

**CAN A CONSUMER REALLY WORK?  
UTILIZING THE DB101 CALCULATOR TO FIND THE ANSWER**

**DATE & TIME:** March 1, 2016

**9:00AM - 4:00PM**

*All registration is completed on the Learning Net prior to the training. Sign-in begins 30 minutes prior to the training time. All participants must arrive during the sign-in period. Late arrivals will not be admitted.*

**PLACE:** California Endowment Center  
1000 N. Alameda Street, Mojave room  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

**PARKING:** Parking is free in facility lot

This training familiarizes mental health workers with the DB101 Benefits to Work Calculator and benefit planning strategies. During the first half of the training, the presenter will conduct a live Internet demonstration of [www.disabilitybenefits101.org](http://www.disabilitybenefits101.org) online Benefits to Work Calculator. The calculator is designed for adults who are: 18 to 64 years of age, currently receive SSI or SSDI, and plan to become employed, presently employed, or change jobs. The calculator will demonstrate how both financial and health benefits may be adjusted when employed or changing jobs. Test case scenarios will demonstrate the calculator's various features. This training is highly interactive and questions are encouraged throughout the presentation.

**TARGET AUDIENCE:** DMH adult providers and DMH contracted staff only

**OBJECTIVES:** As a result of attending this training, participants should be able to:

1. Utilize the DB101 online calculator to assist consumers in determining how employment will affect their SSI or SSDI benefits.
2. Describe the multiple features that the calculator offers.
3. Discuss specific needs of non-English speaking consumers who plan to become employed.
4. Identify ways employment is connected to recovery.
5. Analyze how financial benefits affect a consumer obtaining or changing employment.
6. Explain how health benefits affect a consumer obtaining or changing employment.

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**DEADLINE:** When maximum capacity is reached

**CONTINUING EDUCATION:** None

**COST:** None

DMH Employees register at:  
<http://learningnet.lacounty.gov>

Contract Providers complete  
attached training application

Cultural Competency  Pre-licensure  Law and Ethics  Clinical Supervision  General



**County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health**  
**NON-DMH STAFF TRAINING APPLICATION FORM**  
 Please Print or Type



**Instructions**

Each individual must complete a separate application form for each training he/she wishes to attend. Please complete the application in full. Applications will not be processed with incomplete or inaccurate information. Notification of registration confirmation for a training will be provided by the training coordinator. Unless otherwise specified, walk-in registrations will not be admitted.

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*This form is not to be used for LPS Designation Training. The LPS Application is available at [lacdmh.lacounty.gov/training&workforce.html](http://lacdmh.lacounty.gov/training&workforce.html).*

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Date(s) <b>March 1, 2016</b>	Training Coordinator: <b>Janice Friend</b>
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County Employee Number  
*(non-county employees supply the last four digits of the SSN)*

Name

Program, Service or Agency

Job Title

Address

City	Zip Code
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**License or Credential Number(s)** (complete as many as applicable)

CAADAC	LCSW	LPT	LVN
MD	MFT	Psychologist	RN

Supervisor's Approval (Applications will not be processed if not signed by supervisor)	For processing, please return Application to: <b>Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health</b> <b>Workforce Education and Training Division</b> <b>695 S. Vermont Avenue, 15th Floor</b> <b>Los Angeles, CA 90005</b> <b>Fax: (213) 252-8776</b>  <b>Phone: (213) 251-6874</b> <b>Email: <a href="mailto:jfriend@dmh.lacounty.gov">jfriend@dmh.lacounty.gov</a></b> <b>(When faxing, there is no need to use a cover sheet)</b>
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Supervisor's Signature	