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# MEDICATION *Assisted* RECOVERY

February 22, 23, & 24, 2012  
R.D. Scinto Auditorium, Shelton, CT

Instructors: Marshall Rosier and Jeffrey Quamme

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## MAR Distance Learning Program

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**The CCB Science 2 Service MAR DL Program is based upon the following free public domain resources:**

*The Science of Addiction (NIDA/NIH/HHS, 2010)*

TIP 43: Medication Assisted Treatment for Opioid Addiction in Opioid Treatment Programs *(SAMHSA/CSAT, 2005)*

TIP 40: Clinical Guidelines for the Use of Buprenorphine in the Treatment of Opioid Addiction *(SAMHSA/CSAT, 2004)*

Mid America ATTC: Psychotherapeutic Medications 2008: What Every Counselor Should Know *(MA ATTC, 2008)*

TIP 35: Enhancing Motivation for Change in Substance Abuse Treatment *(SAMHSA/CSAT, 1999)*

TIP 49: Incorporating Alcohol Pharmacotherapy into Medical Practice *(SAMHSA/CSAT, 2009)*

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**Cost for all 3 workshops \$125.00**

Scholarships and payment plans available

At the conclusion of Workshop 3,  
the CCB MATS written exam will be administered to  
those eligible & interested in becoming MATS certified.

**DISCOUNT AVAILABLE FOR MAR PACKAGE**

Training Location: R.D. Scinto Auditorium, 3 Corporate Drive, Shelton, CT, 06484

R.D. Scinto Auditorium is a state of the art meeting facility, that is easily accessible from Routes 8, and 15 and Interstate 95.  
Please email us for directions at [info@ctcertboard.org](mailto:info@ctcertboard.org).

## Workshop Descriptions:

### Workshop 1—An Introduction to Medical Assisted Recovery

Wednesday, February 22, 2012 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

This workshop presents an overview of the science of addiction and several emerging trends in the field of addiction treatment and recovery. The concept of medication assisted recovery is discussed identifying several key principles for practitioners to consider when working with people in recovery. The stigma of addiction and the bias against MAT is addressed as well as other barriers to recovery. Finally, the workshop presents a brief overview of the three medications approved for the treatment of opioid dependence: methadone, buprenorphine and naltrexone as well as the three medications approved for the treatment of alcohol dependence: naltrexone, disulfiram, and acamprosate.

### Workshop 2— Integrating Recovery Supports into Medication Assisted Treatment

Thursday, February 23, 2012 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

This workshop presents an overview of the stages of change, motivational interviewing and motivational enhancement strategies when working with people in recovery. Participants are given information about how to use motivational strategies to support recovery and tools to assist them in providing basic education on MAT to clients, family members and community stakeholders. The workshop also introduces the recovery supports and explains the importance of factoring recovery support needs when developing recovery plan for people on MAT. Several resources are provided to participants including web-based resources, educational and recovery support services.

### Workshop 3—Medication Assisted Recovery: Collaboration, Integration and Ethical Issues

Friday, February 24, 2012 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

This workshop focuses on strategies to increase collaboration between behavioral health professionals and medical/community providers that may share clients being served by MAT. The workshop includes a discussion of common co-morbid medical issues to consider when referring people to MAT services as well as determining appropriateness for treatment and treatment options. Ethical issues related to MAT and common ethical dilemmas in MAT settings are considered as well as the importance of professional competence of clinicians providing MAT services.



Save the Date!



# 2012

## CONNECTICUT CLINICAL SUPERVISION CONFERENCE

**May 21, 2012**

Crowne Plaza Hotel  
Cromwell, CT

**Day 1 Registration Fee:**

\$79 Early Bird Registration Fee  
\$99 after March 20, 2012

**Offering specialty tracks for:**

- Clinical Supervision
  - Mental Health & Social Work settings
  - Addiction Recovery settings
  - Co-Occurring Disorders settings
- Supervisees
- Leadership
- Supervision of Recovery Coaches/Recovery Support Specialists



**Optional Day 2 Registration on May 22, 2012 with specialty tracks for:  
Supervisees ♦ Supervisors ♦ Recovery Coaches.**

**Conference Exhibit Space Available!**

Contact Stacy Rosay at [srosay@ctcertboard.org](mailto:srosay@ctcertboard.org) for more details or to register.

