

The New England Alliance for Addiction Recovery (NEAAR), the New England ATTC,  
and the New Hampshire Addiction Training Institute present

# Celebrating Our Unity; Celebrating Our Diversity

## New England Recovery Conference

**Saturday August 29<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**At the Radisson Hotel in Nashua New Hampshire**

*Hosted by Friends of Recovery- New Hampshire*

Kicking off

**National Alcohol and  
Drug Addiction  
Recovery Month  
September 2009**

### Welcoming Remarks

**Joseph Harding, Director, NH Bureau of Drug and Alcohol Services**

### Invited Keynote

**New Hampshire Congresswoman Carol Shea-Porter,  
Vice Co-chair of the Congressional Addiction, Treatment, & Recovery Caucus**

### Saturday August 29

Registration 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Conference 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Evening Activities 7 – 10 p.m.

**Our Stories Have Power- Media Training** *Pat Taylor, Executive Director, Faces & Voices of Recovery and Tom Coderre, Chief of Staff to Rhode Island Senate President and former National Field Director, Faces and Voices of Recovery*

**Building an Inclusive Recovery Movement** *Deb Dettor, Coordinator, Maine Alliance for Addiction Recovery (MAAR)*

**Families Building Roadmaps to Recovery** *New England family advocates (FASTER, Learn to Cope, VT FACES Network, MOAR, CT Turning to Youth and Families)*

**Basic Elements of Effective Advocacy with Policy Makers** *Ken Libertoff, Ph.D., Vermont Association for Mental Health*

**Recovery Advocates Role in a Recovery Oriented System of Care** *Patty McCarthy, M.S., New England Regional Representative, Faces & Voices of Recovery and Director of Friends of Recovery- Vermont*

**Young People in Recovery:** *Unique Issues, Current Trends in Recovery Supports*

### Sunday August 30

Conference 9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

CEU's  
provided

**New England Regional Learning Collaborative** *Highlights from six New England Recovery Community Organizations*

**Our Stories Have Power- Refresher Course**  
*Facilitated by experienced trainers from past workshops*

**Diversity Among Us- Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender, Questioning (GLBTQ) Community of Recovery**  
*Stephen Gumbley, MA, LCDP, Co- Director of the ATTC-NE at Brown University*

**The Connecticut Experience: Recovery Coaching, Sober Housing, Telephone Based Support** *Phil Valentine, Executive Director, CCAR*

*Meet the  
2008 and 2009  
US Recovery Delegates  
from New England*

*Recovery Film Festival  
Networking \* Recovery Support Groups  
Entertainment \* Food & Fun*

**ONLY \$25 PER PERSON PER DAY!**

Includes workshops, materials, and lunch

**Scholarships available** (see registration form-  
deadline for scholarships is **August 10**)

**Registration deadline is August 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Call Denise Devlin at FOR-NH  
for more information  
1 (603) 642-8719  
neias@mva.net**

*Complete the registration form on back of this flyer  
(or contact FOR-NH for Registration Form)*

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August 29 and 30, 2009 Nashua NH

REGISTRATION FORM (registration deadline is August 21<sup>st</sup>)

Each attendee must complete a separate registration form but multiple registrations may be paid in a single payment.

Name (Please print or type)

Organization

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

E-mail (please print clearly)

CHECK ONE:

- Saturday only (\$25)       Sunday only (\$25)       Both days (\$50)

- I am applying for a scholarship and enclosing a \$20 non-refundable fee

LIMITED SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE (Deadline for scholarships is August 10<sup>th</sup>)

Limited scholarship assistance is available on a first come, first serve basis for *registration fees and overnight hotel costs*. There is a non-refundable \$20.00 pre-registration fee to apply for scholarships.

**To apply for a scholarship:**

- 1) Complete this registration form and mail it along with a \$20 non-refundable fee to FOR-NH (be sure to save a copy for your records)
- 2) **And then,** contact your state Recovery Community Organization below to request a scholarship.

<b>Connecticut</b>	Diane Potvin (Connecticut Communities for Addiction Recovery)	diane@ccar.us	1-800-708-9145
<b>Maine</b>	Deb Dettor (Maine Alliance for Addiction Recovery)	ddettor@masap.org	1-207-458-4366
<b>Massachusetts</b>	Maryanne Frangules (Massachusetts Organization for Addiction Recovery)	moarfran@aol.com	1-800-423-MOAR
<b>New Hampshire</b>	Denise Devlin (Friends of Recovery- New Hampshire)	neias@mva.net	1-603-642-8719
<b>Rhode Island</b>	Ian Knowles (Rhode Island Communities for Addiction Recovery)	iknowles@dataofri.org	1-401-521-5759 X14
<b>Vermont</b>	Patty McCarthy (Friends of Recovery – Vermont)	recoveryvt@aol.com	1-800-769-2798

**HOTEL INFORMATION** Radisson Hotel 11 Tara Boulevard, Nashua, NH 1 603-888-9970

Single/Double \$89.00 plus tax \* Triple \$99.00 plus tax \* Quad \$109.00 plus tax

To receive these rates guests must mention they are with **Friends of Recovery NH/NEAAR**.

The cut-off date for accepting reservations into this guest room block is **August 14<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM**.

**For more information**

Friends of Recovery- NH      Denise Devlin      neias@mva.net      603-642-8719

Mail registration form and check or money order to:  
FOR-NH PO Box 704 Kingston NH 03848