



Certified Older Adult Peer Specialist Training

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CUMMINGS CENTER COMMUNITY CONFERENCE ROOM
100 CUMMINGS CENTER, SUITE 221-E, BEVERLY, MA

This training prepares **Certified Peer Specialists** and **Recovery Coaches**, age 50+, to use their lived experience, skills and training to work with older adults living with behavioral health challenges. Certified Older Adult Peer Specialist Services are now covered by certain MassHealth waivers for Older Adults, so employment opportunities are expanding. Training includes an understanding of behavioral health and co-occurring physical issues as they relate to aging, the aging process, suicide, wellness, substance use, dementia, physical illness, mental health challenges, aging in place, and community resources. Participants will increase their level of expertise while gaining specialized techniques that support older adults.

REQUIREMENTS:

- **AGE 50+**
- **CERTIFIED PEER SPECIALIST OR RECOVERY COACH**
- **COMMITMENT TO WORKING WITH OLDER ADULTS**
- **SUCCESSFUL APPLICATION**

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