

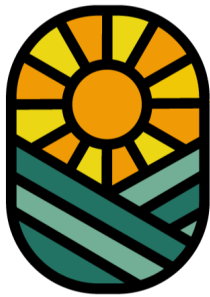


Northwest (Region 10)

**ROTA C** Rural Opioid Technical Assistance Collaborative  
Funded by Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

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**October 13th: Collegiate Recovery Supports Webinar.** *Students do not have to choose between their recovery and their education. Registration Required: <https://www.nwrotac.org/upcoming-trainings>*

**Ongoing: Mental Health First Aid.** *Develop skills to identify, understand, and respond to signs of mental health and substance use challenges among adults in this 8-hour, virtual training. Contact us to schedule a training.*

**Ongoing: Community Conversations Facilitator Trainings.** *Learn how to facilitate community-led action planning for mental health and substance use by adapting and delivering SAMHSA's Community Conversations About Mental Health toolkit.*

**[Learn more about each of these events and register below!](#)**

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INTRODUCING:

# COLLEGIATE RECOVERY SUPPORTS

**STUDENTS DO NOT HAVE TO CHOOSE BETWEEN THEIR RECOVERY AND THEIR EDUCATION**

THE WEBINAR

NW ROTAC is funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) and led by faculty from the Washington State University College of Agricultural, Human, Natural Resource Sciences, the Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine, the College of Nursing, and Extension and Oregon State University Center for Health Innovation.



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## October 13th Webinar: Collegiate Recovery Supports

**Title:** Collegiate Recovery Supports: Students do not have to choose between their recovery and their education

**Presenters:**

- Patricia Maarhuis, PhD: [SWCRSI PI](#), WSU Recovery Support Services Coordinator.
- Aaron Kirk, MSW, Grant Navigation Coordinator, Skagit Valley College
- Sandy Jordon, EdM, Title IX Coordinator and Student Wellness, Skagit Valley College
- Corinna Lozano, Business Management student, Skagit Valley College

**Description:** What would it look like if a college campus was a welcoming environment for students in recovery? This presentation will describe efforts in Washington State to provide higher education opportunities alongside recovery supports. Staff and students from Skagit Valley College will present on the needs of justice involved students in recovery as well as the administration of pragmatic and effective supports at a 2-year college campus in a rural environment.

**Objectives:** by the end of this collegiate recovery support service (CRSS) presentation, participants should be able to:

- Describe CRSS development in the State of Washington
- Understand the administration of pragmatic and effective CRSS at a 2-year college campus in a rural environment.
- Describe the needs and recovery practice of justice involved students in recovery through the lens of recovery capital development.

**Registration Required:**

[https://wsu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_GWp3A53jRiuHLPRI5bfgqw#/registration](https://wsu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_GWp3A53jRiuHLPRI5bfgqw#/registration)



## Community Conversations Facilitator Trainings

### **Learn to Facilitate Community Conversations!**

The NW ROTAC team provides training to future facilitators on how to adapt and deliver SAMHSA's *Community Conversations About Mental Health*, a best practice toolkit that supports community collaboration for addressing mental health needs. This training will equip participants with the skills necessary to lead discussion and action planning on mental health, opioid use, and substance use. Participants will also gain skills in convening diverse partners to engage in challenging conversations.

Anyone interested in convening these conversations in their local communities is welcome to attend. This can include, but is not limited to, Extension, public health, behavioral health, or school-based professionals, representatives from community-based organizations, traditional health workers, or other community stakeholders.

**To schedule a training with your team contact Abbey Martin**

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## Upcoming Opportunities and Resources

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