

Level 1 Peer Support Worker & Certified Peer Specialist Testing Process and Records

Because we honor consumer empowerment and privacy, we will only answer questions about exam results and/or tutoring when they are asked by the relevant trainee.

Basic Information

Level 1 and peer specialist certification exams are administered throughout the year. ***You must register in advance if you wish to attend an examination session.*** You may not register until you have completed the training.

To register for an examination session, contact William Welch at (316) 978-3224 or william.welch@wichita.edu. In general, exams will be administered in the same region as the most recent training session. General information about the exams, along with details about exam dates and locations, will be discussed with all participants during the trainings.

Exams are scored by a panel of Certified Peer Specialists from Center for Community Support & Research. The results are pass/fail. Numerical scores are not available. In order to receive your exam results you MUST provide us with a valid e-mail address prior to taking the exam. There are a number of free, online e-mail providers.

We are committed to protecting your privacy and will not share your exam results with any third parties. It is your responsibility to inform your supervisor of your exam status.

Trainee and Certification Records

Trainee and Certified Peer Specialist records are maintained in a protected online database. ***Because of this, you are required to create a user profile on www.trainingteams.org.*** Documentation of your training participation and exam status is available by accessing this user profile. This is also where your official peer specialist certificates will be available.

Tutoring Support

Should you be unsuccessful in passing an exam, you may request tutoring assistance. Whenever possible, we will provide tutoring in person, but teleconference or video conference are also available. If you have any questions or would like to schedule a tutoring session, please contact William Welch at (316) 978-3224 or william.welch@wichita.edu.