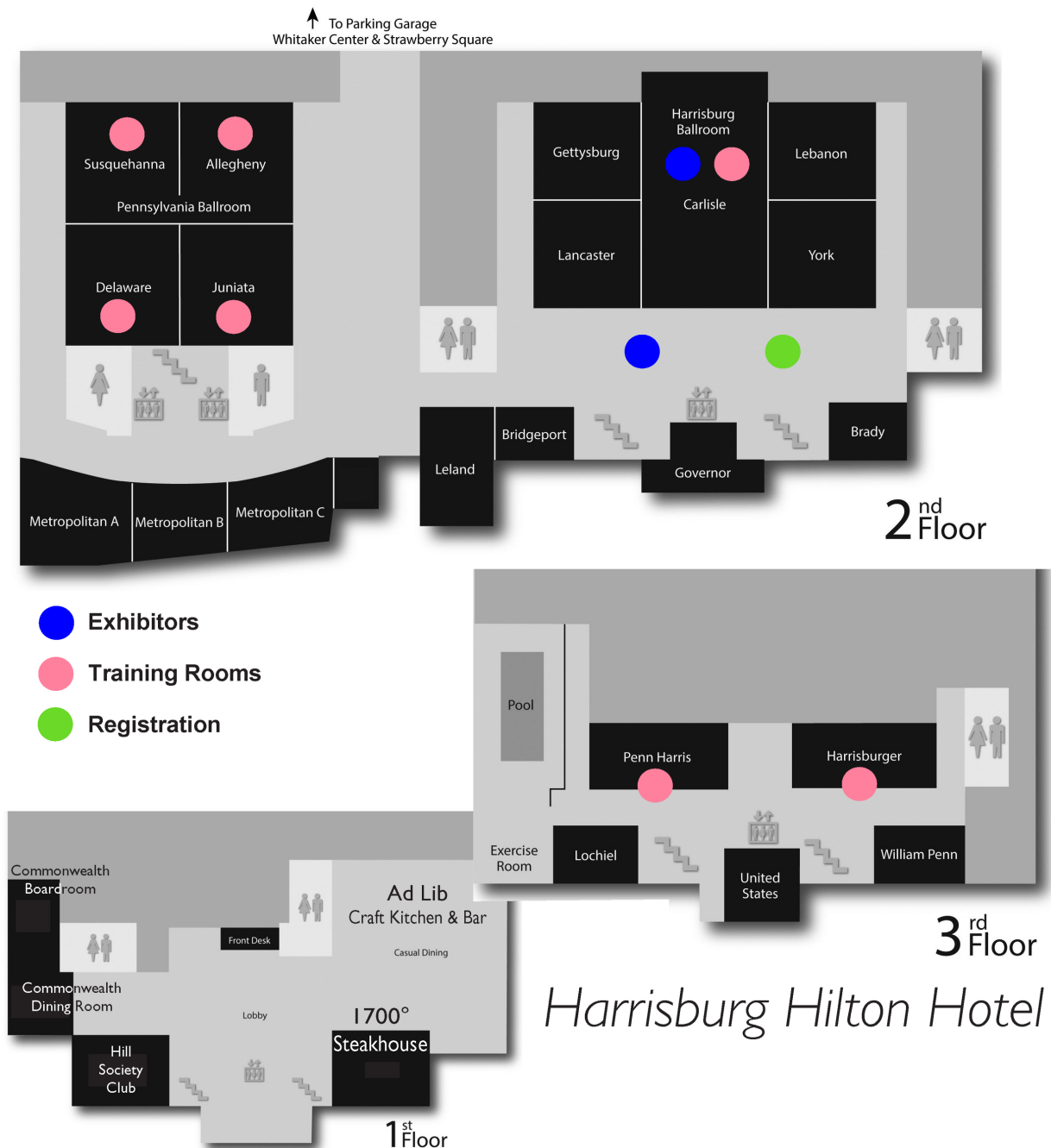
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Conference functions are located on the 2nd and 3rd floors of the Harrisburg Hilton Hotel. Floors may be accessed by stairs and elevators. Please review the back of your nametag for specific locations of your selected trainings.



