

UPCOMING ASAM TRAINING FOR MINNESOTA SUD TREATMENT PROVIDERS

The **Department of Human Services (DHS)** is offering **free ASAM Criteria training** to help Minnesota substance use disorder (SUD) treatment providers enhance assessments, treatment planning, and documentation. All in alignment with best practices for **person-centered care**.

What You'll Learn:

- ✓ How to apply ASAM Criteria to develop assessments, individualized treatment plans and documentation
- ✓ Essential skills for effective implementation
- ✓ Tools for ASAM-aligned, person-centered care

Register Now! To register for the training, please click the links below - Space is limited.

Training is in high demand and fills up quickly. If your plans have changed and you are unable to attend, we kindly ask that you cancel your registration to allow others the opportunity to participate. To unenroll, please log into your Train for Change account. Navigate to the dashboard and find your list of registered events. Under the list, select the red 'Unenroll from Event' button.

The training is free of charge for SUD providers in Minnesota

Training Dates & Formats:

In-Person: Two-Day ASAM Criteria, 3rd Edition (Skill-Building)

-  [August 13 & 14, 8:30am- 3pm](#) |  Elmer L. Andersen Building, St. Paul, MN - registered participants will receive an email with additional details.

Virtual: Two-Day ASAM Criteria, 4th Edition (Skill-Building)

-  [Sept. 15 & 16, 8:30am- 3pm](#)





Bulletin/Update

Virtual: One-Day ASAM Criteria, 3rd Edition (Overview)

-  [June 20, 8:30am- 3pm](#)
-  [July 9 , 8:30am- 3pm](#)

Virtual: One-Day Harm Reduction Approach within ASAM Criteria Framework

-  [July 10, 8:30am- 3pm](#)

 **Earn CEUs:** Continuing Education Units (CEUs) will be available for participants who successfully complete the entire training. More information regarding CEUs will be provided during the sessions.

For questions or if you need to cancel a training you have registered for, please contact us by email at asam.dhs@state.mn.us

South Country Provider Contact Center

1-888-633-4055

Hours: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

The Provider Contact Center staff are available as your first point of contact to assist with the following.

Member benefit coverage

Authorization verification

Website questions

Claims billing and processing guidelines

Remittance adjustment code details and payment information

Provider web portal issues

Claim rejection guidance

General information

South Country wants to ensure providers are reimbursed for services provided to our members and following all billing guidelines. Our staff are committed to support and guide you in understanding all South Country processes and procedures. In addition, callers that utilize our Provider Contact Center are provided a reference number that identifies your call in our system. Please keep the reference number in your records to refer to if you have any additional questions or need to check the status of an open issue. The reference number will help the representative locate your issue quickly.