

COURIER ONLINE



The newsletter of the state's library and resource center for information on substance use and mental health disorders, prevention, health promotion and wellness, treatment and recovery, and other related topics.



Open House

The Misuse and Abuse of Prescription Drugs

Thursday, May 7th

Presentation at 3:45 p.m.

Resources and Refreshments

RSVP Requested
1.800.232.4424

Presented by

Patricia Mulready, M.D.

and

Celine Provini, Ph.D.

The Governor's Prevention Partnership



The presentation will include information on commonly abused prescription drugs, the health risks associated with the misuse of prescription drugs, warning signs of abuse, and the prevention of prescription of drug abuse.

Sponsored by Connecticut Clearinghouse and the Connecticut Prescription Drug Abuse Task Force



May 1st, 2009

First Friday Film Festival

First Friday Film Festivals are held on the first Friday of every month at 3:00 p.m. in the Connecticut Clearinghouse Conference Room.

New audiovisuals are screened and a discussion follows.
Join us for popcorn and a movie!

The Brain: Effects of Childhood Trauma - Introduces current research that shows how systems in the brain are activated by trauma, and how trauma changes neuron response and cognitive pathways. These brain chemistry changes can create severe adolescent and adult problems such as learning disorders, acting out behaviors, bonding, attachment, mood problems, and difficulty with problem solving. Shows how caregivers, teachers and healthcare providers can best deal with these symptoms and how severe damage to the developing brain can be treated. Primary prevention and timely intervention is emphasized. (29 min.)



Connecticut Clearinghouse, a program of Wheeler Clinic, is funded by the Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services.



Connecticut Tobacco Merchant Education Campaign

Possession of Tobacco by Underage Youth

CHECK the I.D.
DON'T BUY TOBACCO

It is against the law for anyone under the age of 18 to purchase tobacco products.

It is against the law for anyone under the age of 18 to possess tobacco products in a public place.

It is against the law for anyone under the age of 18 to misrepresent their age in order to buy tobacco.

Underage youth who buy tobacco products or misrepresent their age in order to buy tobacco can be fined.

Fines for Possession & Buying
Up to \$50 for the 1st offense
Between \$50 and \$100 for each subsequent offense



The Connecticut Tobacco Merchant Education Campaign, coordinated by Wheeler Clinic's Connecticut Clearinghouse and funded by the Tobacco Prevention and Enforcement Program of the Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services, is an ongoing effort to inform tobacco retailers about Connecticut's tobacco laws.

The campaign provides retailers with cash register stickers, a tobacco sales training compact disc, and tip sheets that reinforce the message that selling tobacco products to anyone under the age of 18 is against the law. The tip sheets have recently been translated from English and are now available in Polish, Spanish and Urdu.

All of the tip sheets can be printed from the Connecticut Clearinghouse website at www.ctclearinghouse.org, then select "Information for Tobacco Retailers". Copies of the tip sheets, cash register stickers and the compact disc can also be requested by calling the Clearinghouse at 1.800.232.4424.

Artykuł: wykładówek Produkty tytoniowe

SPRAWDŹ I.D.
NIE SPRZEDAWAJ TYTONIU OSOBOM PONIŻEJ 18 LAT

Sprzedż produktów tytoniowych osobom poniżej 18 lat jest niezgodna z prawem.




Papierosy Cygara

Tyton fajkowy luzem



مشورہ نامہ

I.D. چیک کریں
DON'T BUY TOBACCO

اسلام سے کم عمر کے کسی بھی شخص کو تمباکو مصنوعات فروخت کرنا خلاف قانون ہے۔

میں نے اسے اپنے فروختاری چرمائے

پیل حرم - \$200
ٹورس حرم - \$350
ٹیمپرا حرم - \$500

مشائے کے لیے اپنی چرمائے

پیل حرم - \$300
ٹورس حرم - \$750
ٹیمپرا حرم کے لیے

ڈیڑ کے (آئٹمن کی منسوخی)

ویٹنگ میں اسے چرمائے

500 کیلئے حرم کے لیے



Hoja de Consenso para Proprietarios y Gerentes de Tienda

VERIFIQUE el I.D.
MENORES DE 18 AÑOS NO VENDERLE TABACO

La venta de productos de tabaco a cualquier persona menor de 18 años es una violación de la ley.

Exigir la "Verificación" de la ley de tabaco de Connecticut a menos de 18 años es un delito en la venta de productos de tabaco a menores de 18 años.

Entene y recuerde a su empleado que es un delito en la venta de productos de tabaco a menores de 18 años.

Los productos de tabaco son: cigarrillos, cigarrillos, puros y tabaco en polvo.

Exigir que sus empleados pidan una forma de identificación.

La forma de identificación de ID con una foto de cualquier persona menor de 18 años por una agencia de gobierno es aceptable.