schedule

MONDAY MORNING

7:00am - 8:00am: Registration, Continental Breakfast, Exhibits, Networking

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom

8:00am - 9:30am: Ethics Panel: Complaint Process & Outcomes

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom

9:30am - 9:45am: Break, Exhibits, Networking

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom

9:45am - 12:45pm: Morning Trainings

SNAP Out of It: Examining Process Addiction to Social Media and Internet Gaming

Location: Penn Harris

First Responders and the Addiction Crisis: Treating the Healers

Location: Harrisburger

Marijuana and the Current State of the Union: Let's Get in the Weeds

Location: Allegheny/Susquehanna

Dialectical Behavior Therapy Skills for Co-Occurring Disorders

Location: Juniata/Delaware

11:00am - 11:15am: Break, Exhibits, Networking

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom



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MONDAY AFTERNOON

12:45pm - 1:45pm: Conference Luncheon

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom

1:45pm - 4:45pm: Afternoon Trainings

Clinical Supervision from Two Perspectives – the Recipient and the Provider

Location: Penn Harris

Evaluation and Practice: Embedding Curiosity and Skepticism to Reduce Public Harms

Location: Juniata/Delaware

The Impact of Gambling Disorder: Exploring Prevalence, Comorbidity, and Suicidality

Location: Harrisburger

The Impact of Substance Use Disorder on Parenting and Children

Location: Allegheny/Susquehanna

3:15pm - 3:30pm: Break, Exhibits, Networking

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom

Dinner On Your Own



schedule

TUESDAY MORNING

7:00am - 9:00am: Continental Breakfast, Exhibits, Networking

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom

9:00am - 12:00pm: Morning Trainings

Unveiling the Unspoken: Navigating the Shadows of Alcohol Use Disorder

Location: Penn Harris

The Nuts 'N Bolts of the Ethics Committee Process for Decision-Making

Location: Harrisburger

Xylazine: The New Drug Additive

Location: Allegheny/Susquehanna

Sociometrics & Relationship Trauma Repair

Location: Juniata/Delaware

10:45am - 11:00am: Break, Exhibits, Networking

Location: Harrisburg Ballroom





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This is a benchmark in which we take particular pride!

It is organizations like the Turning Point that carry individuals through crisis.

We are here to help make this a "Turning Point" for the next generation of women who need our support in their recovery!

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A special thanks to all of our exhibitors!

Exhibits hours: Monday, April 22nd, 7:00am – 4:45pm and Tuesday, April 23rd, 7:00am – 11:00am

Abstinent Living at the Turning Point at Washington, Inc.

Halfway House for Women

Aldie Counseling Center

Outpatient treatment provider for individuals with substance use disorders. Offers medication assisted treatment and general outpatient counseling. Locations in Doylestown and Langhorne.

Alpha House

Alpha House, Inc. provides long-term addiction treatment in an inpatient, therapeutic community setting, using a trauma informed and harm reduction approach to treatment with options for medically assisted treatment. We provide services to individuals with substance use disorder(s) who have had little success in recovery. This is a non-work release, inpatient program. Alpha House, Inc. works with the underserved and low-income sector of Allegheny County and surrounding areas. Those with Medical Assistance insurance or who need to apply for Medical Assistance are accepted.

Amwell Recovery

Amwell Recovery is a premier provider of substance use disorder and mental health services. Our healing center is open to all individuals on a life changing path to personal wellness. Utilizing a comprehensive treatment model based on a person-centered approach, our treatment team will tailor a plan of recovery that addresses the mind, body, and spiritual components of one's life.



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Arkview Recovery Center

Arkview is a Substance Use Disorder Treatment Facility in Mechanicsburg, PA, offering Detox, Residential, PHP and IOP levels of care.

Armstrong-Indiana-Clarion Drug and Alcohol Commission

Armstrong-Indiana-Clarion Drug and Alcohol Commission (AICDAC) is the Single County Authority (SCA) for Armstrong, Indiana, and Clarion Counties. AICDAC is also serving as the Regional Recovery HUB for Region 6 and Region 7 providing training and technical assistance to Recovery Support Service Providers in Western PA.

Be a Part of the Conversation

Be a Part of the Conversation equips families and communities in Pennsylvania with skills and resources to understand substance use, addiction, and related health issues. We provide community programs, foster supportive connections, highlight lived experiences, and challenge stigma.

We are a collaboration of community leaders, clinicians, students, school district representatives, and families who believe that having meaningful, inclusive conversations about substance use and addiction will support individuals and their families in their efforts to develop healthy coping skills and access support whenever there is a need.

