Oregon Problem Gambling Services Meeting/ Training Schedule 2025

Updated 12/1/2024

Note: Mark your calendars and share this info with others in your agency who may need to know…..additional information and call/log in instructions or registration info will be sent in advance of each of these events.

Additional training may be coordinated and hosted within the year and will be announced via email to providers and added to this training calendar.

Trainings/Conferences

Gambling Precertification Course- Part 1
$195/ 30 CEUs
Registration information available at: https://www.acorncourses.org/courses/problem-gambling-counselor-precertification

Advanced Problem Gambling Counselor Workshop
No cost/ 15 CEUs
Spring 2025: 15 CEUs are offered across 8 classes on Friday mornings. Participants must attend all sessions.
- Session 1: Understanding Gambling, PG, and PG Treatment, 2/21/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 2: Assessment & Engagement, 2/28/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 3: Addressing Money, 3/7/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 4: Stages of Change & Motivational Interviewing, 3/14/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 5: Risk Assessment, Crisis Intervention, and Ethics, 3/21/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 6: Cognitive & Behavioral Interventions, 3/28/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 7: Emotion & Mindfulness, 4/4/25, 9am-12:30pm PST
- Session 8: Sociocultural Attunement, 4/11/25, 9am-12:30pm PST

Registration information available at: https://www.acorncourses.org/courses/advanced-problem-gambling-counselor-workshop-spring-2025

Conferences

Focus on the Future Conference
May 5-8, 2025
DoubleTree, Seattle WA Southcenter
For more information, visit: https://www.evergreencpg.org/training/in-person/focus-on-the-future/

National Conference on Gambling Addiction and Responsible Gambling
July 16-18, 2025
Columbus, Ohio
For more information, visit: https://ncpgconference.org/

Fall OHA PGS Summit
October 1-3, 2025
Agate Beach Best Western, Newport Oregon
More information to come in Spring 2025…….

Peer Trainings: See the VPGR web page at: https://vpgr.pythonanywhere.com/

<u>Monthly PG Hot Topic Webinars</u>

1.5 MHACBO CEU's will be provided. All webinars will be recorded and placed on the ACORN training web page for viewing.

At this time, no events for 2025 have been confirmed.

<u>PGS All Providers Webinars:</u> 9 – 10:30 am PST

PGS All Provider Meetings are online webinars that inform PGS providers with state updates, data reviews and presentation regarding the latest problem gambling information. Continuing Education Units (CEUs) are <u>no longer</u> provided for this meeting.

Thursday, March 6, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsc-yorT8oGh9fdfDH8HRSCmBEk_iK7kI

Thursday, June 5, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItdOigrDorGY6aY9nuDrigAs2CF_ZW3ic

Thursday, September 4, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItcumrrzIpGmrMuPUTdGYUEyAxP0C2r_U

Thursday, December 11, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsc-GrrjgpGbgF86hBCWFMc-gE-ZCnR-c

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<u>PGS Prevention Monthly Connect Webinars</u>

PGS Prevention Monthly Connect Meetings are online webinars that provide PG Prevention providers with state updates, and various presentations and sharing amongst providers regarding problem gambling prevention related efforts. The meetings are informational only and do not include Continuing Education Units (CEUs). The meetings are generally on the 3rd Wednesday of the month from 9:00 – 10:00 am PST, except for the months that there is a quarterly All Provider meeting held or when necessary to move due to scheduling conflicts**.

January 15, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST: https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1605531425?pwd=0dqzHR7j2QndLH9pVQytOjkJXWwqFa.1

February 19, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST: https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1611870071?pwd=oEujb4Ov479wCM4f9ijrbxb8LhUymo.1

March 2025: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

April 16, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1611328617?pwd=rbYezX3qXwZ1QYCehO8Z3LSrJALjw7.1

May 2025: No Problem Gambling Prevention Connect in May. The Community Readiness Assessment Trainings will be held during May.

