

COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT & PEER SUPPORT TRAINING

Cognitive Impairment & Peer Support helps peer specialists understand the experience of living with cognitive impairment and dementia

THIS TRAINING WILL PREPARE PEER RECOVERY SPECIALISTS TO:

- Identify how "normal" age-related changes differ from indicators of cognitive impairment.
- Identify risk factors for the development and progression of cognitive impairment symptoms and strategies to maximize brain health.
- Understand the experience of a person living with cognitive impairment and challenges they face.
- Gain skills to maximize relationships, identify individual strengths and promote meaningful engagement despite cognitive deficits.
- Identify strategies to maximize empowerment and minimize distress for individuals living with cognitive impairment.
- Identify indicators of and respond to dementia-related behaviors.
- Identify local, state and national resources supporting individuals with cognitive impairment and their care partners.

THIS TRAINING IS FOR:

Certified Peer Recovery Specialists (CPRS) or anyone who provides peer support.

COST: FREE thanks to our generous funders at the Baltimore County Local Behavioral Health Authority, Behavioral Health Systems Baltimore, and University of Maryland Training Center.



Training dates are listed on the back of this flyer.

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COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT & PEER SUPPORT TRAINING SCHEDULE



DATE	TIME	FORMAT
Tuesday – 1/23/2024	9:00AM-4:00PM	In-person Register Here: https://www.edgereg.net/er/Registration/RegistrationForm.jsp?ActivityID=42356&ItemID=137956
Thursday – 2/29/2024	9:00AM-4:00PM	In-person Register Here: https://www.edgereg.net/er/Registration/RegistrationForm.jsp?ActivityID=42407&ItemID=138140