

2017 Spring Webinar Series for Residential Treatment Facilities

Join Value Behavioral Health of Pennsylvania at our monthly webinar series for Residential Treatment Facilities. Topics of discussion planned for the series include:

- How to deal with aggression/better de-escalation techniques
- Family engagement (how to handle a noncompliant family)
- How to supervise/train direct care staff
- Outcome tracing and sharing outcomes
- Suicide risk assessment
- Dual Diagnosis (Drug & Alcohol and Mental Health)

For May's webinar, we ask that you email topics you would like discussed to Kim Tzoulis by May 17th at Kimberly.tzoulis@beaconhealthoptions.com. Dr. Pate will address those during this webinar.

Upcoming Webinar		
Webinar Date	Time	Description
Tuesday, May 23rd	2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Maintaining a Safe Environment and Follow-Up Discussion from the March 3rd Training

REGISTRATION: To register, please visit:

<https://www.valueoptions.com/forumRegistration/displayForumInfo.do>. Select Pennsylvania from Select an Applicable State drop-down box (**DO NOT change or type in any of the other fields or else the training will not show up**) and then click Select. Scroll down the screen and put a checkmark in the box next to the event and then hit Register. Space is limited, so please register early. Phone-in registrations will not be accepted.

Registrants will receive the webinar link and passcodes once registered.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER: Drew A. Pate, M.D., has been affiliated with Beacon Health Options since 2007 and serves as the medical director for various regional and state health plans as well as the medical professional affiliated with ABA Services and the Psychopharmacology Drug Initiative Program which oversees Beacon's national quality review process for psychotropic medication use in children and adolescents. He previously served as the medical director for the Mann Residential Programs and School at Sheppard Pratt Health System in Baltimore, MD. In addition, Dr. Pate is a member of the Board of Trustees for the Brattleboro Retreat in Brattleboro, Vermont and has also served as a physician surveyor for The Joint Commission. Dr. Pate is dually board certified in psychiatry and child and adolescent psychiatry.

QUESTIONS: Please contact Kim Tzoulis, Special Projects Coordinator, at Kimberly.Tzoulis@beaconhealthoptions.com or (724) 744-6377.

NEXT WEBINAR DATE: TBD