Blueprints for Addiction Recovery

Blueprints for Addiction Recovery is a nationally accredited behavioral health organization serving individuals, families, and communities across Pennsylvania. Each program – from extended care and acute partial hospitalization (PHP) to intensive outpatient and traditional psychotherapy – are co-occurring enhanced, and administered by a multidisciplinary team of psychiatric, medical, clinical, peer and support professionals. Our integrated model combines the best in evidence-based substance use and mental health treatment with the tested principles of long-term, community-based recovery.

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Bold Steps of PA LLC

Substance use and mental health disorder treatment center.

Britelife Recovery

BriteLife Recovery provides a comprehensive addiction treatment program that caters to individuals struggling with addiction or substance abuse, as well as those with mental health disorders. With our locations in South Carolina and Pennsylvania, we offer a wide range of services including detoxification, inpatient treatment, and residential care. Our team of fully licensed and authorized therapists, along with 24-hour medical care and doctors, is committed to providing a safe and supportive environment where patients can learn and practice recovery and coping skills.

Carelon Behavioral Health

Carelon Behavioral Health is a national specialty behavioral health company supporting the needs of nearly 70 million Americans across all 50 states. Here in Pennsylvania, Carelon supports over 1 million members through innovative work with providers, community-based organizations, and other stakeholders. Carelon is committed to workforce development and using all levels of staffing and support to assist members navigating mental health and addiction.



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Caron Treatment Centers

Caron Treatment Centers is an internationally recognized not-for-profit dedicated to addiction and behavioral healthcare treatment, research, prevention, and addiction medicine education. Headquartered in Wernersville, Pennsylvania, our mission is Recovery for Life. For more than 70 years, we have helped thousands of individuals struggling with substance use disorder and their families begin to manage this chronic, treatable disease. Caron provides a continuum of care for young adults, women, men, and older adults. Caron's signature programming provides treatment for executives and older adults. In addition to the Pennsylvania campus, Caron provides services in Palm Beach County, Florida, Philadelphia, Washington, D.C., Atlanta and New York City. Caron accepts several major insurance plans and provides financial assistance for those who qualify.

Crossroads Treatment Centers

Since 2005, Crossroads has been at the forefront of treating patients with opioid use disorder. Currently operating 100+ centers across 9 states, we are a family of doctors, nurse practitioners, counselors, and professionals dedicated to providing the most accessible and highest quality treatment options to combat the growing opioid epidemic. We have over 50 centers in Pennsylvania which are designated as OUD Centers of Excellence. We offer care management, virtual certified recovery specialists, nicotine cessation, and treatment for the Hepatitis C virus. We also accept Medicaid, Medicare, Tricare, and many commercial insurances.



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At Willow Communication Strategies, we specialize in empowering individuals and organizations to fortify their missions through effective resource utilization. Our commitment is to support you in navigating the flexibility required to grow in an ever-changing environment.

We are visionaries in strategy, communication, and systems design. With decades of experience, we make businesses accessible, inclusive, and successful. Our passion extends to guiding individuals and organizations through the intersection of culture and wellness.

How We Help:

- Tailored Solutions: Unravel the impactful components of your well-being journey for a thriving and inclusive environment.
- Navigating Challenges: From program design to behavioral health integration, we help you quickly navigate complexities.
- Inclusive Communication: Foster engagement and understanding through our dynamic health communication strategies.

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DreamLife Recovery

DreamLife Recovery is a dual diagnosis detox & residential facility that focuses on trauma informed care for primary substance use disorder patients.

Easy Does It, Inc.

Easy Does It, Inc. is a non-profit organization located in Berks County. EDI offers supportive housing designed to assist individuals in recovery from substance use disorder. EDI provides safe, stable housing combined with recovery support services to enable individuals to build a foundation and maintain recovery, develop critical life skills, and work on achieving individualized goals to enhance their wellbeing. EDI is committed to providing a living environment characterized by mutual respect, daily structure, and personal accountability.

Embark Behavioral Health


Embark Behavioral Health is a leading nationwide network of outpatient centers and residential programs offering premier mental health treatment for preteens, teens, and young adults. Our ever-growing locations are part of a continuum of care that provides a range of services built from over 25 years of specialization in serving youth.

Empower the Mind

Empower the Mind, LLC is an outpatient behavioral health company providing best practice counseling services, prevention, and continuing education.

