

Prevention Technology Transfer Center Network
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Register Now: Northwest Prevention Leadership Academy

Date: *May 5-6, 2020 Time: 9:00 am-5:00 pm*

Location:

Benson Hotel & Meeting Events Center 309 SW Broadway, Portland, OR Portland, Oregon

Registration for the Event

March 9, 2020- April 7, 2020

About the Prevention Leadership Academy

The goal of the Northwest PTTC Prevention Leadership Academy is to engage leaders in the prevention workforce to identify and build upon their strengths in creative problem-solving, strategic planning and charismatic communication. Our aim is to do so through a hands-on experiential learning process in a face-to-face format. Based on results from the Northwest's 2018-2019, Prevention Workforce Needs Assessment and Advisory Council feedback, the Prevention Leadership Academy will focus on building collaborative structures to enhance leadership skills and that flatten hierarchy. Specific goals for the academy include:

- Use of self-assessment tools so leaders can identify their strengths and areas of practice they would like to improve;
- Participation in a set of Liberating Structures activities that can be used to engage others in their organizations and communities; and
- Development of a leadership capacity plan to implement following the academy.



NWPTTC staff is collaborating with facilitators of <u>Liberating Structures</u> to present the academy. Liberating Structures is a set of practical methods and tools designed to foster active participation and create innovation among team members, collaborators, and communities. Their use facilitates trust-building and shared commitment to group values and outcomes.

Cost

The Leadership Conference is free-of-charge to participants.

Participant Registration

Due to budget and space limitations registration for the Prevention Leadership Academy, is limited to 80 participants. The Northwest is allocating 15 spaces per each state in HHS Region 10: Alaska, Idaho, Oregon or Washington, for this event. Event logistics and registration details will be marketed via email through the Northwest PTTC list serve on or before February 20, 2020. **General registration** for the Prevention Leadership Academy will open on **March 9, 2020 and will close on April 7, 2020**.

Participant Support Application

The Northwest is offering participant support for a small number of individuals. **Priority will be** given to substance misuse prevention practitioners who <u>do not</u> have access to funding for travel through their workplace and who work in community-based organizations located in HHS Region 10 states. By <u>February 19, 2020</u>, Individuals interested in receiving a participant support funds must complete and submit the following Participant Support Application Form <u>https://casatunr.wufoo.com/forms/p1pfzawe12grzh6/</u>

Participant Registration Contact

For question regarding registration, please contact Northwest PTTC Logistics Coordinator Clarissa Lam Yuen <u>clamyuen@casat.org</u>

