



# Opioid Response Network Training Agenda

## Best Practices of Peer Recovery Support Services Supervision



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Time	Session Title	Presenter
12:00 PM	Registration	
12:30 PM	Introductions	Elizabeth Coffey <i>State Opioid Response Project Director WV Department of Health and Human Resources, Bureau for Behavioral Health</i>
12:30 PM	Peer Supervision, Support and Retention	William Stauffer <i>Executive Director, Pennsylvania Recovery Organization Alliance (PRO-A)</i>
1:25 PM	Certification of Peers in West Virginia Ethics and Boundaries: An Integral Part of the Peer Role	Greg Perry <i>Director of Recovery Support Services, Recovery Point West Virginia</i>
2:20 PM	Break	<i>Networking Opportunity</i>
2:30 PM	Peer Supervision Scenarios	Small groups facilitated by William Stauffer & Greg Perry
3:30 PM	How Varying Work Environments May Affect Supervision	William Stauffer & Greg Perry
4:25 PM	Evaluations and Wrap-up	
4:30 PM	Adjourn	

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### William Stauffer

William Stauffer is the Executive Director of [Pennsylvania Recovery Organization Alliance \(PRO-A\)](#), the statewide recovery organization of Pennsylvania. He is in long-term recovery for over 3 decades and has been actively engaged in public policy in the recovery arena for most of those years. He is an adjunct professor of Social Work at Misericordia University in Dallas Pennsylvania. William Stauffer has initiated numerous workforce expansion initiatives and a major focus of his work has been aimed at moving our SUD care system towards a five-year care paradigm to dramatically expand the numbers of Americans in recovery. He is a staunch advocate for SUD Patient Privacy Protections. He ran a recovery house taskforce for the Pennsylvania that helped inform PA Act 59 of 2017. In 2018, he testified in front of the US Senate Special Committee on Aging on the opioid epidemic and older adults, and in 2019, he conducted a hearing with the PA House Human Services Committee to expand recovery opportunities for young people. He is co-chair of the public policy committee for Faces & Voices of Recovery and the 2019 recipient of the Vernon Johnson Award Individual Recovery Advocate of the year. Mr. Stauffer was also the 2002 Recipient of the Lecie G. Machell prize in Social Work and, prior to taking the position of executive director of PRO-A, received Pennsylvania Recovery Organization Alliances award of the Recovery Advocate of the year, in 2008.

### Greg Perry

A person in long-term recovery first, Greg Perry serves as Director of Recovery Support Services for [Recovery Point of West Virginia](#). The position is three-fold: provide oversight and administration for a growing roster (15+) of Peer Recovery Coaches who work in various outside settings across the state; train the public and staff with a WVCBAPP-approved curriculum in order to pursue the PR Credential offered by WVCBAPP; and provide communications/ messaging skills utilizing design, photography, and video to carry the organization's message. Perry is a 2012 graduate of Recovery Point of Huntington. His previous career of two decades (media/communication) now occupies his spare time, doing freelance design, photography, and video for local and regional ad agencies such as the Barnes Agency and Kindred Communications. He is also an FAA Part 107 licensed drone pilot, and does freelance work for national and local companies in this area. Perry also serves on the board of directors for the WV Certification Board for Addiction and Prevention Professionals (WVCBAPP) as a peer, and is currently the president-elect of the board. He resides in Huntington with his wife Jennifer, daughter Julia, and Peanut the cat. When not doing all this other stuff, you will find him knee-deep in various streams in southern WV, pursuing trout with a fly rod.