**SAMHSA defines MAT as  
“the use of medications, in  
combination with  
counseling and behavioral  
therapies, to provide a  
whole-patient approach to  
the treatment of substance  
use disorders.”**

From “Medication Assisted Recovery-Emerging Trends in the Treatment of Substance Use Disorders” Counselor Magazine, Volume 11, Issue 2 -April 2010, pp 32-38

Definition taken directly from:  
<http://www.dpt.samhsa.gov/patients/mat.aspx>



**CCB Science 2 Service©  
Distance Learning Program**

The CCB Science 2 Service © is now even easier - you can preview the full course content and materials before beginning the program! Simply go to the website, [www.S2SDL.org](http://www.S2SDL.org) to preview the materials and to register for the program.

For more information or technical assistance, please contact Jeffrey Quamme at [jquamme@ctcertboard.org](mailto:jquamme@ctcertboard.org).



# CCB CERTIFICATION OF MATS



## *Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist*

The CCB currently offers the Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist credential to individuals that meet the standards of MAT specific skills and training. The credential will not require that a practitioner be licensed or certified in a behavioral health or medical field, although this is strongly encouraged and will be the primary intended audience, so that people in recovery, MAT advocates, policy makers, behavioral health professionals, medical and pharmaceutical professionals, family members, and others that have a special interest in MAT can obtain the credential.

The Connecticut Certification Board defines a *MATS – Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist* a practitioner who has demonstrated their knowledge and skills in the 4 MATS performance domains identified in the MATS Job Task Analysis (JTA) & CCB MATS Candidate Guide (2008). In order to become MATS certified, a practitioner must possess a basic familiarity with the entire range of the 4 Performance Domains of a Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist:

Pharmacotherapy  
Recovery Supports  
Education  
Professional Responsibility

*If you are interested in becoming certified as a Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist (MATS),* the MATS exam will be offered onsite in the afternoon of Day 3 of the event. In order to become MATS certified, all that you need to do is:

- Complete all Science 2 Service MATS Distance Learning Courses (35 hours) prior to February 22, 2012 (see suggested timeline at [www.S2SDL.org](http://www.S2SDL.org))
- Complete all three (15 hours) of workshops
- Complete the Medication Assisted Treatment Specialist (MATS) application (available on the CCB website at [www.ctcertboard.org](http://www.ctcertboard.org))
- Successfully pass the exam on February 24, 2012

For more information, please contact Jeffrey Quamme at [jquamme@ctcertboard.org](mailto:jquamme@ctcertboard.org)

Please visit CCB on the web to download the MATS Application and Training Documentation Forms.  
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Education and certification of addiction, clinical supervisor, co-occurring disorder, and prevention professionals in Connecticut.



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**35 hour DL Program including all materials  
 Special Price: \$90.00**

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**DISCOUNT AVAILABLE FOR  
 BLENDED MAR PACKAGE**

**Cost for both the MAR Course and  
 Distance Learning Program: \$200.00**

**MAR Course Registration Form:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently certified:  Yes  No CCB # \_\_\_\_\_

Circle all CCB Certifications:

Course:  Workshops: February 22-24 \$125.00  
 Distance Learning Program \$90.00  
 MAR Blended Course \$200.00  
 (includes Workshops and Distance Learning)

Payment Method:

Enclosed check made out to CCB in the amount of: \_\_\_\_\_

I have paid online by credit card in the amount of: \_\_\_\_\_  
 on this date: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer is paying

Please check:

I request a scholarship

Payment Plan (not for credit cards.)

Please note scholarships will be placed on a waiting list until the scholarship is awarded.

**Return by mail to CCB, Inc. S. Turnpike Road, Wallingford CT, 06492  
 or by fax: 203.284.9500**



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## Course Registration Form

### Participant Information

(PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT.)

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently CCB Certified? YES NO CCB Certification # \_\_\_\_\_

Circle all current CCB Certifications held:

APP	CAC	CAC-E	CAC-P	CCDP	CCDP-D	CCS
CIT	CPP	MATS	NCCS	SCCD	SCPG	SCSA

### Course:

\_\_\_\_\_ MAR Workshops 1, 2, & 3, February 22-24 (#103-1044) \$125.00

\_\_\_\_\_ MAR Distance Learning Program (#103-4002) \$90.00

\_\_\_\_\_ MAR Blended Course (#103-1044 & #103-4022) Special Price: \$200.00

### Payment Method:

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ made out to CCB

\_\_\_\_\_ I have paid online by credit card in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Employer if paying (Employer invoices are not eligible for scholarship/payment plan options)  
*CCB will email you an invoice to forward to your employer for processing. If your employer does not pay, you will be responsible for the registration costs associated with the training events).*

Select One: I would like to request a: \_\_\_\_\_Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_Payment Plan (not available for credit cards)  
*I understand that if I request a scholarship, I will be placed on the waiting list for the courses) requested and my registration will not be confirmed until the scholarship is awarded and/or remaining registration fees are paid.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this course registration form with payment :

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