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To: All PCPs, Peds & OB/GYNs

From: IEHP – Health Services Special Initiatives

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Subject: Train New Trainers (TNT) Fellowships - Primary Care Psychiatry (PCP) and Addiction Medicine (PC-TEAM)

PCPs are on the frontline for delivery of behavioral health and addiction treatment yet many PCPs are underresourced and haven't been provided the training to support their members in need of mental health care.

Train New Trainers (TNT) Fellowships are now available and provide clinically practical, evidence-based certification programs designed to address the primary care setting's most frequently encountered medical/psychiatric conditions.

These one-year, non-traditional training program fellowships in **Psychiatry and Addiction Medicine** are an invaluable opportunity for all PCPs in internal medicine, family medicine, pediatrics, emergency medicine, and OB-GYN. Past fellows have also included MDs, DOs, NPs, and PAs.

1. Train New Trainers (TNT) Primary Care Psychiatry (PCP) Fellowship

The **TNT PCP Fellowship** lays the groundwork for expanding psychiatric and chronic pain management education for PCPs who care for patients with behavioral health issues. This one-year fellowship is designed to increase confidence and skills in caring for mentally ill patients.

Program Overview:

- The <u>curriculum</u> includes over 50 hours of training and will lead to a certificate of completion from the UC Irvine School of Medicine
- Cohort begins January 1, 2024, and ends December 31, 2024 (**The application deadline is Friday**, **November 17, 2023**)
- Live webinars on the **second Monday at noon and the third Monday at 5:15 PM PT** via Zoom (21 hours)
- One hour per month of mentoring sessions with a <u>TNT faculty member</u> (11 hours)
- Specialized Child and Adolescence Psychiatry Track*

*Our Child and Adolescent Psychiatry (CAP) Track is a year-long clinical education certificate program for primary care-oriented trainees and providers who wish to receive advanced training in the care of pediatric and adolescent patients with behavioral health concerns.

If you have any questions regarding the PCP fellowship, please contact Karina Cardoso at skmartin@hs.uci.edu.

2. Train New Trainers (TNT) Primary Care-Training and Education in Addiction Medicine (PC-TEAM) Fellowship

This new one-year fellowship is an innovative and targeted training to optimize the treatment of substance use disorders. PCPs are trained to complete an evidence-based substance use screening in busy primary care or other general medical settings to effectively prevent, diagnose, and treat commonly encountered substance use and pain-related disorders, and teach these principles to their primary care colleagues.

Program Overview:

- The <u>curriculum</u> includes over 50 hours of training and will lead to a certificate of completion from the UC Irvine School of Medicine
- Cohort begins March 1, 2024, and ends February 28, 2025 (The application deadline is Friday, December 1, 2023)
- Live webinars on the second and third Monday of each month at noon PT via Zoom (21 hours)
- At least one hour per month of mentoring sessions with a **PC-TEAM faculty member** (11 hours)

If you have any questions regarding the fellowship, please contact Jessica Rivera at jessicgr@hs.uci.edu.



Visit this website for more information on both programs, and to learn about the application requirements:

Medschool.uci.edu > Education > Medical Education > Continuing Medical Education > Train New Trainers (TNT) Fellowships

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