Ethos Treatment, LLC

ETHOS Treatment LLC, founded and owned by three long-time clinicians, provides Intensive Outpatient Services for those 13+ with a mental health and/or substance use disorder; specialty services for First Responders, Gambling, Men's & Women's Trauma, Eating Disorders and LGBTQIA+ inclusive programming.



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Firetree, Ltd.

For over 30 years, Firetree, Ltd. has been providing treatment services for Substance Use Disorder to individuals across the Commonwealth. We offer detoxification, inpatient and halfway house programs to male and female adults. We believe that recovery is possible as we are a team with our clients to help them change their thinking and behavior in order to maintain sobriety.

The GateHouse

Addiction is a vicious cycle that is challenging to break free from, especially without the proper support and tools needed to find a new way of life. For over 50 years, The GateHouse has effectively served thousands of individuals and families by providing evidence-based treatment services that are individualized for those struggling with Substance Use Disorder. We understand that each individual is unique and we cannot use the same approach or treatment model for everyone. The GateHouse philosophy is client-centered and it is given in a trauma informed space. Teaching our clients the necessary skills to manage their disease is only part of the battle. The other part is validating their struggle and giving them hope. Our team combines personal empathy and professional insight to give real meaning to "Restoring the Human Spirit Through Recovery."

Geisinger Marworth

Geisinger Marworth offers substance abuse treatment on an inpatient, or residential basis, to include withdrawal management/detoxification services and residential rehabilitation. Inpatient substance use disorder treatment is designed for individuals experiencing symptoms related to acute or chronic drug and alcohol use. Our inpatient addiction treatment program is highly specialized and takes into consideration each person's unique medical circumstances as well as individualized lifestyles and specific obstacles to recovery.

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Genesis House Williamsport

Genesis House, Inc. was established in 1985. We provide Professional Addiction Counseling Services. We specialize in evaluations, assessments, and the treatment of substance use and gambling disorders.

Glenbeigh

At Glenbeigh, we value the whole patient, taking every aspect of each individual into careful consideration as we develop a unique treatment plan to address their substance use. We foster positive relationships to reinforce healthy changes in all facets of life. Treatment includes world-class therapeutic interventions combining evidence-based care with holistic therapies. Incorporating healthy nutrition, social interaction, and family programming addresses various dimensions that are disrupted in active addiction.

Hope's Destiny

Hope's Destiny offers outpatient programs with PHP, IOP and OP options for Substance Use Disorders: Alcohol, Drug, Process Addictions, and Co-Occurring Disorders. Our goal is to bridge the gap between Individual Therapy and Acute Crisis and Residential Care. We do this by working alongside our clients and families to provide the skills needed to build resilience and develop a rich, rewarding, and contented lifestyle. At Hope's Destiny, you'll be welcomed into a warm, supportive and non-judgmental environment that fosters self-confidence, resilience and hope.

Indivior

Indivior is a global pharmaceutical company working to help change patients' lives by pioneering life-transforming treatment for substance use disorders and other serious mental illnesses.

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Institute for Healthcare Advancement (IHA)

The Institute for Healthcare Advancement (IHA) is a nonprofit, 501(c)3 public benefit charity, with the mission of elevating health literacy to achieve health equity.

Malvern Health

Malvern Treatment Centers has helped families struggling with addiction since 1949. We achieve treatment success through an unrivaled dedication to clinical care and innovative treatment solutions. We believe that holistic recovery is best served through a complete understanding of addiction through a continuum of care model. Malvern treats all patients with compassion and respect, inspiring hope and joy in recovery. Malvern has three inpatient detox and rehabilitation centers located throughout the Delaware Valley.

MARS

MARS-ATP provides client-centered, community-based quality treatment services to those who have substance use concerns and families impacted by substance use. MARS works to provide these services through assessment, Intensive Outpatient, Outpatient, Recovery Support, Case Management, and at locations within the community. We adjust our approach to meet the needs present in each individual and community we serve by being part of the community and advocating for the effective, efficient, and ethical treatment of each individual/community who is in need of our services. We help individuals achieve recovery by creating hope and developing the skills necessary to move each individual through their unique process of change.



