

# BUILDING A FRAMEWORK FOR EFFECTIVE ADOLESCENT TREATMENT

MARCH 12, 2018 ("SNOW DATE" MARCH 13<sup>TH</sup>)

This second day of interactive, in person work with a regional expert will prepare individual clinicians or teams to do more advanced clinical treatment work with the youth population. This content will build off of content covered in the first day of training and will evolve based on trainee needs and interests. Participants will continue to explore the framework for effective and responsive treatment.

**Please Note:** <u>ALL</u> clinicians are welcome to attend the March 12th training regardless of whether or not they attended the training on January 5th.

### **Training Objectives:**

- Receive trainer consultation on specific applications used during youth work when using MI, harm-reduction, and ACRA approaches
- Discuss best-practice when navigating legal & ethical boundaries in youth work
- Learn the key elements of case conceptualization
- Learn and rehearse (role-play) collaborative treatment contracting and concurrent documentation strategies
- Examine the suitability of and/or adaptations needed to adopt a youth bestpractice framework
- Identify key VT stakeholders and local community supports that can enhance youth treatment progress

#### Who should attend?

This project has been developed primarily for:

- New clinicians to the substance abuse and/or mental health treatment field.
- Established clinicians who have limited or no experience working with youth.

The goal of this project is to build the capacity of Vermont's treatment providers to deliver effective services to adolescents. Information will be delivered about the clinical competencies necessary for forming healthy working relationships with the adolescent population.



## **Training Location:**

Montpelier Elks Lodge Montpelier, Vermont

8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Includes light breakfast, lunch
and all training materials.

\$35.00

CEUs Approved for: ADCs, AAPs and LCMCHs

**CEUs Pending for:** 

**Clinical Mental Health Counselors** 

Certified Marriage and Family
Therapists

Non-licensed and Noncertified Psychotherapists

#### About the presenter:



Steven M. Chisholm, MA has worked in addiction treatment settings and taught addiction related coursework for twenty five

years. He is presently the Coordinator of North Shore Community College's Drug and Alcohol Programs. He has held many counseling and supervisory positions, including Clinical Supervisor and Director of Clinical Treatment Services at CAB Health and Recovery Services and Lahey Health Behavioral Services, on the North Shore of Massachusetts, where his roles included oversight of quality management, clinical record reviews, supervision and training across their multi-service treatment continuum.