

Employment First State Leadership State Mentoring Program 2017 Michigan Provider Transformation Webinar Series

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June 19th 12:00 -1:30 pm eastern

Staff Recruitment, Retention and Motivation

Subject Matter Expert/Presenter: Rachel Pollock

This webinar will focus on building and mentoring a team that can effectively accomplish your agency's employment first goals. Areas of discussion will include: qualities you are looking for in staff, developing job descriptions that capture your vision and attract staff, recruitment, orientation, incorporating team work, ongoing supervision and support, and inspiring your team. The webinar will be applicable to teams providing employment services as well as community skill building and other supports in the community. Participants will have an opportunity to share their challenges and solutions during this interactive webinar.

July 17th 12:00 -1:30 pm eastern

Strategies to Improve Partnerships with Families

Subject Matter Expert/Presenter: Sean Roy

This webinar is designed to help employment service providers better partner with families who are apprehensive about exploring competitive integrated employment for their son or daughter. Topics will include understanding the family point of view, effective communication, and integrating a commitment to partnering with families within a larger provider transformation effort.

August 14th 12:00 -1:30 pm eastern

Working Collaboratively to Advance Competitive Integrated Employment

Subject Matter Expert/Facilitator: Lisa Mills

Stories of CMHSPs working with providers on innovations in payment structures for supported employment and related services.

Featuring Oakland County CMH and Kalamazoo County CMH, as well as Lisa A. Mills, PhD, ODEP EFSLMP Subject Matter Expert on rate/reimbursement innovations to support Employment First

August 21st 12:00 -1:30 pm eastern

Negotiating Rates with Managed Care Entities

Subject Matter Expert/Presenter: Rachel Pollock

The webinar will assist providers in preparation for discussions, presentations, and negotiations with their local managed care entities regarding the development of rates for employment and community based services. The webinar will focus on compilation and presentation of costs to managed care partners, and a range of issues providers may want to address with their managed care partners, including transportation needs, turnover, required experience and credentialing of staff, and comparison of employment and day support costs.