El escaner de ID de la tienda puede utilizarse para verificar si un cliente es mayor de 18 años.

El contenido de esta hoja de consentimiento y los procedimientos de gestión para tratar con clientes menores de edad se encuentran en:



Assessing the Intervening with Suicidal and Self-Injurious Youth

Presented by

Kimberly Nelson, LCSW

Vice President of Children's Outpatient and Community Based Services
Wheeler Clinic, Inc.

Friday, April 24th, 2009

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Manchester Community College
Manchester, CT

Friday, May 8th, 2009

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Gateway Community College
North Haven, CT

- Learn current, factual information about suicidal and self-injurious youth.
- Understand the differences between suicidal and self-injurious behaviors.
- Identify, assess and manage youth in crisis

Register Online at www.ctclearinghouse.org/registration
For more information call Connecticut Clearinghouse at 1.800.232.4424

This is an introductory workshop and is not intended for experienced clinicians.

This free event is made possible through funding from the Connecticut Department of Children and Families Bureau of Prevention and External Affairs.



Search the **RESOURCE CATALOG** located at www.ctclearinghouse.org for Books, DVDs and Curricula available for loan from Connecticut Clearinghouse.

New Audiovisuals

A Guide For Living With Co-Occurring Disorders: Help And Hope For Clients And Their Families - This video educates patients and families on the treatment of co-occurring disorders. It provides an overview of co-occurring disorders, offers interviews from people who have the disorders, and discusses ways that patients can participate in treatment to better manage their recovery. Included are dramatic vignettes and professional narration to give a comprehensive look at all the issues of recovery. Clinicians can use this DVD when implementing all seven components of the Hazelden Co-occurring Disorders Program or as a stand-alone tool.

It's Not Like I Hit Her - Mixing dramatic vignettes with interviews, this program examines emotional abuse directed at women by their male partners. It's not about arguing or disagreeing - it's about chronic criticism, verbal degradation, intimidation and isolation imposed on women to keep them in a socially and emotionally unsupported position. The aim, and the result, is to wear down and destroy women's self-esteem and their spirit. Both male and female viewers learn the basis for this kind of behavior in males. Tools for confronting and ending this abusive behavior and the treatment options available for abusers are covered.



New Curricula



Co-Occurring Disorders Program - Developed by the faculty of the Dartmouth Medical School, this program consists of a Clinical Administrator's Guidebook and the following five curricula: Screening and Assessment; Integrating Combined Therapies; Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy; Medication Management; and Family Program. The DVD, "A Guide for Living with Co-Occurring Disorders", may be used in conjunction with the program or as a stand-alone educational tool.

Upcoming issues of *Courier Online* can be delivered to your inbox by sending your name and e-mail address to: info@ctclearinghouse.org or calling Connecticut Clearinghouse at 1.800.232.4424.



New Books

In The Room With Men: A Casebook Of Therapeutic Change - Edited by Matt Englar-Carlson, Mark A. Stevens

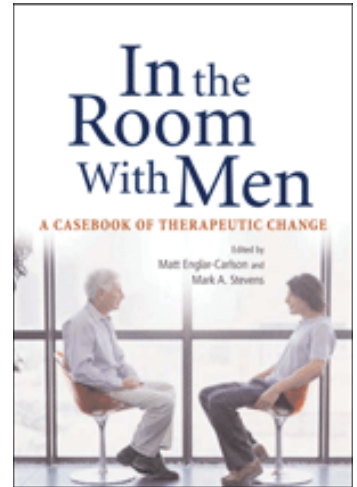
Managing Depressive Symptoms In Substance Abuse Clients During Early Recovery - Richard N. Rosenthal

Parenting By Men Who Batter: New Directions For Assessment And Intervention - Edited by Jeffrey L. Edleson, Oliver J. Williams

The Role Of The Father In Child Development - Edited by Michael E. Lamb

Substance Abuse: Clinical Issues In Intensive Outpatient Treatment - Robert F. Forman, Paul D. Nagy

Treating Tobacco Use And Dependence: 2008 Update



Go to
DIRECTORY OF PAMPHLETS, FACT SHEETS & POSTERS
at www.ctclearinghouse.org
for a complete listing of these Connecticut Clearinghouse materials.



New Posters

Did You Know Your Relationship Affects Your Health?

Protect The Ones You Love: Child Injuries Are Preventable

¿Sabía Usted Que Su Relación Afecta Su Salud?



New Pamphlets



About Incest

Ouch! Stop Germs

Rethinking Drinking: Alcohol & Your Health

Violence Is Not The Answer ... You Are: How Adults Can Show Youth Alternatives To Violence

You Can Help: A Guide For Caring Adults Working With Young People Experiencing Addiction In The Family

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Thurs 8:30 - 7:30

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