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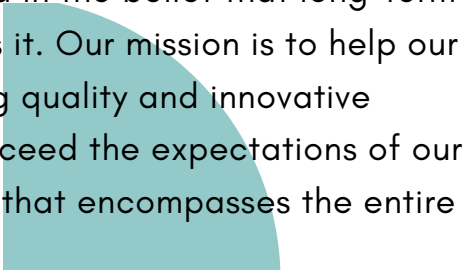
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Powered by state-of-the-art technology, Mitchell Martin Healthcare is a full-service provider of clinical staffing services throughout the United States. Operating since 1984, we are a well-established company with extensive industry knowledge. Our devoted team is passionate about helping those who dedicate their lives to healthcare, both practitioners and delivery centers, and we fully understand the impact of our role on quality patient care.

Mountain Laurel Recovery Center

Located on a serene 25+ acres in Westfield, Pennsylvania, Mountain Laurel Recovery Center provides the perfect atmosphere for exercise, meditation, therapeutic intervention, and ultimately recovery.

Mountain Laurel Recovery Center is grounded in the belief that long-term recovery is possible for everyone who desires it. Our mission is to help our clients obtain their full potential by delivering quality and innovative addiction services. We aim to consistently exceed the expectations of our clients by providing individualized treatment that encompasses the entire person.



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MVP Recovery

Since its inception in 2014, MVP Recovery has become the largest DDAP-licensed Sober Living provider in the state of Pennsylvania with 25 recovery homes throughout Delaware and Chester counties. Additionally, we have 5 Outpatient Treatment Centers, also located in Delaware and Chester Counties, which provide PHP, IOP, and OP levels of care for Substance Use Disorder as well as IOP and OP levels of care for Mental Health. MVP Recovery is the preferred treatment provider for those who have involvement with the Criminal Justice System in Delaware County. We operate the Delaware County Access Center, and coordinate the Warm Hand Off, Law Enforcement Treatment Initiative, and School Assessment Programs in Delaware County. Additionally, we operate a Certified Recovery Specialist Program for Children & Youth Services. We offer Wrap-Around Services to include Medication Assisted Treatment, Psychiatric Services, Trauma & Family Counseling, and Relapse Prevention Therapy.

Newport Healthcare

Newport Healthcare is the national leader in treating higher-acuity mood and co-occurring disorders in teens and young adults, such as depression, anxiety, mood disorders, trauma, and substance use disorder. As our country and the world face the most devastating crisis of our time—the youth mental health crisis—Newport Healthcare is at the forefront in the essential work of helping young people to heal and to thrive.

New Roots, Inc

The mission of New Roots is to provide hope and support to individuals with a Substance Use Disorder (SUD) and their families and to facilitate the journey toward a healthier life through meaningful relationships and community engagement.

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Peerstar

Peerstar is a Peer Support Provider in 32 counties in Pennsylvania. Our services are mental health recovery oriented and utilize the concepts of shared understanding and respect to assist individuals with a serious mental health disorder work towards recovery. Our services will support those individuals who have backgrounds in: co-occurring, dual diagnosis, forensic, older adults. In some counties, we also offer Certified Recovery Specialists (CRS) services which provide support to those struggling with substance use disorders.

Pennsylvania Association of Addiction Professionals

Pennsylvania Association of Addiction Professionals is the local affiliate of NAADAC, offering professional membership, certification, advocacy, and training services for the addictions field.

Recovery Cove

Outpatient Drug and Alcohol Program in Easton, PA.

Retreat Behavioral Health

Retreat Behavioral Health provides quality care at our leading mental health retreat and substance use treatment centers, designed to offer patients truly personalized and comprehensive programs that are tailored to their needs. Our substance use and mental health treatment centers in Palm Beach County, Florida, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and New Haven, Connecticut, do everything in their power to ensure that patients receive the highest quality treatment in a safe and comfortable setting.

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Rogers Behavioral Health

Rogers Behavioral Health is a nationally recognized not-for-profit provider of evidence-based mental health and addiction services. We offer comprehensive treatment options to help adults, children, and adolescents struggling with addiction and mental health disorders. Rogers Behavioral Health in Philadelphia provides specialized mental health treatment for children, adolescents, and adults struggling with OCD, anxiety, depression & mood disorders, and mental health and addiction recovery. We offer two levels of specialized outpatient care: partial hospitalization (PHP) and intensive outpatient (IOP). Led by a team of board-certified psychiatrists and a multidisciplinary team of experts, our evidence-based treatment combines behavioral therapy, medication management, and comprehensive care to provide individualized care.

