



30 Hour Mental Health Training Program

TRAINING LOCATION

Location:	Zoom Meeting	
Dates:	April 22, 2024, through May 22, 2024	
Times:	Mondays and Wednesdays:	5:45 PM - 9:00 PM

PREREQUISITE & REGISTRATION FEES

Prerequisite:	Applicant must have completed a Medical Interpreter Training Program
Regular Fee:	\$150.00 Fee includes materials and certificate of completion.
CE Fee:	\$45.00
Late Fee:	\$180.00 for registrations submitted after 4/17/2024
Registration:	5:30 PM Program 5:45 PM to 9:00 PM (1-15 min break)
Credits/Contact Hours:	Accredited by CEAP for 30 CE hours, CEAP accreditation #155 Approved for 3.0 IMIA/NBCMI CEUs Education Registry ID 24-1006
Education Level:	Intermediate to Advanced

PRESENTERS

Presenters	Linda O'Reilly / Nancy Esparza
Program Director	Silvana Kirby

Description: The goal of this training course is to provide experienced medical interpreters with knowledge and skills specific to the delivery of effective, reliable, and comprehensive interpreting in mental health settings. The curriculum outlines a theoretical and practical understanding of the multiple roles of the interpreter as well as relevant clinical, ethical, cultural, and linguistic considerations in the behavioral health field. Additionally, the curriculum will enhance the medical interpreters' ability to understand and render culturally responsive communication through practice exercises.

Objectives: Medical interpreters participating in this training program will:

1. Identify mental health related issues, common psychological disorders, and types of treatments.
2. Demonstrate the skills to work in mental health settings.
3. Apply the roles of the medical interpreter (i.e., conduit, message clarifier, cultural broker, patient advocate) in mental health settings.
4. Use mental health related terminology and vocabulary in English and Target Language.
5. Apply the triadic encounter across various mental health settings.
6. Perform effectively as an integral member of the mental health multidisciplinary treatment team.

Registration: Berkshire AHEC provides online registration for its continuing education programs. Please visit <http://www.berkshireahec.org> to register for this program. Payment can be made with all major credit cards. If you are unable to register electronically, please contact us at the number below so we can assist you in registering.

Certificates and Completion Requirements: Participants are expected to sign-in and sign-out, attend the entire program, and complete an evaluation. Certificates will be mailed to participants four weeks after program completion. Participants will not receive a certificate of completion until payment has been received.

Refunds: The Berkshire AHEC Medical Interpreting Program does not provide refunds after 10 full calendar days prior to the start date of the program. If an individual requests a refund due to illness, a partial credit towards a workshop occurring in the same fiscal year may be issued. However, you must notify the Berkshire AHEC office before the close of business the day prior to the scheduled workshop. Credits for cancellation due to illness will only be issued once per fiscal year per individual.

Special Requests: If you are hearing impaired or are a person who is differently abled who requires accommodations, please contact the Massachusetts Medical Interpreting Program 15 days prior to the training.

Contact Information

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