

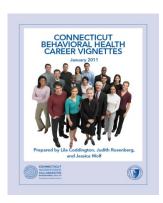
Resources Available on Careers in Behavioral Health

Free online resources are now available about careers in the field of Behavioral Health. These careers focus on the diagnosis, treatment, rehabilitation and recovery of persons with mental health and substance use conditions.

Many behavioral health career options are available in Connecticut. Occupations with employment mainly in behavioral health settings include: Drug and Alcohol Recovery Counselor; Marriage and Family Therapist; Mental Health Counselor; Psychiatrist; Psychologist; Recovery Support Specialist and School Psychologist.

People trained in other health-related occupations may also work in behavioral health settings. Examples include: Art Therapist; Occupational Therapist; Public Health professional; Recreation Therapist; Registered Nurse (including Advanced Practice RN); Rehabilitation Counselor; School Counselor; Social and Human Service Assistant; Social Worker.

The following Career Pathways reports are available online at http://www.cwcbh.org/projects/career pathways



Connecticut Behavioral Health Career Vignettes

30 personal career stories describing:

- What attracted each professional or advocate to the work
- What the occupations are like
- Advice to students interested in the field

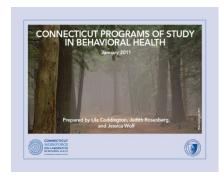
Download the report: http://bit.ly/rGJSnK



Connecticut Career Pathways in Behavioral Health

- Data on all Connecticut behavioral health-related training programs
- A Career Pathways Map
- 16 career blueprints with links to educational programs for those careers

Download the report: http://bit.ly/tqFgSv



Connecticut Programs of Study in Behavioral Health

Hyperlinked, alphabetized listings of 34 colleges and universities and their behavioral health-related programs.

Download the report: http://bit.ly/s6snwp

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