Rosewood Recovery

Rosewood Recovery is located in Newtown, PA and offers outpatient treatment services, including GOP, IOP, and PHP. Medication management and MAT options are also available. We believe in an individualized treatment approach and work with clients to meet their unique treatment and recovery goals. We use a variety of techniques, adapting to each individual client as they progress in their recovery.

St. Joseph Institute

Detox and residential substance abuse treatment facility for adults.

STR Behavioral Health

Full continuum substance use disorder facilities including detox, residential, PHP, IOP with housing and MH primary PHP/IOP with housing.

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The Academy Schools

Summit Academy and New Outlook Academy's adolescent inpatient, non-hospital, residential drug and alcohol programs are licensed by the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs and accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF). The approach to treatment is a multi-dimensional, tailor-made approach, specifically designed to meet the individual needs of the client. Each client is expected to complete a four-step treatment program to help with recovery. Various treatment models utilized in the program are Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT), The Chronic Disease Model, 12-Step Approach, Motivational Interviewing, Trauma Informed Care, education lectures and multi-family group sessions.

Treatment Trends, Inc.

Treatment Trends, Inc. is an addiction treatment center that provides support to individuals suffering from substance use disorder. We offer a continuum of care with inpatient, outpatient, and recovery support services, while encouraging multiple pathways to recovery.

Unity Family Services

Unity Family Services, Inc. is a Pennsylvania licensed mental health provider. We participate in the federally mandated health-care program, Health Choices, which allows consumers the freedom to choose their own health-care provider because we believe that having a choice matters! We have been providing community-based mental health services to adults, children, adolescents and families in Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Indiana, and Westmoreland Counties since 2000 when our Executive Director, Michelle S. Gould LCSW, CSOTS, founded Unity Family Services, Inc.

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Unity Recovery

Unity Recovery is a recovery community organization (RCO) serving the Philadelphia (PA), Pittsburgh (PA), and Weatherford (TX) communities. We believe recovery is an individualized and dynamic process, and support those with mental health or substance use disorders, no matter the pathway you use.

Water Gap Wellness

Water Gap Wellness is the Northeast's premier Addiction and Mental Health Treatment Center. Located in East Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania, one- hour from New York City and on the border of Pennsylvania and New Jersey, our cutting-edge programs have received the gold seal of approval by the Joint Commission and are fully licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services and the PA Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs. Since our inception nearly four years ago, our programs have provided treatment to over 2200 individuals who come from all walks of life. Our clients are educators,, health care workers, first responders, attorneys, law enforcement officers, engineers, Mom's, Dad's, grandparents and more.

White Deer Run Treatment Network

White Deer Run Treatment Network is Pennsylvania's premier provider of comprehensive addiction treatment services for adult men and women ages 18 and above. Options at our addiction treatment centers throughout PA include detoxification, residential rehab, partial hospitalization, outpatient care, and medication-assisted treatment.

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Cocolife.black is a platform that works to help build a sustainable doula workforce through our evidence-based training academy and growing birth worker network. We serve moms in three key stages: pregnancy, postpartum, and compassion (for the loss of a child or significant loved ones). We support these moms by providing free doula and mental health services.

We are on a mission to drastically improve maternal outcomes through our Mombassador Movement. Nationally, we are building a network of trusted community partners, medical professionals, faith-based organizations, and others who believe in health equity and improving outcomes in Black Maternal Health.

Who we serve and how:

- Moms, birthing people, dads/partners with gifts, free doula & mental health services, edutainment experiences like birth/parenting workshops and mommy meet-ups, along with access to essential resource partners.
- Doulas (birth workers): business support, professional development, and scholarships for certification and continuing education.
- Aspiring Doulas: access to our Coco Collective Community Doula Certification Program. Where scholarships are also available.
- Community: Coco Connect virtual shows, edutainment events and recognition.

We promote a community-empowered model of care! Join us as we support moms bump & beyond!



about PCB

PCB is a private, non-profit corporation offering voluntary credentialing to behavioral, physical and community health professionals. PCB is dedicated to public protection by establishing and monitoring certification standards for professionals in the behavioral, physical, and community health fields in addition to providing management and consultation services.

Our staff and many of our Board Members are in attendance at the conference. If you have any questions or want to reach out, please do so.

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