



# Community, Coalitions, and Connections: WNY Working Together

*Training Opportunity Facilitated  
by the Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA)*

**Tuesday, July 29, 2014**

**9:00 am - 4:15 pm**

Registration begins at 8:30

## **Buffalo State College**

**Bulger Communications Hall**

1300 Elmwood Ave., Buffalo, NY 14222

## **Fee: \$10.00**

Breakfast and lunch are included

Training materials will be provided

Scholarships available upon request

**CASAC/ CPP/ CPS credits available  
pending approval**

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## **Description:**

The goals of the training are to build capacity, increase effectiveness, help local coalitions and community groups work more effectively on their goals, and to realize the benefits of working together. It will help align various methods of community work and participants will learn the principles of the strategic prevention framework. A chance to learn from other local coalitions and community members will be provided. Attendees will also gain support from individuals working in the substance abuse prevention field throughout the WNY region.

## **Intended Audience:**

Coalition members, community members, youth bureaus, prevention professionals, and anyone interested in promoting health and wellness in their community.

## **Trainers:**

- **Dave Shavel:** works with CADCA's Coalition Institute to provide training and technical assistance to increase the knowledge, capacity and accountability of community anti-drug coalitions throughout the nation.
- **Dr. Bill Geary:** is the Technical Assistance Manager for CADCA's National Coalition Institute. He facilitates intensive, comprehensive technical assistance to coalition leaders and coalition teams, with particular emphasis on Drug-Free Communities grantees and Weed and Seed Communities.

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