



Center for Psychiatric Rehabilitation

Certificate Program in Psychiatric Vocational Rehabilitation

**Winner of the 2002 RSA Commissioner's Award
for Excellence in Education and Training!**



See historic Boston in the Spring and go leaf-peeping in the Fall when you come to our week-long training institutes, accessible to those traveling long-distances.

The Certificate Program in Psychiatric Vocational Rehabilitation is a one-year, part-time training for working professionals, offering:

- PARTNERING WITH PEOPLE WITH PSYCHIATRIC DISABILITIES
- MEETING THE NEEDS OF CULTURALLY DIVERSE SERVICE RECIPIENTS
- IDENTIFYING VOCATIONAL NEEDS
- FACILITATING VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION READINESS
- PERSONALIZING VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT
- ACHIEVING VOCATIONAL PLACEMENTS
- DEVELOPING ESSENTIAL SKILLS, SUPPORTS, AND ACCOMMODATIONS

Technical assistance is provided throughout the year so that agencies may immediately utilize the skills and tools immediately. Process can be imported into any model!



Ruth Rodriguez accepts her certificate while her trainers applaud.

What People are Saying:

"Programs like this elevate people to lead full and productive lives, to believe in themselves and make their dreams realities."

-- Dr. Frederic Schroeder, Former Commissioner of the Rehabilitation Services Administration

"Thank you for another Excellent session this week. When I leave, my head is always spinning with new ideas, inspirations and recollections. . .it is exhilarating!"

-- Gladys Benschimol, Certificate Program participant

"This program demonstrated the importance of how you communicate with your clients-interacting, listening, and respecting. I was able to see... results."

-- Renee Harris, Certificate Program graduate

"This training has made me take a look at how I do my job; it has opened my eyes to a better way to help those we serve."

-- Bill Howard, Certificate Program graduate

"Overall, the training program was extremely interesting, informative, and fun."

--Anonymous

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