June 2025: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

**July 9, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1618648352?pwd=czdMvW2v05LvjM76ASUsrMYuSrvyeU.1

August 20, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1602721910?pwd=wvs8YnxLvATcSHT22whL6kBoV941s7.1

September 2025: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

October 15, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1606039535?pwd=8t6rdyptygyUIuFWJ1kucz6V6Lftis.1

November 19, 2025: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1600946763?pwd=K1RldDlxvVfB1CR7ryRSia96Mq75J1.1

December 2025: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

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Problem Gambling Prevention Trainings and Additional Offerings

January 22, 2025: PG Youth-Parent/Caregiver Subject Matter Expert Townhall 9:00 am – 11:00 PST
https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIscu2vpjsoH91nVnbpArnIdx4r47psqeU

May 13, 2025: How to Conduct the Community Readiness Assessment 9:00 am – 10:30 am PST
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1606919416?pwd=rsyey6WaPOZh2p2qhGEocDxqxhkrh3.1

May 21, 2025: Community Readiness Assessment Scoring 9:00 am – 10:30 am PST
https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1616478441?pwd=Zi7AaBqTT7eWIzo12XPPbCCaMaoNdb.1

Integrated Co-Occurring Disorders (ICOD) Community of Practice Group: Addictive Behaviors and Co-Occurring Disorders

First Tuesday of each month from 10:00- 11:00 am PST or third Wednesday of each month from 3:00-4:00 pm PST. Each monthly meeting on Tuesday or Wednesday will be the same.   1 CEU provided for each monthly session.

First Tuesday of the month from 10:00- 11:00 am PST
REGISTRATION LINK: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsd-ugqzgqHmpASktiDv4hVWmKFsvAHTI#/registration

Third Wednesday of the Month from 3:00- 4:00 pm PST
REGISTRATION LINK: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsf-uvrjIoGn1-BYM4V_jkzDLtjt-Z2AI#/registration

The ICOD Addictive Behaviors and Co-occurring Disorders community of practice group provides an opportunity for Behavioral Health Providers to discuss treatment for individuals dealing with co-occurring Addictive Behaviors and Co-Occurring Mental Health Disorders and Intellectual and Developmental Disorders. Addictive Behaviors discussed include Gambling Disorder, Gaming Disorders, Substance Use Disorders, Eating Disorders and other Impulse Control type-disorders (eg. Sex/Pornography addiction). The group will consist of a short educational piece followed by case consultation discussion.

PG Treatment System Quarterly Update and Feedback Webinar

These quarterly meetings consist of a forum to discuss PG treatment system updates, provide feedback on current experiences and future processes within the provider system.

All meetings are Tuesdays, except for January meeting which is a Wednesday, from 11am – 12pm PST.

Wednesday, January 29, 2025
Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItceCrpz0iGYktTCpf6bRWC3vTAGx78g8
Tuesday, April 22, 2025
Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsfu-gqT0qEl04_2er75NLTlGovwgyIk0
Tuesday, July 29, 2025
Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsceGvrj8vE9jT84WExQgMRtVLD9ysQp0
Tuesday, October 28, 2025
Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsc--orT0uG5Ciuo8afmkxma8PfBIS06Q

Problem Gambling Consultation

These monthly consultations are for direct treatment providers to gain multiple perspectives on case studies and therapeutic scenarios involving problem gambling. These consultation groups count towards the 24 hours of required consultation for the CGACI and II and offered to anyone in the system.

First Friday of each month from January – June 2025

10:00 am PST to 11:00 am PST

Link to join: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87529672820
Facilitated by Raul Ramirez from Cultivating Community, LLC.

Oregon Research & Evaluation Outcomes (OREO-PG) Quarterly Webinar

All session from 1:00 to 2:30 pm PST

Engage, share and discuss data from Oregon's PG Net system, follow up surveys and research conducted in Oregon and nationally. Opportunity for providers to learn about the cutting-edge research results and questions in the field of problem gambling while having experienced evaluation professionals lead these discussions and explain data in an engaging and exciting way. 1.5 MHACBO CEU's will be provided.

Thursday, February 20, 2025

Register at:

https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItcuGurDMoGLYyEUULQZC1Pf7YZChRVOk

Thursday, May 15, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItde2spj8uG1w4yQEfBGjBNaU-ox-kOis

Thursday, August 21, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJIsduyprjMvH5Klhfs7DxF-hTcnpO5TNhw

Thursday, November 20, 2025

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItc-mpqz8sG7VpKyu48Z5iLeT-AaKkDsw