

RECOGNIZING & RESPONDING TO ELDER ABUSE

DATE & TIME:

August 19, 2026

11:30AM – 12:30PM

*Sign-in begins 15 minutes prior to the training time. All participants must arrive during the sign-in period.
Late arrivals will not be admitted.*

PLACE: Web Broadcast – Microsoft Teams

REGISTRATION: [EventsHub Registration Link](#)

DESCRIPTION: This training is designed for clinicians and advocates serving older adults and dependent adults experiencing abuse. Participants will gain an understanding of both individual (micro) and systemic (macro) issues affecting victims of elder and dependent adult abuse. The workshop will explore the connection between ageism and abuse, including its intersection with other forms of marginalization, as well as key risk factors for abuse. Participants will learn how to recognize and report abuse, understand the benefits and limitations of protective services, and review secondary interventions for survivors, including legal advocacy, safety planning, therapy, and support groups.

TARGET AUDIENCE: DMH and contract providers currently serving Older Adult clients

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

1. List the five types of elder/dependent adult abuse and the signs & symptoms of each type.
2. Describe the role and responsibilities of Adult Protective Services (APS) when an abuse report is made.
3. Identify secondary interventions utilized by aging service and victim service providers to support older adults experiencing abuse.

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DEADLINE: When capacity is reached.

CONTINUING EDUCATION: 1.0 hour for BBS, BRN, CCAPP-EI
1.0 CE for Psychologist

COST: NONE