

## Tobacco Treatment Specialist (TTS) Core Training

*The University of Kansas Medical Center, School of Medicine in conjunction with the University of Massachusetts Medical School's Center for Tobacco Treatment Research and Training is pleased to announce its Spring 2017 Tobacco Treatment Specialist (TTS) Core Training.*

### Overview:

The Tobacco Treatment Specialist (TTS) Core Training is an intensive 3 ½ day, evidence-based training program designed for persons who deliver moderate to intensive tobacco treatment services. The curriculum is designed to address a set of core competencies for tobacco treatment specialists defined by the Association for the Treatment of Tobacco Use and Dependence (ATTUD) [www.attud.org](http://www.attud.org). Continuing education credits are available for select disciplines.

The course is designed for health workers who want to master the necessary core competencies for providing evidenced-based treatment for nicotine dependence. The following criteria must be met before attending the core training:

- Certificate of Completion for 'Basic Skills for Working with Smokers' course
  - **Must be completed by February 28, 2017**
  - 9 module online course (up to 11 hours)
  - Promotional code to access course will be issued upon successful registration for TTS
    - For information about Continue Education Credits for the Basic Skills online training, go to: [http://www.umassmed.edu/tobacco/training/basicskills\\_online/](http://www.umassmed.edu/tobacco/training/basicskills_online/)

### Upcoming Training:

- March 28-31, 2017 from 9-5, light breakfast and lunch provided.
- Children's Campus of Kansas City- Shared Room
  - 444 Minnesota Ave # 100, Kansas City, KS 66101

### Who is Eligible to Apply?

- **15 Scholarships available for those who work in behavioral health settings in Wyandotte County**
- Preference given to those who serve diverse communities
- Must be tobacco-free for six months prior to attending Core Training

**Complete Online Application Here: [TTS Core Registration](#)**

*By registering, you agree to actively partner with the University of Kansas Medical Center (KUMC) School of Medicine, Department of Preventive Medicine and Public Health in trainings, emails, monthly conference calls, and any additional requests for longitudinal tracking purposes of this program. This includes successfully completing the Basic Skills online training by February 28, 2017. Upon successful attendance of the **entire** 3 ½ day in-person Tobacco Treatment Specialist Core Training (March 28-31, 2017), you agree to complete the 2 ½ hour online examination. Training registration as well as any additional questions/comments will be directed to:*

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