



SOAR Training

SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery

Save the Date!

July 6 & 7, 2011

Assisting People Applying for SSI/SSDI Disability Benefits

Workshop Highlights

- An in-depth, step-by-step explanation of the SSI/SSDI application and disability determination process
- **Strategies for working with homeless persons with serious mental illness and co-occurring disorders** – only a fraction of this population receives the benefits to which they are entitled
- Exercises and worksheets provide practical application tools
- Release-of-information samples, sample reports, letters, assessment forms, SSA forms with explanations

Featured Trainers

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Workshop Location

Department of Aeronautics
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Boise, ID 83709
208.334.8775
*See attached map

How is this model different?

- Case managers actively assist applicants
- Focuses on the initial application – “Get it right the first time!”
- Avoids appeals whenever possible
- Focuses on documenting the disability to reduce the need for consultative exams
- Leads to savings – the San Francisco Department of Public Health estimates that their SSI outreach project saves the city \$27 million annually in recouped Medicaid and state-funded General Assistance alone

Registration

Please complete attached registration form. The training is free. Hotel, meals, and transportation costs are the responsibility of the participant.

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Registration Form.

Registration must be completed
no later than June 30.

Please fax 208.332.7268 or email
Stacie Ruth, ruths@dhw.idaho.gov

(no late registrants)

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This completed registration form must be returned by
(June 30, 2011)

One registration per person

Registrant Information:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

E-mail: _____

Please indicate if you need special accommodations (ADA) _____

If you have any questions, call Stacie Ruth at (208) 334 - 0628 or e-mail
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Return this registration form by (June, 30, 2011) via Fax
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