CPI and the ACT Institute is pleased to announce that we now are a provider of Social Work Continuing Education Credits.

CPI continues to serve as a key resource to NYS OMH in its mission to promote widespread use of evidence-based practices throughout the state by offering continuing education credits to NYS Social Workers. The climate of human services is ever evolving. Social workers must keep abreast of industry changes, developments, needs, and opportunities in order to remain effective and relevant. For this reason, the CPI is joining with NYS social workers in meeting their professional commitment to be lifelong learners. The CPI's courses will support your professional development by providing you with information and tools that you can use in your everyday practice.

Click [www.practiceinnovations.org](http://www.practiceinnovations.org) for our list of courses that currently provide continuing education. The CPI will be adding new courses on a rolling basis.
On October 5 CPI will host a 3rd Annual Interprofessional Student Day for all from 9-4PM. Here students will meet Faculty and Staff from the Center who will introduce them to Evidenced Based Practices. Students who live outside of the New York City Metropolitan Area, will be able to join the student day online. Please watch for announcement and information about registration.

On October 29 the ACT institute will conduct an ONLINE required Core Training and an Introduction to Person Centered Treatment Planning for students interning on ACT teams who are not able to attend any of the Regional Trainings. Please watch for announcement and information about registration. Please contact Pascale Jean-Noel for more information.

SAVE THE DATE: Team Leader Retreats on 9/11/15 in New York City and 10/16/15 in Geneva, NY

ACT Core Trainings:

6/11/2015. Central NY Field Office 545 Cedar Street, Syracuse, NY 13210-2319. 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM - Core

6/12/2015. Western, NY. Buffalo Psychiatric Center 400 Forest Ave, Buffalo, NY 14213. 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM - Core

6/12/2015. New York City OMH Field Office 330 Fifth Ave 9FL New York, NY 10016. 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM – Core

To register please click on link: https://rfmh.csod.com/

ACT Talk:

Navigating Recovery’s Rocky Road

Louis Vavrina is a recent Howie the Harp graduate who, as part of that training, did an internship at the Center for Practice Innovations. To listen to this interesting and informative discussion about Mr. Vavrina’s road to recovery click http://www.practiceinnovations.org/Portals/0/ACT_Podcasts/ACT_Talk_Podcast_05262015.mp4
We look forward to continue with our webinar series that focuses on how ACT Teams can

- Assist consumers to move towards transition from ACT
- Monitor the quality of ACT services
- Demonstrate clinical outcomes in a managed care environment

Join us for Webinar Series # 4

WEBINAR # 4 Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI)

to enhance transition practices

Part 1: Tuesday June 16, 2015 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

This three part one-hour webinar series will introduce the concepts and application of CQI to improve transition practices. Teams will learn the process of gathering, analyzing and reporting consumer outcomes for both internal and external purposes (e.g., managed care plans). Team leaders are encouraged to attend this webinar series along with interested team members. Please note that because these webinars build on one another, participants will need to join the first webinar in order to be part of the second webinar, and then participate in both the first and second webinar in order to attend the last webinar series. To register for this webinar ctrl click https://rfmh.csod.com/

Part 2 and 3: Tuesdays July 21 and August 4, 2015 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

INDIVIDUAL TEAM CONSULTATION AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE
Any team that would like individual and additional support in developing CQI projects can request assistance from the ACT Institute Consultants. Please contact Pascale Jean-Noel to schedule a consultation.

**ACT Consultation**

The ACT Institute provides consultations, technical assistance and/or training for teams at your site. Please contact Pascale Jean-Noel to schedule a time that we can come to your site (jeannoe@nyspi.columbia.edu).

**Listserve**

If you’d like to be part of the ACT listserve please forward your email address to Pascale Jean-Noel at jeannoe@nyspi.columbia.edu.

*PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL ACT TEAM MEMBERS ARE REGISTERED FOR TRAINING. PLEASE CHECK ACT WEBSITE FOR TRAINING REQUIREMENTS*


*Please watch for announcements of future events.*

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