



Provider Newsflash



A fax bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Washington Provider Network

Department of Health Free Buprenorphine Waiver Trainings Coming in May/June 2019

Molina Healthcare would like to inform our provider partners of upcoming buprenorphine waiver training courses scheduled throughout Washington in May and June. Trainings are sponsored by the Washington State Department of Health (DOH).

Each course is FREE. Upon completion of the 4-hour, in-person component and the 4-hour online follow-up, physicians can apply for waivers to prescribe buprenorphine for office-based treatment of opioid use disorder.

Those encouraged to attend include:

- Physicians
- ARNPs and PA-Cs*
- RNs, chemical dependency counselors, and other interested professionals**

*additional training required – see attached flyer

**pre-approval required – see attached flyer

Date & Time	Location	Email for Registration and Pre-Approval
Friday, May 17, 2019 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.	TBD Olympia, WA	Kari.Lima@providence.org
Saturday, May 18, 2019 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (8-hour course)	Mount Carmel Hospital Health Education Center 1169 East Columbia Ave. Colville, WA 99141	Megan.Fowler@providence.org
Friday, May 31, 2019 12:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.	Spokane Regional Health District 1101 W. College Ave. Spokane, WA 99201	cweiler@srhd.org
Friday, June 7, 2019 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.	Neighborcare Health at Meridian 10521 Meridian Ave. N Seattle, WA 98133	Mary.catlin@doh.wa.gov

Thank you for your continued service to Molina members.



UPCOMING BUPRENORPHINE WAIVER TRAININGS

as of March 22, 2019 (No cost)

Completion of the 4-hour in-person course as well as a 4-hour online follow-up allows physicians to apply for the waiver to prescribe buprenorphine for office-based treatment of opioid use disorder. ARNPs and PA-Cs require an additional 16 hours of training. CME is approved by American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry (AAAP) or American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM). Other interested professionals including RNs and chemical dependency counselors may attend upon approval of the course contact, listed below. Free training is also available online: <https://pcssnow.org/education-training/mat-training/>.

May 17, 2019

OLYMPIA

Time: 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Location: TBD

Organization: Providence

Proposed Faculty: Lucinda Grande/ Kari Lima

Course: AAAP

Contact to Register:

Kari.Lima@providence.org

May 31, 2019

Spokane

Time: 12:30—5:00 p.m.

Location: 1101 W College Ave,
Spokane, WA 99201

Organization: Spokane Regional
Health District

Proposed Faculty: Caleb Holtzer

Course: AAAP

Contact to Register:

cweiler@srhd.org

May 18, 2019

COLVILLE

Time: 8:00—5:30 PM

Location: 1169 East Columbia Ave.
Colville, WA 99141

Organization: Providence

Proposed Faculty: Mark Duncan, MD

Course: AAAP (8 hr)

Contact to Register:

Megan.Fowler@providence.org

June 7, 2019

SEATTLE

Time: 1:00—5:30 p.m.

Location: 10521 Meridian Ave N,
Seattle, WA

Organization: NeighborCare

Proposed Faculty: Matt Perez

Course: AAAP

Contact to Register:

mary.catlin@doh.wa.gov

