

Training and Technical Assistance Opportunities

The Danya Institute provides training, technical assistance and leadership development to health and human services providers and consumers to enhance prevention, health promotion, and treatment services through the use of evidence-based and promising practices. Danya Institute is funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) to manage the Addiction Technology Transfer Center (ATTC), the Mental Health Technology Transfer Center (MHTTC) and the Prevention Technology Transfer Center (PTTC). Through the Central East ATTC, The Danya Institute also serves as the Technology Transfer Specialist for the State Target Response Technical Assistance (STR-TA). Danya Institute uses a public health approach that addresses the health care workforce needs related to the social determinants of health, systems and service coordination, health promotion, prevention, screening, early intervention, treatment, resilience and recovery support that promotes optimal health.



Addiction Technology Transfer Center (ATTC): The ATTC supports regional activities focused on preparing tools needed by practitioners to improve the quality of service delivery and providing intensive technical assistance to provider organizations to improve their processes and practices in the delivery of effective SUD treatment and recovery services.

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Mental Health Technology Transfer Center (MHTTC): The MHTTC works with organizations and treatment practitioners involved in the delivery of mental health services to strengthen their capacity to deliver effective evidence-based practices to individuals, including the full continuum of services spanning mental illness prevention, treatment, and recovery support. Suicide prevention within the context of race, ethnicity, age and sexual orientation is an area of focus for the Central East MHTTC. The MHTTC also provides technical assistance and training to states and local school districts on the implementation of evidence-based mental health service provision.

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Prevention Technology Transfer Center (PTTC): The PTTC develops and disseminates tools and strategies needed to improve the quality of substance misuse prevention efforts; provide intensive technical assistance and learning resources to prevention professionals in order to improve their understanding of prevention science and how to use epidemiological data to guide prevention planning and selection and implementation of evidence-based and promising prevention practices; and develop tools and resources to engage the next generation of prevention professionals.

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Opioid Response Network (ORN) Technical Assistance: The State Targeted Response (STR) Technical Assistance (TA) Consortium was created to support efforts in addressing opioid use disorder prevention, treatment and recovery. This project was funded by SAMHSA to provide local expertise in communities to help address the opioid public health crisis. The main goal is to respond quickly to requests for education and training resources to address the opioid crisis.

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