

## Announcing MHAW's Careers in Recovery and Wellness Training

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### Careers in Recovery and Wellness Training Session 2 of 2020

I am excited to announce that **scheduling for the phone interviews are now open** for Session 2 of the Careers in Recovery and Wellness Training, which will begin April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

**The deadline for the Session 2 phone interviews is March 23rd**, so if you are interested in our training, the time to schedule your interview is now!

Please feel free to reach out to me with any scheduling questions, or questions about our training in general!



## Careers in Recovery & Wellness Training

10 week classroom experience peer specialist training



Our training is for people who are interested in:

- Offering Trauma-Informed Peer Support
- Achieving the NY Peer Specialist Certification
- Working in the field of peer services

Why the Careers in Recovery & Wellness training?

- Rooted in human rights & the values & principles of peer support. This is the foundation needed to ensure best practice & ethical approaches in peer services
- Upon completion, necessary knowledge, experience, and skills will be acquired to apply for entry level employment in peer services
- Opportunity for internship & ongoing education & support

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We are pleased to announce our next Careers in Recovery and Wellness Training. This is a 10 week *classroom experience training* for people interested in volunteering or working in the Recovery and Wellness field as a Peer Specialist. The training is rooted heavily in human rights and in the values and principles of peer support. In order for a person to become an effective, skilled Peer Specialist, these core values and principles serve as the foundation to ensure best practice and ethical approaches. Students completing the course will acquire knowledge, experience, and skills necessary to offer trauma- informed peer support. Along the way, they will also learn about the New York Peer Specialist Certification process and, from the course, gain the requisite knowledge to pass the required tests on the Academy of Peer Services online training platform which in turn, leads to eligibility to apply for the NY Peer Specialist Certification.

I would like to thank MHAW at Ocean Avenue in Ronkonkoma for hosting this session. The training will commence on Tuesday April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Classes will be held three days per week: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 10:00 am-4:00 pm; there will be a few exceptions.

**If you are interested in applying, please reply to this email and schedule a brief phone interview.** If you choose to call, thank you in advance for your patience, all calls will be returned within 48 hours. At that time, I will answer any questions you have regarding the training program.

**Please note that you must call for a phone interview prior to the Monday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, deadline to be considered for the upcoming training. Be sure to call early, as seats are limited; the training fills up quickly.**

Thank you for your interest. We look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

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